

## SESSION 1

# Foundations of the Anointing

## What is the anointing?

In both Hebrew and Aramaic, the verb “to anoint” means to rub on, pour on, smear, or saturate.

**The anointing is the working and power of the Holy Spirit through an individual.**

## Christ is the Anointed One

**Christ means the “anointed one.”**

 Acts 10:37-38

You know the events that took place throughout all Judea, beginning from Galilee after the baptism that John preached: how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, and how he went about doing good and healing all who were under the tyranny of the devil, because God was with him.

If Jesus is the example - we need the same anointing He had from the Holy Spirit.

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# Why We Need the Anointing

## **The anointing breaks the yoke.**

You are called to walk free from bondage and set other people free. Your gifts will not break yokes, only the anointing.

✚ Isaiah 10:27

In that day his burden shall be taken away from off your shoulder, and his yoke from off your neck; and the yoke shall be destroyed because of the anointing oil.

## **The anointing consecrates to God.**

God wants you to be holy like He is holy. The fruit of the Holy Spirit is produced in your life when you are set apart for God.

✚ Exodus 30:30

Anoint Aaron and his sons and consecrate them to serve me as priests.

## **The anointing sets apart for service.**

You have been given the job of bringing the reality of Heaven into your own life and the people you do life with on a daily basis.

✚ Luke 4:18-19

The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set free the oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favor.

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# Anointed without Measure

The oil is all-encompassing – reaching every part of your body.

✚ Psalm 133:2

It is like fine oil on the head, running down on the beard, running down Aaron's beard onto his robes.

God wants you full of the Holy Spirit in every area of your life, not only the “religious or churchy” things.

✚ John 3:34

For the one whom God sent speaks God's words, since he gives the Spirit without measure.

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