

Breaking Free



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Please, read this before you begin the ministry in this book

One night an important man came to Jesus to ask Him some questions. Jesus began talking to him about being born again. "You must be born again," Jesus said. (John 3:7)

The first step for all things of the Kingdom of God is the New Birth. We cannot even see the Kingdom of God until we are born anew.

What must one do to be born again of the Spirit of God?

- √ There must be conviction in your heart that you have sinned against God and people. You must see you need forgiveness.
- √ When you see this, change your mind, purpose and lifestyle. In other words, Repent!
- √ Call upon Jesus believing that God has raised Him from the dead. Ask Him to forgive you of all your sin.
- √ From this moment on, make Him LORD of your life by turning your entire life over to Him.
- √ Get immersed in water as a literal sign of being buried with Him and also raised with Him through faith. (Read Colossians 2:12 in the New Testament of the Bible).
- √ Receive the gift of the Holy Spirit. Ask the Lord to fill you and baptize you in the Holy Spirit. (Acts 2:38; 19:1-7)

Get a Bible and read it, then find someone to help instruct you in the ways of the Lord. (If you are unable to obtain a Bible, please, contact this ministry for assistance).

Now open up and receive ALL the Lord has for you!

If you have come to the Lord through the ministry of this booklet, please, contact us and so we may rejoice and help you more.

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Total Freedom

“And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.” John 8:31

“The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised.” Luke 4:18

Total freedom is the promise to us through Jesus Christ the Lord. If we're to have it we must attend to some spiritual problems resident from the past. Believers will be hindered and even disabled until they confront and overcome in the areas presented in this book.

The Bible makes it very clear that a Christian's battle is not with flesh and blood; although many sincere believers attempt to appropriate their promised liberty in this manner. “The weapons of our warfare are not carnal (of the flesh),” says the Word. We cannot fight and win our freedom this way.

Satan is a legalist. He knows his rights and will always take them. For instance, he will use unforgiveness as scriptural grounds to torment and refuse to leave. When he has such legal rights, no amount of ministry will bring relief until those rights are removed.

We've seen tremendous breakthroughs as individuals

have conquered unforgiveness, curses, occult contacts, soul-ties and hereditary iniquities of their fathers.

Perhaps, not everything in this book applies to every individual in the Body of Christ; however, most of the information is crucial to those wanting to be totally free.

Perhaps God has placed this information in your hands as a weapon you desperately need.

“Behold now is the accepted time; behold NOW is the day of (deliverance) salvation.” (II Cor. 6:2)

Forgiveness

“And his Lord was wroth, and delivered him to the tormentors, till he should pay all that was due unto him. So likewise shall my heavenly Father do also unto you, if ye from your hearts forgive not every one his brother their trespasses.” Matthew 18:34-35

We MUST forgive. Unforgiveness is the root cause of most infirmities and personal problems. The Scriptures insist that we forgive if we’re to be forgiven and have our prayers answered.

The damaging effect of unforgiveness is its deposit of the gall of bitterness in our innermost being. Most infirmities are the result of the leavening of bitterness working its effects on our bodies.

God revealed the relationship between bitterness and infirmities at the waters of Marah (Exodus 15). As He sweetened the bitter waters, He revealed a new attribute of His Nature: I AM THE LORD THAT HEALETH THEE. A bitter experience calls for a God who brings physical healing.

True forgiveness can’t be initiated by emotions or feelings. It is set in motion by an intellectual decision. We may never “feel like” forgiving but we can choose to do so.

Forgiveness is NOT DENIAL of the offense or hurt.

Neither is it forgetting. In fact, we must acknowledge offense and admit pain and anger if we are to attain total healing. Forgiving is not admitting what was done to us was right or ok. We become forgivers because God is a forgiver.

Vital to complete freedom is not so much forgiveness of self as it is accepting God's total forgiveness of our self. He has completely forgiven us and requires us to forgive all others who have harmed us.

There can be no real and healing forgiveness without the power of the Holy Spirit. Only through the power of the Name of Jesus, can we appropriate forgiveness.

Here is a simple prayer you might use to begin your quest of BREAKING FREE:

Model Prayer for Forgiveness

Father, in the Name of Jesus, I confess I have not loved, but have resented certain people and groups who have hurt or disappointed me. I have held unforgiveness in my heart.

I confess all hurt I have caused to others by my behavior and lack of love.

Lord, I also confess that I have not fully received the forgiveness You extend to me through the blood of Jesus. I have not fully forgiven myself.

Father, I call upon You now to deliver and heal me from all unforgiveness.

