

Prayer Guide



21 DAYS **OF PRAYER & FASTING**

21 Days of Purpose

So I run with purpose in every step!

January 5th - January 25th, 2025

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The word agreement means “to sound together; symphonic or to be in accord with one another concerning something; to make the same sound before God’s throne.”

For the next 21 days, we are corporately and individually seeking God. We desire for every service we are a part of, every prayer we pray, and every step we take to be filled with the ***Purpose of Heaven!***

We want to declare over our church that this is a breakthrough season. We declare over Purpose House that we are in a season of acceleration and elevation, and as a church, we are headed further and faster. We desire for there to be freedom in worship unto the Lord in every service and in your daily life. We want His presence to overshadow every aspect of this house. Therefore, we come boldly before the throne of Grace to receive ***promises, power, and purpose!***

As we enter this time of prayer and fasting, come believing that God is able. Trust that God has it all under control despite the circumstances you might see today. When you pray, just remember that God is on top of everything; even though you might feel like this is the lowest you have ever been, remind yourself that underneath it all are the everlasting arms of God (Deuteronomy 33:27). Whether you are in the valley or the mountain top, the Lord is with you. Wherever you are, let God order your steps because the next step ordered by God can change the entire trajectory of the situation.

We are partners in prayer with you. We agree with you that the ***Purpose of Heaven*** will be fulfilled in your life. We want to encourage you and build up your faith during this season. This guide is a means to declare God’s word over your life and all that this house influences or affects. We know that God wants the best for you, and so do we!

We encourage you to utilize this prayer guide to declare the Will of God so that we may have the ***Purpose, Power, and Promises of Heaven*** in every step we take!

Living By Faith

Psalm 103:2-7 NLT

² Let all that I am praise the Lord;
may I never forget the good things he does for me.

³ He forgives all my sins
and heals all my diseases.

⁴ He redeems me from death
and crowns me with love and tender mercies.

⁵ He fills my life with good things.
My youth is renewed like the eagle's!

⁶ The Lord gives righteousness
and justice to all who are treated unfairly. ¹

Luke 11:9-10 NLT

⁹ "And so I tell you, keep on asking, and you will receive what you ask for. Keep on seeking, and you will find. Keep on knocking, and the door will be opened to you. ¹⁰ For everyone who asks, receives. Everyone who seeks finds. And to everyone who knocks, the door will be opened."

When Jesus came into a town, people would cry out, "Son of David, have mercy on me!" (Mark 10:47, Luke 18:38; Mark 10:46, 48-52). They understood that Jesus was from the lineage of David, and David was from the lineage of Abraham. There was a covenant of mercy, which is a promise for help in every area of need in your life! Then that cry, "Son of David, have mercy on me," can be used to mean a lot of things.

For instance:

Do you need forgiveness of sins? Lord have mercy.

Do you need deliverance in an area of your life? Lord have mercy.

Do you need a healing in your body? Lord have mercy.

Do you need a breakthrough? Lord have mercy.

God has an endless supply of grace, mercy, and compassion for you! Lord have mercy on me!

¹ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ps 103:2-6). Tyndale House Publishers.

Dedication and holiness is required.

May we be blameless in our spirit, soul and body!

I Corinthians 1:30 NLT

God has united you with Christ Jesus. For our benefit God made him to be wisdom itself. Christ made us right with God; he made us pure and holy, and he freed us from sin.

I Thessalonians 5:23-24 NLT

²³ Now may the God of peace make you holy in every way and may your whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless until our Lord Jesus Christ comes again. ²⁴ God will make this happen, for he who calls you is faithful.

Colossians 3:1-15 NLT

Since you have been raised to new life with Christ, set your sights on the realities of heaven, where Christ sits in the place of honor at God's right hand. ² Think about the things of heaven, not the things of earth. ³ For you died to this life, and your real life is hidden with Christ in God. ⁴ And when Christ, who is your life, is revealed to the whole world, you will share in all his glory. ⁵ So put to death the sinful, earthly things lurking within you. Have nothing to do with sexual immorality, impurity, lust, and evil desires. Don't be greedy, for a greedy person is an idolater, worshiping the things of this world. ⁶ Because of these sins, the anger of God is coming. ⁷ You used to do these things when your life was still part of this world. ⁸ But now is the time to get rid of anger, rage, malicious behavior, slander, and dirty language. ⁹ Don't lie to each other, for you have stripped off your old sinful nature and all its wicked deeds. ¹⁰ Put on your new nature, and be renewed as you learn to know your Creator and become like him. ¹¹ In this new life, it doesn't matter if you are a Jew or a Gentile, circumcised or uncircumcised, barbaric, uncivilized, slave, or free. Christ is all that matters, and he lives in all of us. ¹² Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience. ¹³ Make allowance for each other's faults, and forgive anyone who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others. ¹⁴ Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds us all together in perfect harmony. ¹⁵ And let the peace that comes from Christ rule in your hearts. For as members of one body you are called to live in peace. And always be thankful.

