

# “LORD, LORD!”



When she cried, “Lord, Lord!” he lifted her out of her desolation.

When he shouted, “Lord, Lord!” his praises rose up to heaven.

This man cried, “Lord, Lord!” as he stood at the gates of Paradise.

But nothing happened.

The gates remained shut.

Whenever we say, “Lord, Lord!”....

Whenever we call on Jesus’ name....

**.... He searches our hearts to see what we mean.**

***As he drew near to Jericho, a blind man was sitting by the roadside begging; and hearing a multitude going by, he inquired what this meant. They told him, "Jesus of Nazareth is passing by." And he cried, "Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!" (Luke 18)***

It was a cry of faith.

Jesus opened his eyes!

***And his disciples came and begged him, saying, "Send her away, for she is crying after us." He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." But she came and knelt before him, saying, "Lord, help me." (Matthew 15)***



She was a Gentile.

But Jesus was her Lord.

Her daughter was healed.

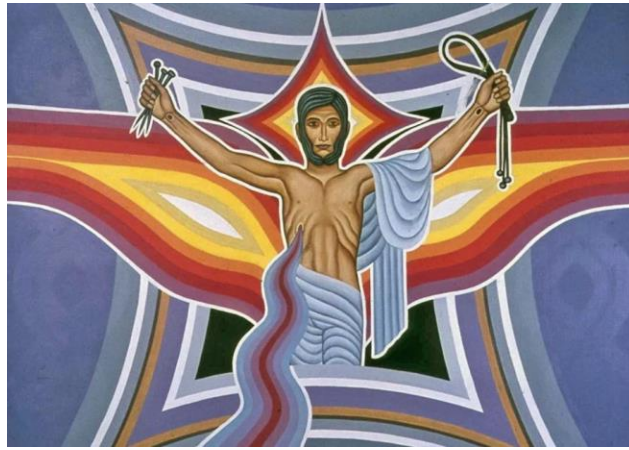
**When we call him “Lord”, we need to remember who we’re talking to.**

The Lord’s name is not a ticket to Paradise.

The Lord’s name does not bring an automatic answer to prayer.

**The Lord’s name is as holy as his shed blood.**

**The Lord’s name is a consuming fire.**



**“Not every one who says to me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ shall enter the kingdom of heaven, but he who does the will of my Father who is in heaven. On that day many will say to me, ‘Lord, Lord, did we not prophesy in your name, and cast out demons in your name, and do many mighty works in your name?’ And then will I declare to them, ‘I never knew you; depart from me, you evildoers.’” (Matthew 7)**

*Prayer: Lord, as we call to you...help us not to take your name lightly. Help us not to use you as a means to get what we want, or to use your name as a magic formula to tack on the end of our prayers to make them official and effective. Lord, give us hearts in which our cries for you are authentic. When we cry Lord, Lord may it be because we are calling you into situations in which we are powerless, in which only your hand, only your mercy will bring healing and light. In which we unite our hearts with yours as we cry out in need. In which you know us and we know you. In which we are bowed before your holiness, your omnipotence, your mercy, your perfection, your will, and your goodness. Amen.*

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