In the Name of Jesus, I do now forgive: (Name every living or dead person, group, institution or organization that the Holy Spirit brings to mind. Forgive ALL hurts, disappointments and pain caused by any of these).

embracing forgiveness for myself.

Father, I ask You to show me those who I need to ask for forgiveness. Reveal to me everything I need to do to make restitution for my sins against others.

Gracious Lord, I DO receive Your forgiveness NOW, in Jesus' Name.

Thank You, Lord.

NOTE: It is most effective to speak audibly when repeating these prayers. Give the Holy Spirit plenty of time to show everything necessary. Sometimes you'll be prompted to deal with situations you had considered settled. It may require weeks or months of repeating this prayer before the emotional feelings of resentment are completely gone. The choice should not be to forget, but to forgive and receive forgiveness until you hurt no more.

Curses

“Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree.” Galatians 3:13

Contrary to popular opinion, curses are absolutely real. They cause havoc in many lives today.

As Jesus approached a fig tree one day, He found no fruit on it. He spoke to the tree, “May no one ever eat fruit from you again.” Passing by the tree the next morning, He and the disciples saw that the fig tree had withered from the roots.

Peter said: “Rabbi, look! The fig tree you cursed has withered!” (Mark 11).

Jesus had cursed the fig tree with His spoken words.

A curse is defined as: “uttering a wish of evil against one; to imprecate evil; to call for mischief or injury to fall upon; to execrate, to bring evil upon or to; blast, vex, harass or torment with great calamities.

Curses are activated through spoken words. The Scriptures tell us that words are not mere sounds on the lips, but death and life are in the power of the tongue. Words are agents sent forth for good or bad - for ourselves or for others.

You can read about the blessings and cursings in Deuteronomy 27 thru 30. When Moses spoke these words to the people, blessings and cursings were activated for all time, although Jesus came to redeem us from these curses activated by our sin and the sins of our forefathers. To protect ourselves from curses, we must walk in obedience to the principles in God's Word. Sin opens the door for curses to come into our lives.

We sometimes reach an impasse when ministering to individuals. Rebuking the demons, praying, confessing the Word, even fasting will not break the enemy's hold. Often, through Word of Knowledge, the Holy Spirit reveals a curse is blocking the believer's way to freedom. After having them verbally break the curse, deliverance flows and changes take place in their life!

"Jesus has taken care of all that for us. We don't need to do that." So say some.

YES we do need to do that! Certainly Jesus has taken the curses of the law to the cross, but what He has done is not automatically applied to our lives. Were you saved automatically? Did you receive the Baptism in the Holy Spirit automatically? We must appropriate what Jesus has done for us. The giants in the land of our soul do not automatically go away. We must take-up our sword and slay them ourselves.

Suppose someone gives you a Sears catalogue and tells you everything in it is paid for in full. You can have anything in it you want. To receive the merchandise you must meet the condition of properly filling-out an order and submitting it to the appropriate party. No order - no merchandise - paid for or not!

Similarly, Jesus paid for every promise in the Scriptures by what He did on the cross. The promises are for every believer - BUT NOT AUTOMATICALLY. We must appropriate them - take hold of them in faith! It must be

Revelation 12:11 says: “They overcame him (Satan) by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony.” Not OR their testimony, but AND their testimony.

When folks can't get free, there is always a reason or reasons. Sometimes it's because of curses that haven't been broken through the power of the blood and the spoken word. We have found that curses act as shields and fences around demons. These unclean spirits can be invoked to manifest during ministry, but they will not come out and stay out until the curse or curses have been discerned and broken.

My friend, Frank Hammond, author of *Pigs in the Parlor*, tells of an experience with a woman who came for ministry. Although Spirit filled, she was experiencing unusual difficulties in her life. Her children were suffering strange diseases and maladies. She was in constant torment. Following the direction of the Holy Spirit, Frank questioned the woman about any experience that would cause a curse. This prompted her to recall the words of a woman who had worked as her maid. The maid had been caught stealing and had to be prosecuted. When dismissed, the maid angrily said: “You will have nothing but trouble for the next ten years.” Like most folks, the Christian lady disregarded the statement of her disgruntled maid, but as Frank began to pray with her and break curses, she and her children began to vomit. Deliverance manifested! (See Lev. 18:25).

Two years following the ministry, this Believer was still testifying of a turn-around and victory in her and her children's' lives!

Remember: ALL ANSWERS ARE IN THE WORD OF GOD. We need to dig deeper in the Word of God and get free - completely free.

After teaching about curses one evening, I began to minister to the people by simply speaking over them. As I

broke family curses, two who had not been able to flow in tongues of prayer and praise began to rejoice in a new language. We discovered a key for those who have difficulty receiving their prayer language. We discovered a key for those who have difficulty receiving their prayer language.