Prayer of Dedication and Commitment to Holiness

Heavenly Father,

We come before You today with hearts full of gratitude for Your love and grace. We acknowledge that You are holy, and You call us to be holy as well. As Your Word says in 1 Peter 1:15-16: "But just as He who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do; for it is written: 'Be holy, because I am holy.'"

Lord, we dedicate ourselves to You. We commit to living lives that reflect Your holiness in all we think, say, and do. Help us to be set apart for Your purposes, to shine as lights in a world that often walks in darkness.

Romans 12:1-2 declares, "Therefore, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind."

Father, we present ourselves to You as living sacrifices. Help us resist the pressures and temptations of this world. Renew our minds, Lord, so we may discern Your good and perfect will for our lives.

2 Corinthians 7:1 reminds us, "Therefore, since we have these promises, dear friends, let us purify ourselves from everything that contaminates body and spirit, perfecting holiness out of reverence for God."

We recognize the importance of purifying ourselves from anything that may hinder our walk with You. Lord, give us the strength and courage to remove any distractions or sins that entangle us, that we may pursue holiness with reverence and commitment.

As we dedicate our lives to You, may Your Holy Spirit fill us and empower us to live according to Your will. Help us to be examples of Your love, purity, and grace in our families, communities, and in every area of our lives.

We thank You for Your promise to be with us. We ask this humbly in the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

Confession and Repentance

1. Pray the Holy Spirit will bring to your memory every sin you may have committed consciously or unconsciously. (Psalm 19:13)
2. Confess every sin before God in sincerity and ask for His forgiveness and cleansing by the Blood. (I John 1:9)
3. Intercede and ask forgiveness for the sins of our families and loved ones. (Ezekiel 22:30)
4. Pray the Lord will empower and enable us to be reconciled with those whom we have offended and those who have offended us. (Proverbs 18:19)
5. (Verbally) Confess your forgiveness and release them before God so that your prayers will not be hindered. (Mark 11:25-26, I John 3: 21-22)
6. Bless your enemies and pray that God will convict the hearts of those harboring offenses against you to forgive. (Matthew 6:44-45)
7. Break the power of the spirit of unforgiveness over your life that causes you to cling to an offense and hinders the power of love. (II Timothy 3:1-4)
8. Employ the voice of the Blood of Jesus that speaks better things to silence and overthrow every accusation of the devil against you. (Hebrews 12:22-24)

9. Ask God to heal emotional hurts and pains that come into our lives through bitterness and grief. (Luke 4:18-19)
10. Give God thanks for His compassion and forgiveness of all the sin in your life. (Isaiah 43:25)
11. Make a fresh commitment to God to live in peace and harmony, not only with brothers/sisters in the body of Christ, but also with friends, family, and neighbors. (Romans 12:10, Romans 12:16-18, Philippians 2:1-4)
12. Release the spirit of repentance for sins and grace to transform fleshly thinking to the mind of Christ. (Romans 12:2)

Prayer of Confession and Repentance

Heavenly Father,

We come before You with humble hearts, acknowledging our shortcomings and sins. Your Word reminds us in 1 John 1:8-9: "If we claim to be without sin, we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, He is faithful and just and will forgive us our sins and purify us from all unrighteousness."

Lord, we recognize that we have fallen short of Your glory. We confess our pride, our disobedience, and our failure to love others as You have commanded. In moments when we choose self over surrender, forgiveness over bitterness, and doubt over faith, we ask for Your mercy.

Psalm 51:10-12 says, "Create in me a pure heart, O God, and renew a steadfast spirit within me. Do not cast me from Your presence or take Your Holy Spirit from me. Restore to me the joy of Your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me."

Father, cleanse our hearts and minds. Help us to let go of past grievances and unwholesome thoughts. We seek Your grace to transform us from the inside out. As we confess our sins, we are grateful that You are always ready to forgive and restore our relationship with You.

Acts 3:19 tells us, "Repent, then, and turn to God, so that your sins may be wiped out, that times of refreshing may come from the Lord."

Lord, we repent of our ways that do not reflect Your love and holiness. We turn our hearts toward You, seeking Your guidance and strength to walk in Your truth. Refresh our spirits, fill us with Your peace, and lead us in the paths of righteousness for Your name's sake.

Thank You, Father, for the gift of repentance and the assurance of Your forgiveness. May we live in the light of Your grace, walking daily in love and obedience. We ask this in the name of Jesus, our Savior. Amen.

Be Purposeful in Exercising Your Faith!

Faith is God's mode of operation!

Unbelief and doubt will hinder you from receiving the promises of God. Fear is the enemy of faith. God did not give us the spirit of fear...(2 Timothy 1:7)

Faith is absolute dependence upon and reliance on the Word of God.

Faith is believing what is true; He is the truth, the way, and the life.

