



Rock Church
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The New Normal - The Kingdom
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Monthly Discipleship Focus for January
Desperately seeks face-to-face intimacy with You

On Sunday, Pastor Miles began a 4-week series which looks at our standards of normal amidst the uncertainty of Covid culture from God's perspective. In Part 1, Pastor Miles challenges you to allow God's kingdom authority to be the new normal of your life.

Read the statements and scripture references, then answer the questions that follow:

1. The kingdom normal is God's spiritual AUTHORITY (Luke 19:12, Matthew 6:9-10)
 - We are easily distracted by the news, social media, politics, and more. What battles are you fighting that you know are wrong?
2. The kingdom normal is not of this WORLD (John 18:36)
 - Authority doesn't come from the government, your job, or your money, but from God. Share one way that you are going to trust God more this year and beyond.
3. The kingdom normal is now and in the FUTURE (Mark 4:30-32, Matthew 6:33)
 - When you receive the spirit and authority of God, a seed is planted in your heart which has unlimited potential. Name something you're doing that helps you live your best life.
4. The kingdom normal must be RECEIVED (Mark 10:14-15, Ephesians 2:8-9)
 - Religious people force their way into the lives of others. How can you ensure you are having a positive kingdom impact on those around you?

This Month's Memory Verse

"Draw near to God and He will draw near to you. Cleanse your hands, you sinners; and purify your hearts, you double-minded." ~James 4:8 NKJV

This Week's Bible Readings & Bible Project Videos

Proverbs 1-2: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/proverbs/>

Genesis 25-44: <https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/genesis-12-50/>

Next Steps

Text RSOM to 52525 to learn more about the GROUPS SEMINAR this Saturday 1/15

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