

HOW TO ATTAIN THE SEAT OF POWER

Proverbs 16:12

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Anyone who conducts business wants to sit in the seat of power. The seat of power is not a title. It is a position of **LEVERAGE**. The person who has the leverage while conducting business is in the seat of power.

People lie, cheat, steal and do corrupt deeds to attain a seat of power. In the world's system these actions work. However, it is only for a season. People can attain power through wicked works but it will not last.

If you want to attain long term power in your business affairs there is only one way to do it. The **LONG TERM** seat of power is attained by **RIGHTEOUSNESS**. By living righteously God will position you to sit in the seat of power.

Proverbs 16:12 says, "It is an abomination to kings to commit wickedness: for the throne is established by righteousness."

The throne is established by righteousness. A throne is symbolic of a seat of power and authority. It is the source of where decisions are made. Godly people who sit in positions of power **DO NOT** chase power. They chase righteousness.

SINNERS CHASE POWER.

KINGDOM CITIZENS CHASE RIGHTEOUSNESS.

BEING ESTABLISHED

When you are walking in righteousness the Lord will **INSTALL** or **SETTLE** you into a position of power. This is not something you can achieve in your own strength. Power is an **INCENTIVE** for being righteous!

There are many ways in which to attain a seat of power in business. Listed below are a few ways in which this happens.

1. If you have **LEVERAGE** in a business deal you are sitting in a seat of power.
2. If you have **KNOWLEDGE** that the other party does not have you are sitting in a seat of power.
3. If you have more **INFLUENCE** than the other business party you are sitting in a seat of power.
4. If you have **INFORMATION** that gives you an advantage in a business deal you are sitting in a seat of power.

Highlighting the initial point, a seat of power is not a title. It is **LEVERAGE!** If you know or have something that someone else needs or desires you have leverage.

RIGHTEOUSNESS PROVIDES LEVERAGE

Mathew 6:33 says, "But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and his righteousness; and all these things shall be added unto you." Seeking the Kingdom of God and its righteousness will provide **ALL** things unto you.

Think about it. What is the most important thing you need in business to thrive? **LEVERAGE!** Without leverage you cannot profit, get hired or promoted.

People become customers to a business because that business has a product that is needed. People become employed because that company needs help in providing their service. People get promoted because that company needs a person who has a certain skill to do advanced work.

When God gives you leverage He has installed you into a position of power. As you develop yourself in righteousness there is no limit to how far you can go. As

you walk in righteousness, **POWER WILL CHASE YOU**. If you prioritize what you are seeking, what you are seeking will find you.

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