Without faith it is impossible to please Him (Hebrews 11:6)

Faith is the substance of things hoped for (Hebrews 11:1)

**I Timothy 6:12-14 NLT, Romans 10:17 NLT, John 3:15 NLT,
Isaiah 55:11 NLT**

Father, we believe that You are and that you reward us, because we diligently seek you. We **purpose** to hear Your Word always, by hiding Your Word in our hearts. We ask for supernatural strength to persevere in faith when our enemy comes to steal it from us.

Thank you, Lord, for the measure of faith that You gave us on our day of salvation. Enable us to develop and grow in faith so You will trust us to continue your will and **purpose** upon the earth.

Lord, we take You at Your Word; we believe You will do what You said, if we continue to fulfill our agreement according to the covenant that we have with You. No matter how things look, or how we feel, Your Word will not come back void/empty.

Father, today I reject fear, doubt, and unbelief, and I will walk in faith. For I know that I am to walk by faith and not by sight. Therefore, Lord, I will lift up my eyes and look unto the hills where my help comes from, and my help comes from You, Lord!

I know that faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of the Lord! (Romans 10:17)
Therefore, Lord, I will meditate on Your Word day and night, and the confession of my mouth will be the word that I have hidden in my heart, for out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks. My confession will be Your word that never returns void but will accomplish what it was sent out to accomplish.

Confess these scriptures so that your inner man can be built up and enable you to walk in faith.

¹³ Yet I am confident I will see the LORD's goodness
while I am here in the land of the living.²

⁷ Be still in the presence of the LORD,
and wait patiently for him to act.
Don't worry about evil people who prosper
or fret about their wicked schemes.³

⁴ I prayed to the LORD, and he answered me.
He freed me from all my fears.

⁵ Those who look to him for help will be radiant with joy;
no shadow of shame will darken their faces.

⁶ In my desperation I prayed, and the LORD listened;
he saved me from all my troubles.

⁷ For the angel of the LORD is a guard;
he surrounds and defends all who fear him.⁴

¹⁵ The eyes of the LORD watch over those who do right;
his ears are open to their cries for help.

¹⁶ But the LORD turns his face against those who do evil;
he will erase their memory from the earth.

¹⁷ The LORD hears his people when they call to him for help.
He rescues them from all their troubles.

¹⁸ The LORD is close to the brokenhearted;
he rescues those whose spirits are crushed.

¹⁹ The righteous person faces many troubles,
but the LORD comes to the rescue each time.

²⁰ For the LORD protects the bones of the righteous;
not one of them is broken!

²¹ Calamity will surely destroy the wicked,
and those who hate the righteous will be punished.

²² But the LORD will redeem those who serve him.
No one who takes refuge in him will be condemned.⁵

³¹ But those who trust in the LORD will find new strength.
They will soar high on wings like eagles.
They will run and not grow weary.
They will walk and not faint.⁶

⁴ For since the world began,

² Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ps 27:13). Tyndale House Publishers.

³ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ps 37:7). Tyndale House Publishers.

⁴ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ps 34:4–7). Tyndale House Publishers.

⁵ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ps 34:15–22). Tyndale House Publishers.

⁶ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Is 40:31). Tyndale House Publishers.

no ear has heard
and no eye has seen a God like you,
who works for those who wait for him! ⁷

²² Jesus turned around, and when he saw her he said, "Daughter, be encouraged! Your faith has made you well." And the woman was healed at that moment. ⁸

²⁸ "Dear woman," Jesus said to her, "your faith is great. Your request is granted." And her daughter was instantly healed. ⁹

¹⁶ "Through faith in the name of Jesus, this man was healed—and you know how crippled he was before. Faith in Jesus' name has healed him before your very eyes. ¹⁰

⁸ Stephen, a man full of God's grace and power, performed amazing miracles and signs among the people. ¹¹

⁶ But when you ask him, be sure that your faith is in God alone. Do not waver, for a person with divided loyalty is as unsettled as a wave of the sea that is blown and tossed by the wind¹²

Pray this in faith and with boldness!

Prayer of Faith for Healing, Cleansing, and Resurrection

Heavenly Father,

We come before You today, acknowledging that You are the Great Physician and the Source of all healing. Your Word says in ****Psalm 103:2-3****: "Praise the Lord, my soul, and forget not all His benefits—who forgives all your sins and heals all your diseases." We stand on this promise, believing wholeheartedly in Your power to heal and restore.

Lord, we lift up those who are sick and in need of Your healing touch. We ask that You manifest Your healing power in their lives. Isaiah 53:5 reminds us, "But He was pierced for our transgressions, He was crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on Him, and by His wounds we are healed."

We claim this promise, Lord, for those battling illness. By Your stripes, may they be healed. We pray for strength and courage for them and their loved ones during this challenging time.

⁷ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Is 64:4). Tyndale House Publishers.

⁸ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Mt 9:22). Tyndale House Publishers.

⁹ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Mt 15:28). Tyndale House Publishers.

