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Everything that God does or created is by his spoken word, the worlds were created by his word.

Let me go back to the beginning and set the ground work, just be patient with me.

Genesis 1:1 In the beginning God created the heaven and the earth.

Genesis 1:3 on down " And God Said " Let there be light and so on.

Genesis 1:26* And God said, Let us make man in our image, after our likeness: and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the earth, and over every creeping thing that creepeth upon the earth.

So God formed man out of the dust of the earth and breathed in the breath of life but in reality it was HIS WORD- GOD SAID.

Genesis 1:27-28* So God created man in his own image, in the image of God created he him; male and female created he them. And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.

Now by his WORD, he gave man power and authority to SUBDUE and HAVE DOMINION over the EARTH. But he also gave them a free will and only ONE law or stipulation, which was they couldn't eat of the fruit of the tree of knowledge between good and evil.

Genesis 2:17* But of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil, thou shalt not eat of it: for in the day that thou eatest thereof thou shalt surely die.

Satan could not take mans authority and power by force, for that would violate Gods word that man had dominion. So he

had to obtain the power and authority over the earth by lies and trickery and have man of his own free will to give it to him.

When the devil enticed Eve and said you shall not surely die and she believed him and ate of the tree, then Adam with her. They of their own free will disobeyed God and in essence signed over their power and authority over to Satan. This is where Satan got his power and in reality, man not only sinned against God but was responsible for giving the devil the power and authority over all the earth, UNTIL Jesus Life, Death and Resurrection. Unfortunately, multitudes of Christians either don't know or don't believe that we have the same power and authority **RESTORED** to us, through Jesus and the Cross.

Matthew 28:18* And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.

Luke 9:1* Then he called his twelve disciples together, and gave them power and authority over all devils, and to cure diseases.

Titus 1:2* In hope of eternal life, which God, that cannot lie, promised before the world began;

God could of created a new man and started over, but he cannot break his word or covenants and he gave the power to Adam. You see, mankind will think nothing of breaking his word, if he don't like the way things are going, he will either fire you or divorce you and not think twice.

Man (sinless creation) gave away the power and sinless man had to take it back from Satan

Genesis 3:15* And I will put enmity between thee and the woman, and between thy seed and her seed; it shall bruise thy head, and thou shalt bruise his heel.

In this verse God was foretelling the life of Christ but it took about 4000 years of finding people that would prophesy his WORD by faith and lay the groundwork of abiding within his own covenants and laws before his plan of salvation could be executed.

Isaiah 7:14* Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.

The timing and everything had to be right and when Gabriel appeared unto Mary, he quoted many of the prophecies of the word of God. BUT Mary had to believe the Word and expect it for it to come to pass.

Luke 1:28-38* And the angel came in unto her, and said, Hail, thou that art highly favoured, the Lord is with thee: blessed art thou among women.

And when she saw him, she was troubled at his saying, and cast in her mind what manner of salutation this should be.

And the angel said unto her, Fear not, Mary: for thou hast found favour with God.

And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shalt call his name JESUS.

He shall be great, and shall be called the Son of the Highest: and the Lord God shall give unto him the throne of his father David:

And he shall reign over the house of Jacob for ever; and of his kingdom there shall be no end.

Now Mary didn't doubt what Gabriel was saying, she was asking a legitimate question

Then said Mary unto the angel, How shall this be, seeing I know not a man?

So it was the WORD of God that fertilized the egg in Mary's womb, as it was the word that created Adam, so was it the WORD that brought Jesus into existence. Both were sinless as God was the father

And the angel answered and said unto her, The Holy Ghost shall come upon thee, and the power of the Highest shall overshadow thee: therefore also that holy thing which shall be born of thee

shall be called the Son of God.

And, behold, thy cousin Elisabeth, she hath also conceived a son in her old age: and this is the sixth month with her, who was called barren.

For with God nothing shall be impossible.

Now this was the clincher, Mary said, be it unto me **according to thy WORD**. If she would of doubted, he would of had to find a different virgin, but he new she was receptive.

And Mary said, Behold the handmaid of the Lord; be it unto me according to thy word. And the angel departed from her.

Jesus was sinless like the first man Adam and he did not cecum to the temptations of the devil, so when he paid the full price for mankind, he was able to take back what Adam gave away without direct intervention from God except the fertilization of Mary's egg.

I trust this helps you understand
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