

Seated at the Right Hand of God

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"The LORD said unto my Lord, 'Sit at My Right Hand, until I make Your enemies Your footstool.'"
(Psalm 110:1)

"And as soon as it was day, the elders of the people and the chief priests and the scribes came together, and led Him (Jesus) into their council, saying, 'Are You the Christ? tell us.' And He said unto them, 'If I tell you, you will not believe; and if I also ask you, you will not answer Me, nor let Me go. But Hereafter the Son of Man shall be Seated on the Right Hand of the Power of God.' Then they all said, 'Are thou then the Son of God? And He said unto them, 'You say that I am.' And they said, 'What need do we have for any further witness? For we ourselves have heard from His own mouth.' " (Luke 22:66-71)

"Every priest stands daily ministering and offering over and over the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins. But this Man (Jesus), after He had offered One Sacrifice for sins forever, sat down on the right hand of God; and henceforth looking-forward until His enemies are made a footstool for His feet. For by one offering He has perfected forever those who are sanctified." (Hebrews 10:7-12-14)

Other similar verse excerpts:

- "...and is at the Right Hand of God."(1 Peter 3:18-22)
- "...and has sat down at the Right Hand of the Throne of God."(Hebrews 12:1-2)
- "...is seated at the Right Hand of the Throne of the Majesty..." (Heb. 8:1-2)
- "...sat down at the Right Rand of the Majesty On High." (Hebrews 1:1-5)
- "Sit at My Right Hand until I make your enemies a footstool ..." (Heb 1:13)"
- "...where Christ sits at the Right Hand of God." (Colossians 3:1-4)
- "...and set Him at His own Right Rand in the heavenly places." (Ephesians 1:16-23)
- "...who is even at the Right Rand of God, and intercedes for us. (Romans 8:31-39)
- "Therefore being by the Right Hand of God Exalted..." (Acts 2:29-36)
- "...and sat at the Right Hand of God." (Mark 16:15-20)
- "Hereafter shall you see the Son of Man sitting at the Right Hand of Power, and coming in the clouds of heaven." (Matthew 26:63-64)
- "And you shall see the Son of Man sitting at the Right Hand of Power, and coming in the clouds of heaven." (Mark 14:60-62)

Word Study:

Sit, Sat, Seated: from the Hebrew word **seb** which means: stay, settle, sit; from **yashab**: to sit, remain, dwell. Also from the Greek word **ekathisen** (from **kathizó**) which means: to make to sit down, to sit down; to be seated.

At-my-right-hand: Hebrew: **limini**, from **yamin** which means right-hand, right-side.

At: from the Greek word **en** which means: in, on, at, by, with, among, – properly, **in** (inside, within); (figuratively) "in the realm (sphere) of," In Context, seated **at. In, within** the the sphere and power of the Right Hand of God.

Right-hand: from the Greek word: **dexia** (dexios) which means: right-hand, right-side, (right as opposed to left).

God: from the Greek word: **Theou (theos)** which means: "God Almighty; the Supreme Being who created and owns, and sustains all things; our Father in heaven!"

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Power: From the greek word ***dynameos*** meaning: physical power, force, might, ability, efficacy, energy, meaning. plural: powerful deeds, deeds showing (physical) power, marvelous works. In context, the Position of authoritative Power at the Father's Right-hand.

The position of Christ Jesus at the Right-hand of God the Father was bestowed upon the Father's Beloved Son after Jesus accomplished His acts of obedience to the Father:

"For Christ also has suffered once for sins, **the Just for the unjust, so that He might bring us to God, being put to death in the flesh, but made alive by the Spirit;** by which also He went and preached unto the spirits in prison; who once were disobedient, when once the long-suffering of God waited in the days of Noah, while the ark was being prepared, in which a few, that is, eight souls were saved by water. And this corresponds to baptism which now saves us; but not the putting away of the deeds of the flesh, but the answer of a good conscience toward God, **by the resurrection of Jesus Christ; who has gone into heaven, and is at the right hand of God;** with angels and authorities and powers being made subject unto Him." (1 Peter 3:18-22)

"Therefore, seeing we also are encompassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily besets us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus **the Author and Finisher of Our Faith;** who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, **and has sat down at the Right hand of the Throne of God.**" (Hebrews 12:1-2)

Jesus is now at the Right-hand of the Father, and has received from the Father glory and honor, and power, and might, and dominion, and much more! Consider these scripture passages"

"God, who at various times and in different manners spoke in time past unto the fathers by the prophets, has in these last days spoken unto us **through His Son**, whom He has appointed **Heir of All Things**, through whom also He made the worlds; and who being **the Brightness of His Glory, and the Exact Image of His Person**, and upholding all things by the Word of His Power, when He had by Himself purged our sins, **sat down at the Right-hand of the Majesty on high;** Being **made so much better than the angels,** as **He has by inheritance obtained a more excellent name than they.** For unto which of the angels has He said at any time, "**You are My Son, this day have I begotten You?**" And again, I will be to Him a Father, and He shall be to Me a Son! And unto the Son He says, "**Your throne, O God, is for ever and ever; a Scepter of Righteousness is the scepter of Your Kingdom.** ... And to which of the angels has He said at any time, **'Sit on My Right-hand, until I make Your enemies Your footstool?'**" (Hebrews 1:1-5, 8,13)

"I ..., Cease not to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers; that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of Glory, may give unto you the spirit of wisdom and revelation in the knowledge of Him; the eyes of your understanding being enlightened; that you may know what is the hope of His calling, **and what are the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints,** and what is **the exceeding greatness of His power towards us who believe,** according to the working of **His mighty power,** which He accomplished in Christ, when He raised Him from the dead, **and set Him at His own Right-hand in the heavenly places,** Far above all principality, and power, and might, and dominion, and every name that is named, not only in this world, but also in that which is to come! And **has put all things under His feet,** and **gave Him to be the head over all things to the Church,** Which is His Body, the fulness of Him who fills all in all." (Ephesians 1:16-23)