¹⁰ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ac 3:16). Tyndale House Publishers.

¹¹ Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Ac 6:8). Tyndale House Publishers.

¹² Tyndale House Publishers. (2015). [Holy Bible: New Living Translation](#) (Jas 1:6). Tyndale House Publishers.

James 5:14-15 teaches us, "Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up."

Lord, we unite our faith as we pray. We ask that You empower us to act in obedience to Your Word. May our prayers be filled with faith, and may You respond with Your miraculous power.

For those who are weary and burdened by illness, we declare: "Matthew 11:28: 'Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest.'" Lord, send Your peace and comfort to those in distress, and let them find refuge in You.

And for those who face the ultimate transition of death, we cling to Your Word: John 11:25-26, where Jesus said, "I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die; and whoever lives by believing in me will never die."

We pray for faith to rise in the hearts of those who have lost loved ones. May they be comforted by the hope of resurrection and eternal life through Jesus Christ.

Lord, we trust in Your ability to heal, to cleanse, and even to raise the dead. We submit our requests before You and steadfastly believe in Your miraculous power. May Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven.

We thank You, Lord, for hearing our prayers and for Your constant love and faithfulness. In the mighty name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

We are filled with hope!

Romans 15:13 NIV

May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit.

Lord, according to Your Word, we were designed for hope. You have given me the power of the Holy Spirit, so may I be overflowing in hope. Lord, You are the hope of glory!

Lord, we ask You to flood our souls with exceeding, overflowing joy and peace by the power of the Holy Spirit! We put our roots down deep in our trust in You. We will not fear when trials or tests come our way; nor will we be distressed when seasons come that aren't what we expected. These dry seasons will not affect us, and we will consistently bear fruit.

Lord, You are the God of hope, and because we have You, we are not consumed, condemned, depressed, or oppressed. Nor are we tired, worn out, or dismayed. Though I may have tears, I know that my weeping is only for a night and that joy is coming in the morning. Therefore, we rebuke the feelings of hopelessness. We rest in Your Word that is a sure foundation. I recall Your

goodness to my mind, and I keep a grip on my hope! Our hope in you is excessive, overflowing and beyond measure. (Lamentations 3:19-24)

Lord, even when things don't work out the way we've (I've) planned or desired, because You are all-knowing, all-loving, and You are the beginning and the ending, we (I) WILL trust in You!

We are acting on the conviction that despite what we see with the natural eye, or in our carnal mind, we know that You are working in the spiritual realm to accomplish Your perfect will in our (my) lives (life). Lord, Your hope does not disappoint!

Lord, Your word declares hope! Your promises proclaim hope! We will think hope, speak hope, pray hope, sing hope, and share hope. We will be purposeful in our hope!

For when it is all said and done, when everything has been burned up or burned down, three things will remain: Faith, Hope, and Love! 1 Corinthians 13:13.

Promises about Hope!

1. Hope in God's Promises: *The Bible assures us that God is faithful to His promises. We are encouraged to put our hope in Him and His Word.*

- Romans 15:13: *"May the God of hope fill you with all joy and peace as you trust in him, so that you may overflow with hope by the power of the Holy Spirit."*

- Hebrews 10:23: *"Let us hold unswervingly to the hope we profess, for he who promised is faithful."*

2. Hope in Trials: *Hope is often mentioned in the context of suffering and trials. The Bible teaches that perseverance through difficulties can lead to stronger hope.*

- Romans 5:3-5: *"Not only so, but we also glory in our sufferings, because we know that suffering produces perseverance; perseverance, character; and character, hope. And hope does not put us to shame, because God's love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit."*

3. Hope Eternal: *The Bible speaks of a living hope that looks beyond present circumstances to future glory and eternal life through Jesus Christ.*

- 1 Peter 1:3: *"Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy, he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead."*

- 2 Corinthians 4:16-18: *"Therefore we do not lose heart. Though outwardly we are wasting away, yet inwardly we are being renewed day by day. For our light and momentary troubles are achieving for us an eternal glory that far outweighs them all. So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen, since what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal."*

4. Hope in God's Care: *Believers can find hope in God's provision and care for their lives.*

- *Psalm 42:11: "Why, my soul, are you downcast? Why so disturbed within me? Put your hope in God, for I will yet praise him, my Savior and my God."*
- *Jeremiah 29:11: "For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."*

5. Hope for the Future: *The Bible encourages believers to look forward with hope to the fulfillment of God's ultimate plan—His return and the renewal of all things.*

- *Titus 2:13: "While we wait for the blessed hope—the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior, Jesus Christ."*
- *Revelation 21:4: "He will wipe every tear from their eyes. There will be no more death or mourning or crying or pain, for the old order of things has passed away."*

Receive and participate in God's Great Love!

