The Gospel of the Amen

There are many important things existing in this world, but none as important as the Gospel. The Gospel is good news. The Gospel is not fake news. The Gospel is truth. The Gospel is such a message of truth that there is a powerful, God-ordained word that can be attached to its message. And that word is "Amen." In Isaiah 65:16, God even called himself, "…the God of truth." Literally, the God of Amen – El-Amen.

In Jesus' revelation of himself to the church of Laodicea he began this way: "These are the words of the Amen, the faithful and true witness, the ruler of God's creation" (Revelation 3:14). When we think and meditate on the power of truth and the importance of truth, we begin to realize what truth means when God himself is the source. It should cause our faith to sky-rocket (or heaven-rocket).

This is exactly what God would have all believers understand as they live and dwell in the midst of this miracle of truth – God's Amen. The Apostle Paul wrote to encourage the church in Corinth that the Gospel is not "Yes" and "No." In other words, there is no doubt of God's truth. Paul went on to say that in Jesus, the Gospel has "always been 'Yes'" (2 Corinthians 1:19)! May we all learn and grow in God's "Yes" more and more. Amen.

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**2 Corinthians 1:18-22**

18-19 GROUNDED IN GOD, THE SON

 Luke 24:44-45

 Matthew 5:17-18

20 GROUNDED IN GOD, THE FATHER

 Romans 1:1-2

 Isaiah 65:16

 Revelation 3:14

21-22 GROUNDED IN GOD, THE HOLY SPIRIT

 ▪ God’s anointing

 ▪ God’s seal of ownership

 ▪ God’s guarantee

 Genesis 15:9-12, 17-18

 Ephesians 1:13-14