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Seated at the Right Hand of God: This is a positional attribute of Jesus the Christ. His position is that of King of Kings seated at the Right Hand of the throne of the Power and Majesty of God Most High - the Father in Heaven:

"Men and brethren, let me freely speak unto you of the patriarch David, that he is both dead and buried, and his sepulcher is with us unto this day. Therefore being a prophet, and knowing that God had sworn with an oath to him, that of the fruit of his loins, according to the flesh, he would raise up Christ to sit on his throne; He seeing this beforehand spoke of the Resurrection of Christ, that His soul was not left in hell, nor did His flesh did see corruption. This Jesus has God raised up, of which we all are witnesses. **Therefore being at the Right-hand of God Exalted**, and having received of the Father the promise of the Holy Spirit, He has shown forth this, which you now see and hear. For David did not ascend into the heavens; but he himself said, 'The LORD said unto my Lord, **Sit at My Right-hand**, until I make Your enemies Your footstool! Therefore let all the house of Israel know assuredly, that **God has made that same Jesus**, whom you have crucified, **both Lord and Christ!**" (Peter speaking in Acts 2:29-36)

Christ's position at the Right-hand of God the Father includes that of being an Intercessor and Advocate for true believers in Christ Himself. Consider these verses:

"What shall we then say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who spared not His own Son, **but delivered Him up for us all**, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? Who shall lay any thing to the charge of God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is he who condemns? It is Christ who died, yes rather, who has risen again, **who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us!** Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written, *'For Your sake we are killed all the day long; we are accounted as sheep for the slaughter.'* No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. For I am persuaded, that neither death, nor life, nor angels, nor principalities, nor powers, nor things present, nor things to come, Nor height, nor depth, nor any other creature, **shall be able to separate us from the love of God, which is in Christ Jesus our Lord!**" (Romans 8:31-39)

"Now of the things which we have spoken this is the sum: We have such a high priest, **who is seated at the Right-hand of the Throne of the Majesty in the heavens; a Minister of the Sanctuary**, and of the True Tabernacle, which the Lord pitched, and not man." (Hebrews 8:1-2)

"If you then are risen with Christ, then seek those things which are above, **where Christ is seated at the right hand of God**. Set your affection on things above, not on things on the earth. For you are dead, and **your life is hid with Christ in God**. When Christ, Who is our life, shall appear, then you shall also appear with Him in Glory!" (Colossians 3:1-4)

"My little children, these things I write unto you, so that you may not sin; and if anyone sins, we have **an Advocate with the Father**, (in heaven) **Jesus Christ the Righteous**; and **He is the propitiation for our sins**; and not for our's only, but also for the sins of the whole world." (1 John 2:1-2)

Before Jesus ascended to the Right Hand of the father He had some final words and exhortations to share with His disciples. On the next page is a blending, or a 'harmony' of some of these last words taken from the following references:

(Matthew 28:16-20[Mark 16:15-19; Luke 24:50-52; Acts 1:1-11)

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"Then the eleven disciples went away into Galilee, to a mountain where Jesus had appointed for them. And when they saw Him, they worshipped Him; but some disciples still doubted. And Jesus spoke to them, saying, "**All power is given unto Me in heaven and in earth. Go you therefore into all the world, and preach the Goodnews to the whole creation, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. He who believes and is baptized shall be saved; but he who does not believe shall be damned.**

And these signs shall follow those who believe; in My name they shall cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; they shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover. Teach them to observe all the things that I have commanded you; and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen."

So then after the Lord Jesus had spoken to them, He led them out until they had arrived near Bethany; and, being assembled together with them, He commanded them that they should not depart from Jerusalem, but wait for the promise of the Father, which, He had said, "You have heard of Me. For John truly baptized with water; but you shall be baptized with the Holy Spirit not many days from now." When therefore, they had come together, they asked of Jesus, saying, "Lord, will You at this time restore again the Kingdom to Israel?" And He said to them, "It is not for you to know the times or the seasons, which the Father has put in His own power. But you shall receive power after the Holy Spirit has come upon you; and you shall be witnesses for Me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost parts of the earth.

And when Jesus had spoken these things, and while they watched, He lifted up His hands and blessed them; and it came to pass, while He blessed them He parted from them and was taken up; and a cloud received Him out of their sight; and He was received up into heaven, and sat down on the right hand of God. And while they looked steadfastly toward heaven as He went up, behold, two men stood by them in white clothing; who also said, "You men of Galilee, why are you standing there staring up into heaven? This same Jesus, who has been taken up from you into heaven, shall come again in the same way as you have seen Him go up into heaven."

Finally consider this amazing vision of Jesus, that the disciple Stephen saw:

But he (Stephen), being full of the Holy Spirit, looked up steadfastly into heaven, **and saw the glory of God, and Jesus standing on the Right-hand of God,** And he said, '**Behold, I see the heavens opened, and the Son of Man standing on the Right-hand of God.**' " (Acts 7:55-56)

Jesus stood up for Stephen, His first disciple to die in His Name !!!

Jesus is Seated at the Right Hand of the Throne of the Power and Majesty of God

**All power and dominion has been given to Jesus in heaven and on earth!
Jesus is our Advocate and Intercessor before the Father in heaven!
Jesus with us always, even unto the end of the world. Amen!
The Father has put all things under feet of Jesus!**

**Lord Jesus I look to You to intercede on my behalf before the Father!
I look to You to be my Advocate!
Always and Always – Thank You Lord Jesus!
Amen and Amen !!**