

Fourth Quarter Topic

Here in the 4th quarter we will discuss altar work and the position of the Adjutant during deliverance services.

Adjutants are seen standing directly behind their leader during deliverance services otherwise known as “altar call”. This stance is taken because it is just how we equate the stance of Elisha to Elijah, of Joshua and Aaron to Moses, and the 12 disciples with Jesus.

While serving during deliverance it is important that the adjutant remain attentive. Not only spiritually, but physically as well and of course stay out of the way. Each deliverance service is different in it’s own right, it can involve stationary prayer at the altar or the leader moving about the nave going directly to individuals as he is led by the Spirit. Despite the venue, the adjutant is there for their leader, not the people.

In other words, never leave your leader to tend to another. Yes, that means if the one being prayed for is going to fall, as callous as it may sound, let them fall. There should be altar workers to assist in this area before we reach this point.

Also while watching, anything that the adjutant picks up on in the Spirit should discretely be brought to the attention of the leader at the appropriate time. This is another instance where the adjutant serves beside and assists the leader. You’re not just standing there to look ‘official’ you’re there for a purpose, fulfill it.

The diversities of deliverance services cannot be summed up in a quarterly topic and ‘what if’ scenarios will be continually present. The best thing any adjutant can do to prepare for the unknown is to be prayerful always in the and attentive to the Spirit and ever watchful, taking your cue from your leader.