

John 3:27~ In answer John said; A man cannot receive a single thing, unless it has been given him from heaven.

- 1· Yet John the Baptist simply said, that a man cannot receive a single thing, unless it has been granted to him from heaven. Thus he inferred that this was God's will.

[Question] What did John the Baptist then state, and what did he show by this statement?

- 2· Jesus answered him; You would have no authority at all against me, **unless** it had been granted to you from above. This is why the **man** that handed me over to you, **has** greater sin. (**John 19:11**)

[Question] What did Jesus show, that men would not have been able to do unless God allowed it, and what does this show about Yehowah God and his true control over this earth?

- 3· Also, a **man** takes this honor, not of his own accord, but only when he is called by God, just as Aaron also was. (**Hebrews 5:4**)

[Question] When only, does a man say, that he is a priest?

- 4· Every good gift and every perfect present is from above, for it comes down from the Father of the celestial lights, and with him, there is not a variation of the turning of the shadow. (**James 1:17**)

[Question] Where do all gifts and perfect presents come forth from?

- 5· For who makes you to differ from another? Indeed, what do you have that you did not **receive**? If, now, you did indeed **receive** it, why do you boast, as though you did not **receive** it? (**1 Corinthians 4:7**)

[Question] Why should anointed Christians not brag about their gifts, or blessings, for where do they all come from?