

**YOUR ANOINTING**  
**ELEVATE LIFE SERIES, PART 8**

- 1. THERE IS A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN CALLING, GIFTING, AND ANOINTING.**
  
- 2. YOU CAN HAVE AN ANOINTING ON EITHER SPIRITUAL OR “SECULAR” GIFTS OR ENDEAVORS.**
  
- 3. EVERY BELIEVER HAS AN ANOINTING, OR AT LEAST THE ROOM FOR IT IN THEIR LIVES.**
  
- 4. THE ANOINTING IS NOT A THING TO BE POSSESSED**

**5. THE ANOINTING CAN BE LOST**

But the Spirit of the LORD departed from Saul, and a distressing spirit from the LORD troubled him. **1 Samuel 16:14 (NKJV)**

When she cried out, 'The Philistines are attacking you, Samson!' he woke from his sleep and told himself, 'I'll go out like I did at other times like this and shake myself free.' But he didn't know that the LORD had abandoned him. **Judges 16:20 (NIV)**

You were the anointed cherub who covers; I established you; You were on the holy mountain of God; You walked back and forth in the midst of fiery stones. You were perfect in your ways from the day you were created, till iniquity was found in you. **Ezekiel 28:14, 15 (NKJV)**

**6. THE ANOINTING CAN “FADE” OR “DIMINISH” AND NEEDS TO BE RENEWED**

And I am weak today, though anointed king... **2 Samuel 3:39 (NKJV)**

And do not get drunk with wine, for that is debauchery, but be filled with the Spirit... **Ephesians 5:18 (NIV)**

Great multitudes came together to hear, and to be healed by him of their infirmities. So he himself *often* withdrew into the wilderness and prayed. **Luke 5:15, 16 (NKJV)**

## 7. HOW DOES THE ANOINTING GROW IN A PERSON'S LIFE?

- **QUALITY OF THE SOIL**

As for what was sown on good soil... he indeed bears fruit and yields, in one case a hundredfold, in another sixty, and in another thirty."  
**Matthew 13:23 (NIV)**

- **THE RIPENESS OF THE OLIVES**

Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. **Matthew 5:6 (BSB)**

- **TREATMENT OF THE OLIVES BETWEEN PICKING AND PROCESSING**

And do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God, by whom you were sealed for the day of redemption. **Ephesians 4:30 (NIV)**

- **THE EXTRACTION PROCESS**

But the path of the righteous is like the light of dawn, which shines brighter and brighter until full day. **Proverbs 4:18 (ESV)**

Yet it was the LORD's will to **crush** him and cause him to suffer... **Isaiah 53:10 (NIV)**

My brethren, count it all joy when you fall into various trials, knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience. But let patience have *its* perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing. **James 1:2-4 (NKJV)**

- **THE HOLY SPIRIT IS THE SOURCE OF THE ANOINTING**

And you will seek me and find me when you search for me with all your heart... **Jeremiah 29:13, 14 (NKJV)**