

Why The Name “Alexandria”?

City Resting In the Cross

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My birth name is Amy. I was happy with my grandmother’s name – it meant “Belov-ed.” In other places I have explained in detail how Our Lord Jesus came and spoke to me, “*Your NAME is Alexandria!!*” I did not ask for a new name, and I did not just ‘choose’ a new name. It has been a progressive understanding of what and why. I had been seeking the truth of the gifts at the time He spoke this to me – if I was one, what is it? 1 Cor. 12-14 I had read and wanted to know if I fit in there somewhere. The people at a tiny church I had visited said the gifts no longer operated, but I had been watching Kathryn Kuhlman on a morning show with all sorts of healing testimonials and I believed them to be true. I wanted the Lord’s Word on the issue.

The name Alexandria was in my baby name book as “helper”. So my first understanding was I was Jesus’ Helper! That fit me well. I had helped anyone with anything ‘good’.

He had told me when I was baptized in the Holy Spirit that I had a ‘spirit of reformation’ and I asked if I needed deliverance for that – not knowing what it meant. He did not answer, so I went to look it up in the dictionary and decided it must be ok. I began to realize I was to ‘help’ people as the Holy Spirit does. To do that I had to study Him and how He does things. He taught me well, especially while I was on the worship teams.

In Gen.17:5, Abram received a new name, Abraham. Sarai received a new name, Sarah, in Gen.17:15. Jacob becomes called to Israel in Gen.32:28. Rev.2:17 and 3:12 speak of receiving a new name as you overcome In Christ. Simon Peter, Saul to Paul, there are many who receive new names. These are examples of the Lord changing people’s names. I do not put myself up there with these Great Ones In the GodHead, I am just reporting what Jesus has done for me and am answering some of the questions I have heard. Again, I did not seek one, ask for one, or choose it. I do not suggest you do either. If He gives you a new name, you will hear Him tell you so. Jesus does this Himself in accordance with the Will of God. Just desire to know The GodHead; Our Father, Jesus, and the Holy Spirit, Their Higher Thoughts and Ways. Actively seek, and pay attention to what they teach you. Trust Them and obey, as the old yet true, adage goes. You are personally His child, He will take care of you. He is building a Testimony in you too! Share it with others as you learn and grow In Christ. I am sharing mine to help inspire you to realize yours and share it with others. This is my motive. Faith comes by hearing the Living Word Of Jesus in action through His Opened Testimonies. Overcoming Power is then released to others and His sustaining Power also. We are to share for the benefit of the Kingdom of God.

Then later I saw ‘Alexandria’ was a real city in scripture, Acts 28:11 and 27:6.(SRB)

I prayed and He gave Light in my understanding that it “*was a city that broken down ships went to for repair and were sent back out for service.*”

Oh yeah, I am getting it now!

Then as I worked on The Completed Work of Jesus’ Cross book, more Light came – of the “shining City of Light’s residence is within the Cross,” Ps. 31:21. People come Into Jesus – The Completed Work of His Cross - broken down, and take up residence, are repaired, strengthened, receive a home office there, and sent back ‘out’ for service...now resting In Christ, trusting, sustained and operating out of the Prevailing Triumphant Power of The Completed Work of Jesus’ Cross:

THE ALREADY- DONE –COMPLETED... PERFECT WORK.

You go 'out' for service, but in your heart you never really 'leave' the Cross. You 'rest' in it as you go. Jesus is 'seated with Our Father' but 'goes' about heaven and earth doing Our Father's Will at the same time. 'Seated' in rest, yet 'moving'.

Jesus' Completed Cross is the cross you take up and carry in your heart. You put your burdens and anyone else's He shows you by prayer Into the Completed Work of His Cross, and Jesus' Prevailing Triumphant Power through His Completed Cross Work does whatever needs to be done in that life.

Ps. 107, esp. 107:36, was next. The 'hungry' are preparing this city for habitation. The redeemed Bless-ed ones are who hunger and thirst continually after the Righteous of Christ, and He fills them. I had a Pastor tell me once in Prophecy that I've come to the Lord's Banqueting Table, and I won't leave! Ha! That is surely me. Natural food doesn't offer much interest to me, but spiritual food – now, that I can never get enough of!

The testimony continues to unfold...