

Ever Full of Sap Part 9 Discover the most important four words in the Bible! You decide? Or The Four Words That Guard Your Inheritance!

Opening Recap

Last time, we learned that as children of God, we have an inheritance — a storehouse of potential energy (sap) waiting to be activated.

We saw from *John 1:12-13*, *Romans 8:17*, and *Hebrews 9:15-17* that this inheritance is legally ours through Jesus.

But the key question is: **How do we maintain and guard our inheritance?**

Genesis 15 gave us a **clue**. Abram believed God's promise but still asked: "*How shall I know that I will inherit it?*" (v.8)

God's answer: **Bring Me a sacrifice.**

And then, we see something **crucial** in verse 11 — **four powerful words**.

The "Four Words"

Genesis 15:11

"And when the vultures came down on the carcasses, Abram drove them away."

Here they are:

(1) **Abram** (2) **drove** (3) **them** (4) **away**.

This is not passive waiting. **This is active defense.**

Just as Abram had to protect the sacrifice, we must protect the inheritance God has given us through Jesus.

This is our responsibility.

Amplified in Mark 4.

This is an excellent link made between the birds in Genesis 15 and the birds in Jesus' parable:

In *Mark 4:3-4*, Jesus says:

"A sower went out to sow... and the birds came and devoured it."

Who are these birds? Jesus later explains — they represent Satan coming immediately to steal the Word (*Mark 4:15*).

Just like the vultures in Genesis 15.

So, when Abram drove them away, he was doing spiritually what we must do today:

Guard the Word! Protect the inheritance! Drive away the enemy!

New Testament Application

This brings sharper focus to the believer's active role:

The New Testament belongs to us — God's children.

- The **Name of Jesus** belongs to us.
- The **authority** of the believer belongs to us.
- The **power** of God belongs to us.
- Our **inheritance** belongs to us.

But it won't automatically manifest unless we do what Abram did:

Drive them away!

- Drive away doubt.
- Drive away fear.
- Drive away worries.
- Drive away every spiritual bird that tries to sap our strength.

James 1:22 (NKJV)

But be **doers** of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves.

Hebrews 4:2 (NKJV)

For indeed the gospel was preached to us as well as to them; but the word which they heard did not profit them, not being **mixed with faith** in those who heard it.

Let us live a call to Kinetic Faith

Your inheritance (your *sap*) is like potential energy stored inside you.

But to convert it into **kinetic energy** — power in motion — you must:

1. **Bring God His Word** (like Abram brought the sacrifice).
2. **Drive away the birds** (stand against every attack that comes to steal).

This is how you go from sap (God's word) to fruit, from promise to possession!

Benediction

2 Thessalonians 3:16

Now may the Lord of peace Himself grant you His peace (the peace of His kingdom) at all times and in all ways [under all circumstances and conditions, whatever comes]. The Lord [be] with you all. AMP

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