Proverbs 13:12 NLT, Romans 15:4 NLT, Psalms 42:11 NLT

Heavenly Father, we express our gratitude and praise to You for the outpouring of Your love in our hearts through the Holy Spirit. By faith, we embrace this love and seek Your grace to embody it in every aspect of our lives, in the name of Jesus. (Romans 5:5)

Thank You, Lord, for demonstrating Your love for us by sending Jesus, so that we may have life through Him. We commit to following Your example and to loving one another with the love You have bestowed upon us. We declare that we are bold and fearless because Your love is made perfect in us. Just as Jesus is in heaven, so are we in this world; perfect love casts out fear. We love You, Lord, because You first loved us. (1 John 4:9-14, 1 John 4:17-19)

As You showed immense love for us by sacrificing Yourself while we were still sinners, we choose to love others through Your strength, in the name of Jesus. (Romans 5:8) We recognize that our primary purpose is to love and worship You. We understand that genuine love for others stems from loving You first. Therefore, we set aside our fleshly desires and invite Your love to wash over us. By faith, we welcome the Holy Spirit to guide us into continuous fellowship with the Father. (Matthew 22:35-40, 1 John 1:9)

We acknowledge that Jesus is the vine, and we are the branches; without Him, we can accomplish nothing. We ask for the empowerment to abide in You, producing fruit that glorifies You. By faith, we access and remain in Your love, asking for our desires to be fulfilled according to Your will. (John 15:1, John 15:4-7)

Holy Spirit, ignite within us a supernatural hunger and thirst to know and obey You in the name of Jesus. We release a spirit of intimacy, seeking to understand the Father's nature and His ways.

(Psalm 95:10) Your Word teaches us that loving You leads us to obey Your commands. We embrace Your spirit of obedience in our hearts and thank You for the grace to fulfill all that You ask of us faithfully. We desire to see the glory of the Lord revealed through our obedience. (John 14:15-23)

COME BOLDLY BEFORE THE THRONE OF GOD

1. We enter His gates with thanksgiving and His courts with praise; we give thanks to Him and praise His name. (Psalm 100:4)
2. We will praise God's name in song and glorify Him with thanksgiving. (Psalm 69:30)
3. We release faith in us to come boldly before your throne of grace. We pray that freedom of expression be given to us in prayer. By the blood of Jesus, we come now. (Hebrews 10:19-23)
4. Father, we believe we receive that boldness now to enter into the Holy of Holies. We draw near to you fearlessly and confidently. We receive mercy and find grace to help us in time of need. (Hebrews 4:16)
5. Therefore, we are bold towards Satan, demons, evil spirits, sickness, disease and poverty. **We take authority over every stronghold in our lives, in this region, and any stronghold that hinders the move of the Holy Spirit!** We know that Jesus is the head of all, He rules and holds all authority in heaven, on earth and in hell. (2 Corinthians 10:4)
6. We declare over our region and our land that you will restore the prosperity to what it was in the past. (Jeremiah 33:11)
7. We receive His delegated authority now and we deal with the enemy accordingly. (Ephesians 6:20)
8. We are bold as lions because we have been made the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus. We are complete in Him! (Hebrews 13:6)

A Prayer of Thanksgiving, Praise, and Boldness.

Heavenly Father,

We enter Your gates with thanksgiving and Your courts with praise; we give thanks to You and praise Your name, for You are good and Your mercy endures forever. (Psalm 100:4) We lift our voices in song, glorifying You with heartfelt thanksgiving, as we acknowledge Your greatness and faithfulness in our lives. (Psalm 69:30)

Through the blood of Jesus, we come before Your throne of grace with boldness, releasing our faith to enter the Holy of Holies. We ask that You grant us the freedom of expression in our prayers, that we may speak openly and confidently to You. (Hebrews 10:19-23)

Father, we declare that we believe we receive boldness now to draw near to You fearlessly and confidently. We trust that in Your presence, we will find mercy and grace to help us in our time of need. (Hebrews 4:16)

In this boldness, we take authority over every stronghold in our lives, in our region, and over any forces that hinder the move of the Holy Spirit. We stand against Satan, demons, evil spirits, sickness, disease, and poverty, knowing that Jesus rules over all and holds all authority in heaven, on earth, and in hell. (2 Corinthians 10:4)

We declare restoration over our region and land, believing that You will bring back the prosperity we once knew. (Jeremiah 33:11) We receive Your delegated authority now, and we deal with the enemy accordingly, standing firm in the truth of Your Word. (Ephesians 6:20)

Lord, we are bold as lions, for we have been made the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus. We rejoice in the truth that we are complete in You, equipped for every good work and empowered by Your Spirit. (Hebrews 13:6)

Thank You, Father, for hearing our prayer. We stand in faith, expecting the manifestation of Your promises and the mighty work of Your Spirit in our lives and our community.

We are here with hearts full of praise and gratitude. We lift Your name high, acknowledging Your greatness and Your unwavering faithfulness. You are the Creator of the universe, and yet You desire a personal relationship with each of us. We praise You for Your love, mercy, and grace that sustain us every day.

