## Creating a Place Where Business Leaders Engage with the Church

Have you ever wondered how to get more of the successful business and political leaders to actively engage to do "What the Father is doing?" Or have you seen some of your key leaders and potential leaders being drawn more and more into the newly emerging avenues of Coaching and Mentoring, etc. in the secular world and wondered what the church's role should be? Or have you been seeking God so that you might be on the leading edge of the new sound coming from heaven and are hearing a sound of marketplace ministry? If so, Releasing Kings might just be the answer you are looking for.

There is a huge Kingdom emphasis regarding marketplace ministry right now. Business men and women are being invited to co-labor with Jesus in reaching our cities and nations. Our books, newsletters and conferences communicate a message that resonates with the entrepreneurial calling in both believers and those outside the church. In our business conference in Warsaw (November 2010) we saw 30 business men and women saved in a business conference... we simply invited them into the Kingdom and placed strategic value on their businesses and financial skills.

This year we've developed a coaching module that provides a forum for communicating the message on a more personal level. After our conferences, people are ignited to put the message to work in their own lives and share it with others. In Warsaw, a Polish coach has started a business that touches 2-4 people every week in an 8 step coaching process that releases their hearts, takes their business to the next level and connects them with the local church. We're connecting the desires God put in the heart's of His people with His will via things like vision and goals all the way to cash flow and a business plan. We are not just changing hearts but we're teaching God's people to create wealth and turn money into ministry to build the Kingdom.

So how does this help the pastor and the local church? Our next goal is to build a bridge from business coaching to a "user friendly" version for local churches. Our vision is to help pastors implement a coaching platform to make disciples who can do business, create wealth, and convert money into ministry in a way that impacts our culture. We're seeking local churches to work with us to use relational business coaching to equip the saints to build the Kingdom beyond the four walls of the church.

These are the specific resources we have to help business people connect with the Kingdom. We want to feature local churches that model this same process to equip saints with an entrepreneurial calling. We believe that creating wealth is one additional spiritual discipline that enables our ministry in the marketplace. If your church is interested in participating please contact John Garfield or David Tinney.

- 1. Read *Releasing Kings* and *Desire to Destiny* (See our store page or Amazon.com).
- 2. Get the <u>free newsletter</u>, connect on <u>Face Book</u> to stay in touch. We use Skype to talk to people all over the world. Networking is a huge Kingdom dynamic.
- 3. List to the sound... Beverly Lewis and I discussed Kingdom impacts in an interview, "Have fun, make money and love people." Listen to the <u>recorded version here</u>. Ray Edwards and I did a <u>second interview</u> that is just as good. Both are about an hour and give a great summary of marketplace ministry. Attend a <u>conference</u> if you can.
- 4. There are two newsletters that summarize key elements of Releasing Kings: <u>Have Fun, Make Money and Love People</u> and <u>A Kingdom Primer</u>.
- 5. Go through the coaching module and clarify your dream we can help you if you're stuck.
- 6. Get connected with a <u>coach or mentor</u> who can help you take the next step.
- 7. Create the wealth and convert the money into your ministry dream to build the Kingdom.

## **Releasing Kings Coaching Overview**

## The entire coaching module is 15 pages

"If it's not in writing, it's not yours"

"Write the vision And make it plain... That he may run who reads it. Hab 2:2 NKJV

**1. Purpose and Vision** – Write down your life purpose. Why are you here? What is the activity that reflects the deepest desires of your heart, your core character values, the area of your personal passion, and your talents, skills and abilities? Why does God want to prosper you? Write it down in a paragraph.

From Pew to Purpose and Stewards of Glory

**2. Goals** – With your life's purpose in mind, what are your goals for the major areas of your life (God, family, vocation / ministry, finances, health, and play)? Write them down in the past tense.

**Goals that Overflow and Hearing Hearts** 

**3. Heart Boundaries** – Most of us have boundaries in our hearts that represent vows from our past which have cemented into ceilings for our future. Changing the beliefs in our hearts about our own identity and potential is a key step of inner healing before we can go to the next level.

From Poland with Love and Go There

**4. Afformations** – If we set some lofty goal associated with our life purpose, our mind immediately starts coming up with a list of reasons why it won't work. If we simply phrase our "affirmations" as questions, we can then meditate on the reasons "why" those things will come to pass. These "afformations" give our mind a constructive job that builds us up and gives our heart the answer it seeks regarding "why."

**Afformations** 

**5. Team** – People who are successful in life are very careful to surround themselves with the help they need. They find those with a similar heart's desire but different strengths, and work with them to multiply the effect of their mutual dream. It's a powerful dynamic, both spiritually and practically.

Encouraging one Another, Teamwork to Make Your Dream Work and Heirs Together

**6. Cash flow** – Putting our finances into a monthly cash flow format is an essential part of integrating our life's plan with reality. Whether its personal finances or business finances doesn't matter. We are stewards of the destiny God has given us, and we all have to navigate the real world of making money and converting some of it to ministry. Creating wealth is a spiritual discipline.

**How Cash Flows and Your Spiritual Wealth Thermostat** 

**7. Schedule** – Most of our goals should translate to specific activities that can be put on a schedule with an end date. Planning your next months of achievements goes a long way toward making your life's purpose real.

**Time Management** 

**8.** A Business Plan – If you treat the stewardship of your life like talents God has given you, making a written plan is an important step toward getting your dream off the ground. Writing things down is also a key ingredient in moving your heart's desires into a real life destiny.

Write Your Business Plan