

STUDY GUIDE

Recognizing Your Mantle: The Key That Unlocks Your Divine Assignment

"He also took up the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him, and went back and stood by the bank of the Jordan. Then he took the mantle of Elijah that had fallen from him and struck the water and said, 'Where is the LORD God of Elijah?' And when he also had struck the water, it was divided this way and that; and Elisha crossed over." (2 Kings 2:13–14)

I. Introduction to Mantles

- A. We all want to fulfill our divine assignment, and mantles are an important key.
- B. What a mantle is NOT: A Mantle is different than an impartation, an anointing, or a spiritual gift.
- C. Illustrations of a mantle functioning.

II. Five Foundational Principles to Understand Mantles

- A. There is only one vision for mankind. (Genesis 12:3; Galatians 3:8,17; Deuteronomy 8:18; Matthew 28:18–20; Acts 3:25; Ephesians 2:22)
- B. Your assignment is your unique role in God's vision.
- C. Every assignment has a corresponding seat of authority.
- D. Every seat of authority is accompanied by a mantle.
- E. In the absence of God's vision, demonic vision prevails.

III. What a Mantle Is

- A. A mantle is a spiritual uniform.
- B. How to recognize a mantle. (Luke 4:31–33; Mark 1:21–24; 2 Kings 2:15; Isaiah 61:1–2)

IV. The Primary Purpose of Mantles

- A. Personal authority vs. corporate authority. (Ephesians 1:19–21 and 2:4–7)
- B. Making room for God's sovereignty in your assignment. (Isaiah 45:1–6)

V. Demonic Mantles and Corporate Opposition

- A. In the absence of God's vision, demonic vision prevails.
- B. What is corporate opposition, and why does it occur?
- C. How vision infiltrates our culture. (1 Timothy 4:1; 2 Corinthians 4:4; Ephesians 6:10–12)

VI. Kairos Moments and Mantles

- A. It's a prophetic season to understand mantles.
- B. Stop chasing other people's mantles and discover your own.