

TEXT: Jude 1:24-25

TITLE: "God Deserves Surpassing Glory!" (part 5)

→ God deserves praise because He is Able to Protect us from false teachers, He is Able to Present us blameless before Him, He is Unique, He is Savior, He is Reached through Jesus our Lord, He is Worthy of Fulness of Praise, and He is Infinite in His Desert of Praise.

→ Why Does God Deserve Surpassing Glory and Praise?

1. He Is Able to Protect Us—1:24

2. He is Able to Present Us—1:24

3. He Is Unique—the Only One—1:25

4. He Is Savior—1:25

5. He Is Reached through Jesus, Our Lord—1:25

6. He Is Worthy of Fullness of Praise—1:25

A. Glory Belongs to the Father and to His Son!

B. Majesty Belongs to the Father and to His Son!

**C. Dominion (Power, Strength = kratos (Greek))
Belong to the Father and to His Son**

1. Strength at the Announcement of the Virgin Birth
2. Strength in the Advancement of the Word of God
3. Strength in the Knowledge of His Power
4. Strength for Spiritual Warfare
5. Strength for a Worthy Walk
6. Strength to the Never Dying God
7. Strength at God's Glorification through Christ
8. Strength for the Problem of Suffering
9. Strength at the Position of the Church
10. Strength to the God Enthroned & to the Lamb Glorified
11. Strength over the Strength of the Devil

D. A _____ Belongs to the Father and Son

- "potential or resource to command, control, or govern, *capability, might, power ...*"
- "the right to control or command, *authority, absolute power, warrant ...*" (BDAG p. 352-3).

1. Jesus T _____ with Authority

→ **Matthew 7:29** for He taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes.

2. Jesus Has Authority to F _____ Sins

→ **Matthew 9:6** "But that you may know that the Son of Man has power on earth to forgive sins" – then He said to the paralytic, "Arise, take up your bed, and go to your house."

3. Jesus Has Authority over D _____

→ **Matthew 10:1** And when He had called His twelve disciples to *Him*, He gave them power over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal all kinds of sickness and all kinds of disease.

**4. Jesus Has Authority over the P _____ of the
Enemy**

→ **Luke 10:19** "Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

5. Jesus Has Authority to S _____ Disciple-Makers

→ **Matthew 28:18** And Jesus came and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth.

**6. Jesus Gives Believers Authority to B _____
God's Children**

→ **John 1:12** But as many as received Him, to them He gave the right to become children of God, to those who believe in His name:

7. Jesus Operated under the F_____ Authority

→ **John 19:10-11** Then Pilate said to Him, "Are You not speaking to me? Do You not know that I have power to crucify You, and power to release You?" **11** Jesus answered, "You could have no power at all against Me unless it had been given you from above. Therefore the one who delivered Me to you has the greater sin."

8. God the Father has Authority over T_____ and S_____

→ **Acts 1:7** And He said to them, "It is not for you to know times or seasons which the Father has put in His own authority."

9. Jesus Overcomes the Authority of S_____ in Blindness, Darkness, Guilt and Lostness

→ **Acts 26:18** 'to open their eyes, *in order* to turn *them* from darkness to light, and *from* the power of Satan to God, that they may receive forgiveness of sins and an inheritance among those who are sanctified by faith in Me.'

10. God Has T_____ Authority from the Domain of Darkness to the Kingdom of Love

→ **Colossians 1:13** He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed *us* into the kingdom of the Son of His love,

11. Jesus Has Authority over E_____ Authority

→ **1 Peter 3:22** who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, angels and authorities and powers having been made subject to Him.

12. Jesus Has Authority over the Accuser of the

Brethren

→ **Revelation 12:10** Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, "Now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren, who accused them before our God day and night, has been cast down.

7. He Is I_____ in His Desert of Praise

A. B_____ All Time

1. Even before Creation, He Deserved Praise

2. Before every age of Human Civilization, He Was Praiseworthy!

B. In the P_____

*** Now, He Deserves Our Praise**

C. Into the F_____

1. Into the Ages of Eternity, He Will Be Praised

2. His glory shown in the past and present will be known into the Future

APPLICATION: