

Letter 814a
The Undiscovered Country of Greater Things
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Dear **Yeshua**,

Along with the study on angels in the New Testament (except the Book of Revelation), another study came to mind which I think needs to accompany the angel study. That is what I call the Doctrine of Greater Things. This Doctrine is discovered in these Scriptures:

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1) **Matthew 11:11b** *"... he who is least in the kingdom of heaven is **greater than he**."*

2) **Mark 12:31** *"There is no other commandment **greater than these**."*

3) **John 1:50c-51** *"You will **see greater things** than these." ... "Most assuredly, I say to you, hereafter you shall **see** heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."*

4) **John 5:20** *"For the Father loves the Son, and shows Him all things that He Himself does; and He will show Him **greater works** than these, that you may marvel."*

5) **John 5:36** *"But I have a **greater witness** than John's; for the works which the Father has given Me to finish—the very works that I do—bear witness of Me, that the Father has sent Me."*

6) **John 14:12** *"Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and **greater works than these** he will do, because I go to My Father."*

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A long time ago now, in the early days of my tenure at (G6), when I was in my forties, Jesus said to me that: "the second half of your life will be greater than the first half". I wondered at that Word, and what it might have meant.

Now I know He was referring to the Doctrine of these Scriptures. This also accounts for what happened in Letter 214, and all the Letters after that. These are all Greater Things.

But all this really started with me seeing Jesus in restaurants sitting across the table from me when I was eating, and then with Letters 13 and 14. It was the events in these Letters which really catapulted me into The Undiscovered Country of Greater Things, those things which I have both seen and heard, and continue to this day. It is of these things which I testify to and document in these, my Letters.

Here are the more complete texts of the verses above.

Matthew 11:11

11 "Assuredly, I say to you, among those born of women there has not risen one greater than John the Baptist; but **he who is least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he**.

Mark 12:29-31

29 Jesus answered him, “The first of all the commandments is: Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is one. 30 And you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.’ This is the first commandment. 31 And the second, like it, is this: You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ **There is no other commandment greater than these.**”

John 1:47-51

47 Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward Him, and said of him, “Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no deceit!” 48 Nathanael said to Him, “How do You know me?” Jesus answered and said to him, “Before Philip called you, when you were under the fig tree, I saw you.” 49 Nathanael answered and said to Him, “Rabbi, You are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!” 50 Jesus answered and said to him, “Because I said to you, ‘I saw you under the fig tree,’ do you believe? **You will see greater things than these.**” 51 And He said to him, **“Most assuredly, I say to you, hereafter you shall see heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.”**

John 5:19-23

19 Then Jesus answered and said to them, “Most assuredly, I say to you, the Son can do nothing of Himself, but what He sees the Father do; for whatever He does, the Son also does in like manner. 20 For the Father loves the Son, and shows Him all things that He Himself does; **and He will show Him greater works than these, that you may marvel.** 21 For as the Father raises the dead and gives life to them, even so the Son gives life to whom He will. 22 For the Father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the Son, 23 that all should honor the Son just as they honor the Father. He who does not honor the Son does not honor the Father who sent Him.

John 5:36-40

36 **But I have a greater witness than John’s;** for the works which the Father has given Me to finish—the very works that I do—bear witness of Me, that the Father has sent Me. 37 And the Father Himself, who sent Me, has testified of Me. You have neither heard His voice at any time, nor seen His form. 38 But you do not have His word abiding in you, because whom He sent, Him you do not believe. 39 You search the Scriptures, for in them you think you have eternal life; and these are they which testify of Me. 40 But you are not willing to come to Me that you may have life.

John 14:9-14

9 Jesus said to him, “Have I been with you so long, and yet you have not known Me, Philip? He who has seen Me has seen the Father; so how can you say, ‘Show us the Father’? 10 Do you not believe that I am in the Father, and the Father in Me? The words that I speak to you I do not speak on My own authority; but the Father who dwells in Me does the works. 11 Believe Me that I am in the Father and the Father in Me, or else believe Me for the sake of the works themselves. 12 **“Most assuredly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do he will do also; and greater works than these he will do, because I go to My Father.** 13 And whatever you ask in My name, that I will do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son. 14 If you ask anything in My name, I will do it.

Blessings...

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