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A thriving church

Chapter 5 of 2 Chronicles

Chapter 5 of the Book of Chronicles focuses on the pomp and circumstance that took place when King Solomon was consecrated during the dedication of the temple in Jerusalem. Here is a detailed summary of the chapter:

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This chapter then gives a detailed account of the pomp and circumstance of the temple dedication. When the Ark of the Covenant was placed in the temple, the temple was so filled with clouds that the priests could no longer serve. This symbolizes that the glory of God fills the entire temple. At the same time, King Solomon addressed all Israel, blessing them and thanking God. 5:13 And the trumpeters and the singers spoke in unison, and their voices were one, praising and thanking the Lord. Trumpets, cymbals, and musical instruments raise their voices to praise Jehovah, saying: "Jehovah is good, and his mercy endures forever." "Then the house of the Lord was filled with a cloud, so that the priests could not stand and serve, because the glory of the Lord filled the house of God.

The only condition for the glory of Jehovah to fill the house of God is for the whole congregation to be united in praising Jehovah. Whether a church thrives or not is evident from the hymn worship and the prayers that are interspersed with the hymn worship. A church with miracles, a church with God's presence, a church with God's blessings, the hearts of the congregation must be on fire, and the whole congregation will sing with a loud voice during worship! When praying, the whole congregation often cries out in unison, Amen. Hallelujah! The personal praise and presentation of believers is certainly acceptable to God; But God values unity of worship and ministry more than not, and is more pleased that we are "one body in Christ, fellowship as members" (Romans 12:5). A church without miracles, a church without God's presence, a church without God's blessing, the heart of the congregation must be calm, only the choir sings during worship, and the congregation stands indifferently thinking of its own thoughts; When praying, the prayer of the lead prayer is empty and weak, and the congregation hears in the left ear and the right ear comes out. It is the glory of Jehovah that glorifies the temple, not the building built by man. No matter how tall and splendid the temple may be, if God does not dwell in it, it is nothing more than a building. No matter how prosperous the church is, if Christ is going to stand outside the door and knock, the church is nothing more than a community of men. What is even more dangerous is that the absence of a temple of God and the church without Christ sometimes give people a false sense of security, and make people unconsciously drift away from God in self-deception. Jeremiah the prophet cried out: "Do not trust in false words, saying, 'These are the temples of the LORD, the houses of the LORD, the houses of the LORD!' (Jeremiah 7:4).

When we worship with one heart, we bring down the presence of God, so neither the priests nor the Levites should be left behind. We need to be punctual in worship and worship together. Everyone should enter the temple with the presence of God, when the glory of God is full, the ministry is not the most important, no one can serve in the glory of God, just be in place and do your best, the most important thing is that God's unity and our worship and love for Him. Next, the chapter describes the number and kinds of sacrifices that King Solomon offered for temple dedication. These sacrifices included cows, sheep, and other animals, as well as a variety of fine flour and oil. These sacrifices symbolize people's awe and gratitude for God.

Finally, this chapter describes Jehovah's appearance to Solomon. God addressed King Solomon, praised the temple he had built, and assured him of God's blessings and mercy.

In conclusion, this chapter describes the pomp and circumstance that took place at the time of King Solomon's dedication of the temple in Jerusalem. These pomp and circumstance reflect the close connection between God and the Israelites, as well as King Solomon's fear and gratitude for God."

Let's pray together

Dear Heavenly Father,

We come to You and humbly ask for Your guidance and blessings. We aspire to build a thriving church that will glorify Your name and be a beacon to this community. Give us the wisdom and strength to work together to build a loving and caring home of faith.

Lord, help us to overcome any challenges and difficulties so that our church can grow and prosper. Give us a united heart to support each other and move forward hand in hand. May our worship and ministry touch hearts so that more people can come to know and come to You.

Lord Jesus, we also pray that Your Holy Spirit will move among us to bring revival and renewal. So that every member can find strength and peace in You, and actively participate in the work of the church to work together for Your kingdom. May our churches be witnesses of Your love so that people can experience Your true presence and grace here.

Thank you for hearing our prayers and asking in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ, amen.

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5:1 When Solomon had finished all the work of the temple of Yahwa, he brought his father, the great guard, the gold, silver, and the vessels, and put them in the treasury of the temple.

5:2 At that time, Solomon gathered together the elders of Israel, the heads of the tribes, and the patriarchs of Israel, to Jerusalem to bring the ark of the covenant of Jehohua from the Acropolis to Zion.

5:3 So all the Israelites were gathered together to the king before the feast of July.

5:4 When the Israelite elders came, the Levites lifted up the ark of the covenant.

5:5 The priests and Levites brought up the ark of the covenant and brought the tabernacle and all the holy vessels of the tabernacle.

5:6 King Solomon and all the Israeli-Leel congregation gathered together to him sacrificed sheep and oxen before the ark of the covenant, and the number was too great to count.