The following outline is for your personal study. Get your Bible and look up each Scripture. There may be a break-through for you! I agree with you for this!

Kinds of Curses

I - Curses Through Sin - Gen. 4:2-7

1. Curse of the law. (Gen. 3:10; Deut. 28)
2. Iniquities of the fathers. (Num. 14:18)
3. Curse of Illegitimate birth. (Deut. 23:2)
4. Curses of contact with witchcraft and occult things. (Deut. 18:9-13)

II - Curses from Words

1. Broken vows (Jonah 2:9)
2. Words of others - Spoken to you as a child by your parents or others. Parent's confessions about their children are very powerful curses. Example: "You are always messing up!" If someone speaks or has spoken something negative about to or about you, renounce it. Say: "In the Name of Jesus, I do not permit those words to have effect in my life." Sometimes we speak negative things about ourselves. If you have done so, repent, ask forgiveness from God, renounce the confessions and forgive yourself.

III - Curses through Disobedience and Disorder

1. Family disorder. (Mal. 4:6, Prov. 3:33)
2. Church disorder and disobedience. (Mal. 2:2; Jer. 17:5)
3. Giving. (Mal. 3:9)
4. Helping in the Lord's work. (Judges 5:23; Jer. 48:10)

NOTE; Referring to the Sears catalogue illustration, a curse is similar to receiving something you didn't order. If an undesirable item is delivered to your door, what do you do?

SEND IT BACK! REFUSE IT! Do the same with curses. (See Ps. 7:16 and Ps. 109:17).

Biblical Curses

“The curse causeless shall not come.” Prov. 26:2

“Any sin worthy of death is also cursed by God.”
Deut. 21:22-23

1. Those who curse or mistreat the true Israelites. (Gen. 27:29; Gen. 12:3; Num. 24:9)
2. Those who are willing deceivers. (Josh. 9:23; Jer. 48:10; Mal. 1:14; Gen. 27:12)
3. He who gives not to the poor. (Prov. 28:27)
4. Thieves and those who swear falsely by the Lord's Name. (Zech. 5:4)
5. Those who take advantage of the blind. (Deut. 27:18)
6. Those who oppress strangers, widows or the fatherless. (Deut. 27:19; Ex. 22:22-24)
7. Those who smite their neighbors secretly.

(Deut. 27:24)

8. Murderers. (Ex. 21:12)
9. To murder with premeditation. (Ex. 21:14)
10. Kidnappers. (Ex. 21:16; Deut. 24:7)
11. Those who do not prevent death. (Ex. 21:29)
12. Those who offend children or one who believes in Jesus Christ. (Matt. 18:4-7)
13. House of the Wicked. (Prov. 3:33)
14. Those who harken unto their wives rather than God. Gen. 3:17)
15. Those who lightly esteem their parents or treat them with contempt. (Deut. 27:16)
16. Illegitimate children. (Deut. 23:2)
17. Children born from incestuous unions. (Gen. 19:36-38)
18. Children who strike their parents. (Ex. 21:15)
19. Those who curse their parents. (Ex. 21:17)
20. Those who cause the unborn to die. (Ex. 21:22-23)
21. Parents who do not discipline their children but honor them above God. (I Sam. 2:17; 27-36)
22. Those who sacrifice human beings or put their children through the fire. (Lev. 20:2)
23. Rebellious children. (Deut. 21:18-21)
24. Pain in childbirth. (Gen. 3:16)
25. Family disorder. (Mal. 4:6)
26. Those who willfully cheat people out of

- their property or move a landmark (Change or bend God's laws). (Deut. 27:17)
27. Disobedience to the Lord's commandments. (Deut. 11:28; Dan. 9:11; Jer. 11:3)
 28. Idolatry. (Jer. 44:8; Deut. 29:17-19; Ex. 20:5; Deut. 5:8-9)
 29. Those who keep or own cursed objects. (Deut. 7:25; Josh. 6:18)
 30. Those who refuse to come to the Lord's help. (Judges 5:23)
 31. Ministers who fail to give the glory to God. (Mal. 2:2; Rev. 1:6)
 32. Those who rob God of tithes and offerings. (Mal. 3:9; Hag. 1:6-9)
 33. Those who make graven images. (Deut. 27:15; Ex. 20:4; Deut. 5:8)
 34. Those who trust in man and not the Lord. (Jer. 17:5)
 35. Those who do the work of the Lord deceitfully. (Jer. 48:10)
 36. He who keeps back his sword from blood (will not go to war, that is, spiritual warfare). (Jer. 48:10; I Kings 20:35-42)
 37. Those who sacrifice to false gods. (Ex. 22:20)
 38. Those who attempt to turn anyone away from the Lord. (Deut. 13:6-11)
 39. Those who teach rebellion against the Lord. (Jer. 28:16-17)
 40. Those who refuse to warn them that sin. (Ezek. 3:18-21)
 41. Those who defile the Sabbath. (Ex. 31:14;

Num. 15:32-36)

42. Disobedience to voice of God and His commandments and statutes. (Deut. 28:15-68)
43. "Touching" God's anointed. (I Chron. 16:21-22; Ps. 105:15)
44. Perversion of the Gospel of Christ. (Gal. 1:8-9)
45. Those who add or take away from the WORD. (Rev. 22:18-19)
46. Refusal to do or act upon the Word of God. (Deut. 27:26)
47. Those who choose that in which God does not delight. (Isa. 65:11-15, note verse 12)
48. Jerusalem is a curse to all nations if Jews rebel against God. (Jer. 26:2-6)
49. Those who curse their rulers. (I Kgs. 2:8-9; Ex. 22:28)
50. Those who take money to slay the innocent. (Deut. 27:25)
51. Those involved in witchcraft. (Ex. 22:18)
52. Those who follow horoscopes. (Deut. 17:2-5)
53. Those who rebel against the ministry. (Deut. 17:12)
54. False prophets. (Deut. 18:19-22)
55. Participants in seances and fortune telling. (Lev. 20:6)
56. Necromancers (those who communicate with the dead) and fortune tellers. (Lev. 20:27)
57. An adulterous woman. (Num. 5:27)

58. He who lies with his father's wife. (Deut. 27:20)
59. He who lies with any beast. (Deut. 27:21; Ex. 22:19)
60. He who lies with his sister. (Deut. 27:22)
61. Adulterers. (Job 24:15-18; Deut. 22:22-27)
62. Women who keep not their virginity until married. (Deut. 22:13-21)
63. Homosexual and lesbian relationships. (Lev. 20:13)
64. Sexual intercourse during menstruation. (Lev. 20:18)
65. Sodomy. (Gen. 19:13, 24, 25)
66. The earth by reason of man's disobedience. (Isa. 24:3-6)
67. The proud. (Ps. 119:21)
68. Those who reward evil for good. (Prov. 17:13)
69. Those who blaspheme the Lord's Name or curse God. (Lev. 24:15-16)
70. Those who are carnally minded. (Rom. 8:6)
71. Those who go down to Egypt (world system) for help and look not to the Lord. (Isa. 31:1-3)
72. Stubbornness and rebellion. (I Sam. 15:22-23)
73. Those who love cursing. (Ps. 109:17-20)
74. Failure and poverty. (Hag. 1:5-6)

Model Prayer to Break Curses

(To be read aloud)

Heavenly Father, I confess Jesus Christ as my Lord and believe that He is risen from the dead. I declare I have been purchased by the blood of Jesus. I am not my own. I am bought with a price and belong to you.

Father, I choose to forgive all those who have offended me and ask to be cleansed of any unconfessed sin present in my life at this time. Reveal to me, right now, anything I need to know that would hinder my prayer for deliverance. (Pause - wait for the Holy Spirit).

Lord God, my earthly fathers and I have transgressed Your law, and have departed so as not to obey Your voice; therefore the curse and the oath written in the Law of Moses, the servant of God, have been poured out on us, because we have sinned against You.

In the Name of Jesus Christ, I now break and loose myself and my family from the curses of my own sins, the sins of my ancestors or from any other person living or dead.

I am redeemed by the blood of the Lamb, therefore I am redeemed from the curse of the law. I break the power of every spoken curse - of every evil that came out of my own mouth. I take back all the ground yielded to Satan and establish myself in faith in the Lord Jesus and claim the blessing rather than curse.

I break the power of every evil word that was knowingly or unknowingly spoken against me by any person. I cancel those spoken words and the power of

such curses by the authority of the Name of Jesus Christ.

You are my Deliverer, Lord Jesus. You are my Lord. I confess You with my mouth, and I confess that the power of every curse is now broken in the authority of Your Name.

I command every evil, unclean spirit which has come in through the door of curse to leave me NOW, in the Name of Jesus Christ.

I break every curse on myself and my family, today!

Thank You, Jesus.

Thank You Heavenly Father.

NOTE; Now just let them go. If any specific name or thing comes to mind, speak it out and rebuke it to leave you. It will go in the Name of Jesus of Nazareth. This is also the time to ask for and receive physical healing from infirmities that have come in through the door of curse).

The Occult

“There shall not be found among you any one that maketh his son or his daughter to pass through the fire, or that useth divination, or an observer of times, or an enchanter, or a witch, or a charmer, or a consulter with familiar spirits, or a wizard, or a necromancer. For all that do these things are an abomination unto the Lord: and because of these abominations the Lord thy God doth drive them out from before thee.” Deuteronomy 18:10-12

“And many that believed came, and confessed, and shewed their deeds. Many of them also which used curious arts brought their books together, and burned them before all men: and they counted the price of them, and found it fifty thousand pieces of silver. So mightily grew the word of God and prevailed.” Acts 19:18-20

Many Christians do not realize the strong entrapment that results from exposure to the occult. Often the infection from exposure goes undetected until severe consequences manifest.

Many Believers mistakenly assume all effects of such contact are automatically removed at conversion. Like curses, however, we must act if we want total freedom.

Understanding is needed:

First: realize how abominable the occult is to God. It is distinctly rebellious to acknowledge the help of evil spirits

even as a joke. For this reason God requires us to renounce every occult contact individually.

Second: understand that direct association is not required for oppression from occult spirits. Ignorance will not protect you in the presence of evil. Oppression can come by simply being in the presence of occult practice. Satan doesn't play fair.

Third: understand that such exposure has allowed unclean spirits or demons to enter you. You must cast out these occult spirits. To renounce the occult spirits or practices is not enough. The demons must specifically be told to leave.

Fourth: because some of these evil spirits are strong, you may need help to break completely free.

Occultism is participation or involvement in any way with fortune telling, magic practices, spiritism, or false religious cults and teachings. Contact with the occult may have occurred in childhood. Sometimes people completely forget past exposures. Occult involvement can also come from previous generations involvements. An individual can inherit psychic ability or a familiar spirit. (See Deut. 5:7-9)

Types of Occultism

The following lists will help you identify and clear yourself of such hiding abominations. The rapid increase of demonic manifestations makes it impossible for the lists to be exhaustive. Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal to you any specific exposure or involvement you may have forgotten.

Fortune Telling (Proverbs 3:5-7)

Anything that predicts your future or advises your life
(Isa. 47:13; II Kgs. 1:1-4)

Astrology

Birth signs

Clairvoyant

Crystal balls

ESP

Eight Ball

Games such as Ouija

Boards

Handwriting analysis

Horoscopes

Kabala

Palm reading

Pendulums used to
predict and detect

Tarot cards and other
card laying

Tea leaf readings

Mental telepathy

New Age Therapies

Methods of physical or emotional healings in lieu of
God's provision through the stripes of Jesus Christ and
His death on the cross. (Isa. 53:5; I Pet. 2:24)

Acupressure

Acupuncture

American Indian Lore

Copper bracelets and
the like

Crystals for various
effects on health or well
being

Drum beating

Herbal medicine

Holistic medicine

Iridology

Magnetic therapies

One brain therapies

Polarity therapies

Psychic surgery

Reflexology

Sweat lodges

Visualization

Magic Practices and Spiritism **(Deut. 18:9-14)**

Seeking information, personal gain, altered consciousness, influence over others and influence over situations for self or others outside the ways and principles of the Heavenly Father. Actually, everything practiced outside of the will of God and in the power of the Holy Spirit. (Gal. 3:1; Rev. 21:8)

All books, literature, music, etc. dealing with occultism	ESP EST
Astral projection	U.F.O.'s
Auras	Psycho kinesis
Automatic writing	Parapsychology
Dungeons and Dragons	Good luck objects or apparel (rabbit feet, horse shoes, keepsakes, souvenirs, etc.)
Black, white and neutral magic	Hypnosis
Boogering	Incantations
Burning candles to influence people or situations	Levitation
Chants	Magic healing
Charms, good luck items, crystals, fetishes, runes, amulets, talismans, mascots and medals	Materialization or apport, apparitions, ghosts, poltergeists or boogers
Channeling	Mediums and séances
Clairaudience	Mental science
Communicating with the dead	Metaphysics
Crux ansata (ankh)	Necromancy
Curses	Using methods to find things underground such as water witching
Divining	

Portions	Spirit guides
Psychic powers	Superstition
Psychometry	Table tipping
Remote influence of the subconscious mind of others	Trance diagnosis
Rod or pendulum diagnosis	Voodoo, Hoodoo
Second sight	Visions, trances and dreams (Outside Biblical Experience)
Self-hypnosis	Water-witching or dowsing with forked sticks or other objects
Self-realization	Witchcraft
Smoking houses	Yin-yang
Sorcery	
Spells	

False Religions, Cults and Teachings (Gal. 1:8-9)

Religions that deny Jesus Christ is the son of God, Virgin born, Died and rose again, reject the Trinity or says someone is co-equal with the trinity, worship Idols and false gods and/or pray to dead saints and/or dead family members. (I Cor. 11:3-4)

Arthur Ford	Burning Candles as Prayer
Association for Research and Enlightenment	Christian Science
Astral projection	Christodelphianism
Bahai	Eastern religions and teachings such as Zen, Tao, Buddha, Hinduism,
Boy Scouts (See No Other Gods by Author)	

Muslimism,	Praying to Mary or any Saint
Hare Krishna,	Religious Research Foundation of America
Transcendental Meditation, I Ching, reincarnation, karma, yoga, idols, incense	Rosicrucians
Eastern Star	Ruth Montgomery
Eckankar	Scientology
Edgar Cayce	Shrine
Girl Scouts	Soul travel
Inner Peace Movement	Spiritual Frontiers Fellowship
Jean Dixon	Spiritualism
Jehovah's Witnesses	Swendenborgianism
Masonic Lodge	Theosophy
Mormonism	Transubstantiation
New Age Movement	Unitarians
New World Order	Unity
Prayer Beads	

Other Areas

Some dolls and stuffed animals have been found to cause serious problems for children

Dungeons and Dragons and any game that calls for role playing.

Movies about the occult such as The Exorcist, Poltergeist, Wizard of Oz, Gremlins and Harry Potter.

Disney movies, movies such as E.T. (this movie is very demonic presenting levitation, psychic healing, ESP and reincarnation) and others depicting supernatural abilities or situations outside the work of the Holy Spirit.

Puppetry is demonic in spite of their use in Children's ministry.

Some Rock and Roll music ministers oppression and mind control through its beat and backward masking.

Subliminal advertising and suggestion (we have found bathroom tile covered with tiny, almost undetectable, demon faces causing fear to manifest in those entering. (see No Other Gods)

Television programs such as Fantasy Island, Bewitched, Mr. Wizard, Ninja Turtles and many contemporary cartoons.

Many video games. (most are occultic in theme and demonic in nature)

(Read the following prayer aloud for deliverance).

Model Prayer for Deliverance from the Occult

Heavenly Father, I call upon you now in the Name of Jesus. Thank you for the cross and blood of Jesus. Thank you for the resurrection and for making me a new creation in Christ Jesus.

I do believe Jesus Christ is the son of God, virgin born and died and rose again.

I believe in the Trinity and there is no co-equal with the trinity of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Father, I have a confession to make: through ignorance, stupidity or willfulness, I have sinned against You by seeking information or supernatural experiences apart from You. I ask forgiveness for all sins of my sins and the sins of my ancestors who have done the same by disobeying Your Word according to Deuteronomy 17:2-5 and 18:10-12.

I renounce all occult contact and involvement by myself and my family. Cleanse me now in body, soul and spirit.

I close any and every door I have opened to Satan through such contact with the occult.

I renounce all contact with the following: (Name aloud any contacts with the occult that come to mind).

In the Name of Jesus Christ, I renounce any psychic heredity I may have and command it to leave my presence now. I break any demonic hold on both sides of my family line.

I do now renounce and forsake every psychic and occult exposure that I know about and those I don't know about.

I renounce every cult that denies the blood of Jesus Christ and His incarnation.

I renounce every philosophy that denies the death and resurrection of Jesus Christ.

I command every witchcraft and occult spirit to leave now, in the Name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth and by His blood.

GO NOW!

Soul-Ties

“And it came to pass, when he had made an end of speaking unto Saul, that the soul of Jonathan was knit with the soul of David, and Jonathan loved him as his own soul.” I Samuel 18:1

Soul-ties are spiritual connections formed through intense relationships or inordinate affections with spouses, close friends, sexual partners, business partners, buddies and/or organizations such as cults, religious denominations and lodges. One can even have ungodly ties with possessions or objects which is idolatry.

Such relationships can be toxic and hindering in the life of any individual, especially believers seeking to find their freedom in Jesus Christ.

Soul-ties resemble an umbilical cord connecting one person to another in the spiritual realm. This cord must be severed for one to break loose from such an undesirable relationship.

One can have soul ties with a group or organization. Herein lies the manipulative power of cults. All such knittings of demonic nature should be broken by prayer and spiritual warfare. Often it is effective to prophetically act-out the cutting of the cords, bands or tentacles of soul-ties with a spiritual sword.

Of particular concern are relationships with ex-spouses, sexual partners, dominate or controlling individuals and control groups or cults.

