# Built Upon The Rock Keys to Bind and Loose

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## **Intro and Opening**

- Greetings
- Prayer
- Announcements

## **Built Upon The Rock Main Scripture**

- Matthew 16:13 - 20

# **Spiritual vs Natural**

- What does it mean to be Spiritual?
- What does it mean to be Earthly?
- 1 Corinthians 2:4 5
- 1 Corinthians 2:13 14
- What do you think about the perception of spirituality of Christians outside the church?
  - What do you think others think that Christians do inside the Church?

### **Keys To Bind and Loose**

- Exam Matthew 16:19
- What is Jesus saying here?
- What is the purpose of keys? Unfortunately the word key means a lot of different things.
  - See definitions: merriam-webster.com
  - a usually metal instrument by which the bolt of a lock is turned
  - a means of gaining or preventing entrance, possession, or control
  - something that gives an explanation or identification or provides a solution
- What needs to be bound and what needs to be loosed?
- Is this some sort of philosophical metaphor? No...
- We are going to exam this

## Heaven and Earth in prayer

- Matthew 6:5 14
- Themes Model Prayer
  - Heaven and Earth
  - God's will
  - Forgiveness
  - Temptation

### **Together in Agreement**

- Matthew 18:15 20
- Agreement is powerful
- One reason Relationships are so important to God. Especially Marriage.

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## **Keys Access To Authority**

- Matthew 28:16 20
- Mark 16:14 18

## **Open The Window of Heaven**

- The keys opens the window of Heaven
- Malachi 3:10 12

# God Had Given Authority To His Prophets (Elijah)

- Elijah was great prophet
- 1 Kings 17:1, 1 Kings 18:41 46
- 1 Kings 18:30 40 ( Fire on the Altar )
- Joel 2:28 Pour His Spirit on All Flesh

## **Prayer To Escape From Prison**

- Together in prayer by the keys
- Acts 12:5 15
- Would people believe this today?

## **Bind the Strong Man**

- Matthew 12:22 30
- Luke 9:1 2
- Luke 10:17 20
- Sons of Sceva Acts 19:11 20 (No Authority)

# **Ask Anything In His Name**

- Mark 11:20 24
- 1 John 5:14-15
- John 14:12 14
- Ref. Matthew 18:18 20