5:7 The priests carried the ark of the covenant of Jehohua into the inner sanctuary, which is the Holy of Holies and placed it under the wings of the two cherubim.

5:8 The cherubim spread his wings over the ark of the covenant, covering the ark and the poles that carried it.

5:9 It was so long that it could be seen before the inner sanctum, but not outside the temple, until it is still there.

5:10 There are only two tablets of stone in the ark of the covenant, which Moses placed on Mount Horeb when Jehovah made a covenant with them after the Israelites had left Egypt. Nothing else.

5:11 At that time, all the priests there were self-sanctified and did not work in shifts.

5:12 And when they came out of the sanctuary, the singing Levites Asaph, and Heman, and Jedudon, and all their sons and brethren, clothed in fine linen, stood on the east side of the altar, and struck cymbals and tambods, They played the harp, and with them a hundred and twenty priests sounded the trumpets.

5:13 the trumpeters and the singers all sang in unison , and the voices were united , praising the beauty and gratitude of Xie Ye and Hua . Blowing trumpets, striking cymbals, and using all kinds of musical instruments, he lifted up his voice to praise Yahweh, who is good and his mercy endures forever. Then the house of Yahweh was filled with clouds,

5:14 Even the priests could not stand and minister, because the glory of Jehovah filled the house of God.

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Chapter 5 goes on to describe King Solomon's process of building the temple, and here are some of the important passages:

1. "They brought the ark of the covenant of the Lord into the inner sanctuary and put it under the wings of the two cherubim." (2 Chronicles 5:7)- This verse describes the priest carrying the ark of the covenant of Yahweh into the inner sanctum of the temple and placing it under the wings of two cherubim (statues of angels).
2. Then the singers and the crowd praised Jehovah with their voices, using trumpets, cymbals and other musical instruments, and lifted up their voices to praise Jehovah, saying: "Jehovah is good, and his mercy endures forever." (2 Chronicles 5:13)- This verse describes when the glory of Yahweh filled the temple, the singers and the crowd began to praise the voice of God and the sound of musical instruments.
3. "Then fire came down from the presence of the LORD and consumed the burnt offering and other sacrifices. The glory of the Lord fills the temple. (2 Chronicles 5:14)- This verse describes the scene where the glory of the Lord fills the temple and fire comes down from the presence of God and consumes the burnt offerings and other offerings.
4. "King Solomon, and all the congregation of Israel that was gathered to him, sacrificed sheep and oxen before the ark of the covenant too numerous to be numbered." (2 Chronicles 5:6) - This verse describes King Solomon and the entire congregation of Israel offering many sheep and oxen as sacrifices before the ark of the covenant of the Lord.
5. "Then the priest brought the ark of the covenant of the Lord into the inner sanctuary, the Holy of Holies, and placed it under the wings of the two cherubim." (2 Chronicles 5:7)- This verse again describes the priest carrying the ark of the covenant of the Lord into the inner sanctuary of the temple and placing it under the wings of the two cherubim.

All the singers spoke with one voice, praising and blessing Jehovah. Their voices, with their trumpets and cymbals, and with their drums, harps, and music, were in harmony with their praises to Jehovah, saying: "His mercy endureth for ever." (2 Chronicles 5:13)- This verse again describes the singer and the crowd praising God as Yahweh filled the temple with glory

Chapter 5 of 2 Chronicles continues the genealogy of Israel's history, especially the descendants of the tribes of Israel. This chapter focuses primarily on the descendants of the tribe of Reuben, the tribe of Gad, and the half-tribe of Manasseh, and emphasizes their historical position and victories in war.

Although this chapter is primarily about the family and descendants, it contains some theological ideas and gains.

The following are the theological central ideas and theological findings that can be found in Chapter 5 of the Second Chronicles:

God's Protection and Help: In chapter 5, the descendants of the tribe of Reuben, the tribe of Gad, and the half-tribe of Manasseh are mentioned in their victories in the war against their enemies. This underscores God's protection and help for His people. God was with them when they faced danger and enemies, giving them victory.

God's Promises and Promises: The genealogical record shows that God's promise to Abraham's descendants was fulfilled. The descendants of these three tribes received God's help and protection and inherited the land that God had given them. This shows God's promise and faithfulness to His people.

Faithfulness and Faith: Although chapter 5 does not specifically emphasize the faith of individual characters, we can see the importance of faithfulness and faith among God's people in the context of the book throughout the book of 2 Chronicles. They relied on God, kept His commandments, and trusted His promises.

The importance of the family: The genealogical record emphasizes the importance of the family in the history of Israel. Family inheritance and the continuation of future generations are important links in the fulfillment of God's promises.

Overall, chapter 5 of the Book of Chronicles is primarily a record of family and descendants, including God's protection and help, promises and promises to His people, and the importance of loyalty and faith. Through these accounts, we can gain a deeper understanding of God's care and care for His people throughout history, as well as the importance of man's faith and reliance on God. At the same time, we see that the family played an important role in Israel's history and God's plan.