Some such inappropriate relationships are usually obvious. For others, you should ask the Holy Spirit for revelation. Break these soul-ties one-by-one after you repeat the following prayer:

Model Prayer for Breaking Soul-ties

In the Name of Jesus Christ I choose to put off all the old creation. I renounce any and every ungodly soul-tie with individuals, organizations or objects which bind or hinder my Christian growth and walk.

I come against these soul ties now. I reject them and expel them out of life in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Jesus Christ is my Victory and my Sanctifier, separating me unto the Body of Christ into liberty and into freedom.

I renounce each and every ungodly soul-tie in the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ. I declare every evil soul-tie to be broken now. I also declare every such bondage to be demolished by the shed blood of Jesus and its cleansing power. The Lord Jesus Christ gives me the authority over all the power of the enemy, and I execute this power now to break these bonds of oppressions off my life.

Satan, I loose myself from you and your demons that have come into my life through ungodly soul-ties. I declare myself to be knitted in love to the

to the Children of God. I praise you Dear Lord for
as the Lion of the Tribe of Judah. You break every
fetter. You let the oppressed go free and open the
prison house of the captives - HALLELUJAH!

I break soul-ties with the following:

(now names specifically any person, group, organization
or thing that comes to mind).

In the Name of the Lord Jesus Christ of Nazareth I
declare myself free from all cords, bands, ties and
tentacles of ungodly soul-ties. I also command
all personality spirits transferred to me through
ungodly soul-ties or controls from any other person
or person to leave me NOW in the Name of Jesus
Christ of Nazareth!

Thank you Lord Jesus.

AMEN!

Iniquities of the Fathers

“The Lord is longsuffering, and of great mercy, forgiving iniquity and transgression, and by no means clearing the guilty, visiting the iniquity of the fathers upon the children unto the third and fourth generation.” Numbers 14:18

As we said previously, when folks can't get free there is always a reason. Praise God for people who won't rest until they have the answer and are free, and like King David, won't stop until there is peace on their borders.

A Christian brother in Hawaii earnestly desired liberty from bondages in his life. The Lord responded to his petitions with a revelation that the sins of his natural father and grandfather were the root cause of his problems.

The dishonest real estate dealings of his natural father cursed his life with constant trouble with landlords. He was forced to move twelve times in five years. Several times he was cheated in his real estate transactions.

Following the leadership of the Holy Spirit, he confessed the sins of his unprincipled forefathers as though they were his own, asked the Heavenly Father to remit them and remove the curses that came with them. Soon

his life-style began changing. The oppression lifted and new-found freedom was his! No more trouble in this area of his life.

When one in authority, such as a father, willfully sins, he gives demons access into his domain of authority such as his family tree. Without confession and repentance, the enemy comes in like a flood and permeates the ensuing generations. Problems, infirmities, negative traits and chronic problems are passed through the seeds, or perhaps, the DNA.

There is much more here than the scope of this books permits, but we hope to provide more information and ministry in the future.

Although it seems that Ezekiel 18 refutes this teaching, careful study will show this not to be the case; on the contrary, the point is made that a son need not continue in sins of his fathers, but can chose life by turning away from his begetters patters and follow the principles of the Heavenly Father's Word.

Study the following Scriptures:

Ex. 20:3-5; Ex. 34:7; Jer. 32:18; Lam. 5:7; Ez. 18:2; Ez. 20:27-30; Lev. 26:40; Neh. 9:2; Neh. 9:16.

Model Prayer for Deliverance from Iniquities of the Fathers

Father, in the Name of Jesus, I want to be free of all iniquity in my life, including that of my forefathers. I know all my sins are forgiven through the blood of Jesus and to You it's as though I had never sinned. But I also know experiences in the past have profoundly affected my emotions, mind and will. The Enemy has used them to oppress me and keep me from

changing. I ask for deliverance from the effects of them now. Deliver me also from the effects of ancestral iniquities and sins.

Show me, Heavenly Father, every evil work, sin, perversity, fault or iniquity that has come down to me and kept me from complete liberty in the Lord Jesus Christ. I want to confess all of them as sin and appropriate forgiveness for me and my family. I remit those sins and break and loose myself from all their consequences and curses. In the Name of Jesus Christ, I break all curses of the iniquities of my fathers unto the third and fourth generations.

I accept forgiveness for those iniquities according to John 1:9 and thank you, Father, for cleansing me and my family from all unrighteousness by the blood of Jesus Christ.

I chose life and liberty by living by the principles of every word that proceeds out of Your mouth, Oh, Lord.

Satan, I rebuke you and all of your demons that have come into my life through the iniquities of my fathers. Leave me now! You have no more grounds to stay. In the Name of Jesus Christ I declare myself free from all such bondage from this day forward.