Lord, we ask for a spirit of boldness to fill us. Just as Your Word teaches us, we are not given a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and a sound mind. (2 Timothy 1:7) We declare that fear has no hold over us, for we stand firm in Your promises. Strengthen us to speak Your truth with courage, to share Your love without hesitation, and to act in faith no matter the challenges that lie ahead.

In times of uncertainty, remind us to look to You as our source of strength. Help us to lean on Your understanding and trust in Your plan for our lives. As we step out in faith, may we do so with bold conviction, knowing that You go before us and prepare the way.

We praise Your name, for You are our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble. (Psalm 46:1) No matter what obstacles we face, we will lift our voices in worship, declaring Your goodness and proclaiming Your faithfulness.

Father, we choose to rejoice in Your presence. As we sing our praises, may our lives reflect Your light to those around us. Let our boldness in declaring Your name draw others to You, that they too may experience Your love and grace.

Thank You, Lord, for the gift of Your Holy Spirit, who empowers us to live boldly for You. Help us to recognize opportunities to glorify You and to express our faith authentically in every situation we encounter.

In all things, we give You all the glory, honor, and praise. We trust in Your power to work through us, and we stand boldly, ready to fulfill the calling You've placed on our hearts.

In the powerful name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

WE DECLARE VICTORY OVER THE ENEMY

1. By faith, we release power given to us by the Holy Spirit to tread on serpents, scorpions and over all the power of the enemy in the name of Jesus. We declare that nothing shall by any means hurt us. (Luke 10:19)
2. We pray for public exposure of satanic impressions, projections, and expectations forming in satanic arenas against the saints of God.
3. We invoke the blood of Jesus against all satanic retaliations.
4. We decree by the efficacy of the eternal blood of Jesus there will be a stop to that which has been fighting against our divine ***purpose*** and gifting, corporately and individually, threatening our future.
5. By the authority given to us by Jesus, we command the voice of the accuser to be silenced concerning us in Jesus' name.
6. We release the Spirit of God to arrest those who devise our hurt and to cause their satanic wisdom to fail in the name of Jesus.
7. We pray heaven and earth testify against all wickedness formed against us, the redeemed of the Lord. (Job 20:5, Job 20:27, & Job 20:29)
8. We release salvation on politicians who use their power to come against the kingdom of God. (Matthew 5:44-45)

A Prayer Declaring Victory Over the Enemy.

Heavenly Father,

We come boldly before Your throne, celebrating and declaring the victory we have through Jesus Christ. By faith, we release the power given to us by the Holy Spirit to tread on serpents and scorpions and over all the power of the enemy in the mighty name of Jesus. (Luke 10:19) We declare that nothing shall by any means hurt us, for You are our protector and our shield.

Lord, we ask for public exposure of every satanic impression, projection, and expectation forming in the dark corners of the enemy's camp against the saints of God. We command darkness to be revealed and dismantled, for Your light shines brighter, pushing back the shadows.

In the name of Jesus, we invoke the power of His precious blood against all satanic retaliation aimed at us. We decree, by the efficacy of the eternal blood of Jesus, that every force fighting against our divine purpose and gifting—both corporately and individually—must cease. We proclaim victory over threats to our future, knowing that You have a glorious plan for each of us.

By the authority given to us by Jesus, we silence the voice of the accuser who seeks to undermine our identity in You. No weapon formed against us shall prosper; every lying tongue is condemned, and we walk in the truth of who we are—children of the Most High God.

We release the Spirit of God to arrest those who devise harm against us and to cause their satanic wisdom to fail. Let their plans be thwarted, and let Your divine wisdom reign. We pray that heaven and earth testify against all wickedness formed against the redeemed of the Lord. (Job 20:5, Job 20:27, Job 20:29) May every plot and scheme against us crumble under the weight of Your glory.

We also lift up our leaders and politicians, invoking salvation upon those who use their power to come against the kingdom of God. (Matthew 5:44-45) Transform their hearts, Lord, and reconcile their actions to align with Your will.

As we stand victorious in prayer today, we declare that the earth shall see Your triumph, and every knee shall bow, and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord. We rejoice in the authority You have entrusted us to declare these victories over the enemy and release Your kingdom across the earth. Thy Kingdom Come, Thy will be done, on earth, as it is in Heaven!

Thank You, Father, for the victory that is ours. We celebrate together in faith, knowing that we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us.

In the powerful name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

EMPLOY WARFARE ANGELS TO FIGHT FOR US

1. We release ministering warfare angels to spoil the counsel of the wicked against God's people in the name of Jesus. (Job 12:17)
2. We commission warfare angels to spoil the princes of darkness and lead them away from us corporately and individually. (Job 12:19)
3. We release the heavenly host to spoil fortresses of darkness in our region in the name of Jesus. (Hosea 10:14)
4. We commission warfare angels to spoil palaces and headquarters of darkness in Jesus' name. (Amos 3:11)
5. We release the angelic spoilers to come upon evil high places in our area in the name of Jesus.

