

Twin Visions—God Calls the Marketplace and Government Clean
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Bruce Cook: During worship I saw a vision of a sheet coming down out of heaven, kind of like the Apostle Peter did in Acts Chapter 10, and on this sheet there were cities. Instead of beasts and creeping things and fowls, there were cities. And I saw buildings. I saw a castle because it had turrets on the top of the building. And I saw government buildings. I saw the Coliseum in Rome and the Parthenon in Greece. I was seeing pictures of government buildings, Parliaments, Legislature buildings and banks and offices. And it was different cities from around the world. The Lord said I am inviting you to partake of my rule. I am inviting you to partake of my government on earth.

Mark Henderson: I just saw the Lord in a similar vision throw out a cloth over a table. And I'm seeing skyscrapers. I'm seeing cities represented on the table. I'm seeing a skyscraper—like a huge tall building and I can just sense that commerce, finances are represented. And I'm seeing where a king would live—a palace. I'm seeing palaces, government buildings. So we want to partake in all that you have for us around the globe, o Lord, because we know that the kingdoms of this earth have been given to King Jesus, the King of all Kings and the Lord of all Lords. And we are your ambassadors. We are ambassadors of Christ. And you have said that we will rule and reign with you in your awesome kingdom, o God.

Bruce Cook: And the Holy Spirit says that another meaning of these visions is that they are for the church, they are visions for the body of Christ at large, because the Holy Spirit is saying that the purpose of the vision that He gave Peter was to show what was clean and what was unclean. And the Lord says that the marketplace is clean. The Lord says that government—it's a clean place for Christians to work. It's a clean place for Christians to pray—in business and commerce. The Lord says I call it clean. And I don't care what any religion says or any preacher says or what anyone writes about business. The Lord says I created them and they belong to me and I call them clean. And the Lord says no longer shall there be a separation between the church and the marketplace.

Note: these visions occurred during worship at the Sunday morning service of Glory House Christian Center, Austin, Texas on 8-19-07. <http://www.gloryhouse.net> Mark Henderson is the Pastor and an ordained Apostle. Dr. Bruce Cook is an elder at Glory House and is ordained as a Prophet and Apostle. Dr. Cook is the Director of Glory Realm Ministries <http://www.gloryrealm.net>. and is a frequent conference speaker and minister. Dr. Cook is also the co-founder and Managing General Partner of Kingdom Venture Partners, LP <http://www.kingdomventures.com>