Thank you, Heavenly Father, in the Name of Jesus, for continuing to transform me day by day as I receive Your nature and become a mature Son of God.

AMEN!

Questions about Deliverance

What do you mean by deliverance?

By the word "Deliverance" we mean the casting out of demons from people, particularly Christians. The New Testament model of Jesus' ministry clearly verifies this definition.

What is a demon?

We have learned demons are disembodied spirits, possibly from some past generations. These entities have distinct personalities, desires and names. They have a strong desire to dwell inside humans since this is the only way they can fulfill their desires. They can exercise authority on the earth through a human tongue. They are invisible to the human eye.

Why can I not just ignore these things?

Jesus did not ignore demons, so we should not think we can. Regardless, of some present day teaching, demons are not harmless. They can be so deceptive that most people are not aware of their activity in their own lives, homes and churches. Jesus gave every believer authority to deal with demons. Casting out demons is a primary sign to follow a true believer's life.

Can demons go out of one person and into another?

In some instances, demons can leave one person and go into another. If a person desires to have demons come into themselves (such as some people in witchcraft), they can take in demons; otherwise, all those in a deliverance meeting are safe and protected by the blood of Jesus, including the children.

Where do demons go when they are cast out?

Jesus said demons go to dry places after leaving a person. They seek rest and do not find it and come back to the same person seeking another entrance. If that person has only swept out their house (their body) and not filled the voided places with the Lordship of Jesus Christ, the demon will not only come back in, but bring seven (a complete number) worse than himself into that person. Then, according to Jesus, the last condition of that person will be worse than before he received initial deliverance. We also have the

instance where Jesus allowed the demons to go into the pigs, but the outcome of that situation is another matter for teaching.

Should I be afraid of demons?

Believers and followers of the Lord Jesus Christ should not fear demons or even Satan. Jesus gave absolute authority over all the power of the enemy and said, "Nothing should be any means hurt us." Fear is a demonic spirit and can be cast out.

Are children safe in a deliverance service?

Children are always as safe as their parent's level of belief. Once properly introduced and taught about deliverance, children often become more aggressive warriors than adults. The key to children's deliverance is the deliverance of the parents. Often children will manifest demons leaving them while they are leaving their parents.

Why is deliverance not ministered in most churches and ministries?

Satan and the demons have worked fervently to deceive the Body of Christ about their activity. Integrating deliverance into a life or ministry takes it to a new level spiritually requiring a more circumspect walk. Obviously, the enemy does not like such commitment and the exposure it brings to his activities and will seek to retaliate. Many believers do not want to deal with demonic issues in their lives due to embarrassment or shame. Leaders, especially, avoid such. The warfare of deliverance is hard work requiring a sacrifice of time and effort. Most turn away from this spiritual "front line," choosing, as Israel of old often did, to dwell in their tents in fear rather than confront and destroy Goliath.

I went through deliverance once, is that not enough ?

Most believers have been taught that deliverance is a one-time event like salvation in an evangelical setting. Actually, deliverance is a lifestyle. When one joins the army, their entire lifestyle revolves around war—preparing for war, going to war or being ready for war. The true calling of the church is warfare. Jesus came to destroy the works of the devil. We now know there are many levels of deliverance needed in everyone's life due to rejections, traumas, sins and certain experiences. We are to keep fighting until we are free indeed!

Does everyone need deliverance?

Jesus was the only one to live on this earth in which the prince of this

Can a believer minister deliverance to his or her self?

One can renounce agreement with demons they discern in their own life. Falling out of agreement with an unclean spirit will often cause it to leave. The degree one can minister to their self depends on their level of faith. Sound teaching and the experience of ministry from others greatly enhances the ability to deal with some personal demons.

My pastor does not believe in deliverance, what should I do?

If you are serious about maturing as a Christian and becoming an overcomer, you must find your place in a body with leadership that believes in, partakes of and practices deliverance. This ministry should not be delegated because leadership does not want to do it. God's true leadership should set the example for the flock just like Jesus. This sign of casting out demons should follow all believers, including the leadership. Jesus offered no substitute for deliverance or the casting out of demons. He fasted and prayed, but He still confronted the demons and cast them out. God's true leadership must set the Jesus-like example.

What can I do to make deliverance more effective in my life?

- √ Resolve your total commitment to the Lord.
- √ Repent of all known sin.
- √ Receive the baptism of the Holy Spirit.
- √ Find ministry you can trust to open your life to completely—become totally transparent.
- √ Get “knit-in” to a body of believers with like desires, beliefs and practices.
- √ Get your home in order according the standards of God's Word.
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