6. We release the “cankerworm” to spoil the works of darkness in our area in Jesus’ name. (Nahum 3:16)
7. Corporately, we bind Satan and strip him of his armor and divide his spoils among us in Jesus’ name. (Luke 11:22)
8. Let all proud spirits operating among us be spoiled in Jesus’ name. (Zechariah 11:3)
9. We believe that the wealth of the wicked is stored up for the righteous. Lord may the wealth of the world be imparted into the Saints of the Most High, for the furthering of the Kingdom of God on the Earth. (Proverbs 13:22)

A Prayer for Heavenly Intervention.

Heavenly Father,

We come before You with humble hearts, acknowledging Your sovereignty and power over all creation. As we lift our eyes to the hills, we declare that our help comes from You, the Maker of heaven and earth. (Psalm 121:1-2) You are our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in times of trouble.

In this moment, we call upon Your Heavenly Angelic Hosts, the mighty warriors You have sent to assist Your children. We ask that You dispatch them now to fight for us in the spiritual battles we face. Your Word reminds us that the angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear Him, and we take comfort in knowing that Your protection is ever-present. (Psalm 34:7)

Lord, we are reminded that some trust in horses and some in chariots, but we will call on the name of the Lord. (Psalm 20:7) We choose to place our trust solely in You, for You are our Champion and Defender. We ask that Your angels bring down strongholds and break every chain of the enemy that seeks to bind us. We trust in Your promise that no weapon formed against us shall prosper, and we declare that every plan of the adversary is rendered powerless in the name of Jesus. (Isaiah 54:17)

We ask that the heavenly hosts engage in battle on our behalf, fighting against every principality, power, and ruler of darkness that stands opposed to Your kingdom. Let them advance with strength and courage as they heed Your command to protect and defend Your people.

Father, we stand firm in faith, knowing that You are working on our behalf, even when we cannot see it. May we continually remember to look to You, our Helper, and trust that You are orchestrating our victory. We declare that we are more than conquerors through Christ who loves us. (Romans 8:37)

As we walk through life's challenges, may we be reminded of the strength of Your angelic hosts fighting alongside us. Help us to remain steadfast in prayer and filled with praise as we await the manifestation of Your glorious deliverance.

We thank You, Lord, for the heavenly assistance You provide and for the assurance that we are never alone in our struggles. We place our trust in You, our Help and our Hope.

In the mighty name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

DIVINE SAFETY AND PROTECTION

1. We cover ourselves, our families and our Godly possessions with the blood of Jesus during and after this season of prayer and fasting in the name of Jesus.
2. We release the Fire of God to surround and protect our lives from all destruction during and after this season of prayer and fasting in Jesus' name.
3. We release the Angel of the Lord to encamp around us and protect us. (Psalm 34:7) Lord, hold us up so we are safe. (Psalm 91:9-11)
4. Lord, set us in safety from them who threaten us. (Psalm 12:5)
5. We labor to enter into your rest. Cause us to lie down in fasting before you Lord and rest in your safety. (Job 11:18-19) (Isaiah 14:30)
6. Keep us as the apple of your eye and hide us under the shadow of your wings. (Psalm 17:8)
7. Cover us with the shadow of your hand. (Isaiah 51:16) Cover us with your feathers. (Psalm 91:4) Cover our heads in the day of battle. (Psalm 140:7)
8. We decree that in the shadow of your wings do we trust. (Psalm 57:1)
9. We release your glory to be our defense in Jesus' name. (Isaiah 4:5) Defend us from those who rise up against us. (Psalms 59:1) Lord, you are our shield and our hiding place. (Psalm 119:114) Lord, surround us with your shield of protection. (Psalm 5:12)
10. We decree that our God is our shield and our exceeding great reward. (Genesis 15:1) We release your truth as our shield in Jesus' name. (Psalm 91:4)
11. Thank you Lord for being our strong tower from the kingdom of darkness. (Psalm 61:3)

A Prayer for Divine Safety and Protection.

Heavenly Father,

We come before You today, seeking Your divine safety and protection over our lives. Your Word assures us in Psalm 91:1-2 that "He who dwells in the secret place of the Most High shall abide

under the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the Lord, 'He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in Him I will trust.'" We choose to dwell in Your presence today and trust in Your mighty protection.

Lord, we ask that You surround us with Your angels, as You have promised in Psalm 91:11: "For He shall give His angels charge over you, to keep you in all your ways." May they guard our steps and keep us safe from harm, guiding us away from danger and uncertainty.

We are reminded in Proverbs 18:10 that "The name of the Lord is a strong tower; the righteous run to it and are safe." We thank You for being our stronghold, a place where we can find refuge and strength amidst life's storms. We run into Your name, confident that we will find safety and security.

In moments of fear, remind us of Your promise in Isaiah 41:10, where You say, "Fear not, for I am with you; be not dismayed, for I am your God. I will strengthen you; yes, I will help you; I will uphold you with My righteous right hand." Let us lean on Your strength and find comfort in Your presence, knowing that You are our Almighty Protector.

We pray for safety in our endeavors, in our travels, and in our homes. Psalm 121:7-8 reminds us, "The Lord shall preserve you from all evil; He shall preserve your soul. The Lord shall preserve your going out and your coming in from this time forth, and even forevermore." We claim this promise, trusting that You will watch over us every moment of our lives.

Lord, we also lift up our loved ones to You. Surround them with Your love and protection, and grant us all peace as we navigate life's uncertainties. Let Your peace, which surpasses all understanding, guard our hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:7)

We thank You for Your unending love and protection. Even when we face trials, help us to remember that You are with us, as You assured us in Psalm 46:1, "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble." We trust in Your ability to keep us safe and secure.

In the mighty name of Jesus, we pray, Amen.

FIRE OF GOD

1. We thank and praise you that you are our God who answers by fire. (1 Kings 19:24) Your throne, oh Lord, is like a fiery flame. (Daniel 7:9) (Psalm 97:3)
2. Lord, by the authority you have given us in the name of Jesus, we release your fire from heaven and command that fire to burn up the works of darkness in our region.
3. We release your fire to be in our hands to heal the sick and cast out devils. Baptize us with the Holy Spirit and fire. (Luke 3:16)

4. We release your holy fire to burn in our eyes, our hearts, our belly, our mouths, and our feet. Let your fire be in and on every tongue to preach and prophesy your word from the pulpit. May we **purpose** to be the gospel across the aisle, across the street, and around the world.
5. We release your fire in Pastor Jason's mouth so that the word preached through him is purified. (Jeremiah 23:29)
6. Deliver us with your fire. (Psalm 18:13) Allow your fire to protect and cover us always, and in all seasons. (Exodus 14:24)
7. We release the fire of God to burn up all idols in our homes and churches. (Deuteronomy 7:15) Let all works of witchcraft and occultism be burned and consumed in the fire of God, in Jesus' name. (Acts 19:19)
8. We release the fire of God to burn and destroy all spirits of lust and perversion in our region in Jesus' name.
9. Father, we pray you show yourself strong on our behalf in this time of fasting. Rebuke your enemies with flames of heavenly fire in our congregation, in Jesus' name.
10. We release the fire of your presence in our lives and among our families, in Jesus' name. (Psalm 97:5)
11. We release the fire of God to expose demons and cast them out. (Acts 28:3) We release the fire and power of the Holy Spirit against the enemy, in Jesus' name. (Psalm 78:48)

A Prayer Concerning the Fire of God.

Heavenly Father,

We come before You with hearts filled with reverence and awe, acknowledging the power and purity of Your holy fire. Your Word tells us in Hebrews 12:29, "For our God is a consuming fire." We thank You for the transformative nature of Your fire, which purifies, refines, and ignites our spirits for Your glory.

Lord, we ask that Your fire burn within us, consuming everything that is not of You. As it says in Malachi 3:2-3, "But who can endure the day of his coming? Who can stand when he appears? For he is like a refiner's fire and like fullers' soap. He will sit as a refiner and purifier of silver; he will purify the sons of Levi and refine them like gold and silver." Purify our hearts, O God, and remove any impurities that hinder our walk with You.

We pray for the fire of Your Holy Spirit to ignite our passions for Your kingdom. As recorded in Acts 2:3-4, the disciples were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them. Empower us, Lord, with that same fire to boldly proclaim Your Word and share the love of Christ with those around us.

Father, let Your fire be a light that guides us. Just as in Exodus 13:21, You led the Israelites with a pillar of fire by night; guide us through the darkness with Your illumination. Help us to be sensitive to Your leading and to follow where You direct us.

We also ask that Your fire brings healing and restoration. In James 5:16, we are reminded, "The prayer of a righteous person is powerful and effective." May Your fire

burn away every stronghold of sickness and despair, bringing restoration to our bodies, minds, and spirits.

Finally, we pray that Your fire would protect us from the enemy. As it says in Isaiah 43:2, "When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire, you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you." Thank You for the assurance that Your presence surrounds us, keeping us safe even in the fiery trials of life.

May we continually seek Your fire, Lord, and may it produce a work within us that reflects Your love and holiness. In all things, may we glorify Your name.

In the mighty name of Jesus we pray, Amen.

BREAKING AND UPROOTING CURSES

1. We confess that we are redeemed from the curse of the law. We are new creatures in Christ Jesus. We receive our new life in Christ and commit to walk in His power. (Galatians 3:13)
2. We break all generational curses of pride, lust, perversion, rebellion, witchcraft, idolatry, poverty, rejection, fear, confusion, addiction, death, and destruction in the name of Jesus.
3. We command all generational spirits that came into our lives during conception, in the womb, in the birth canal, and through the umbilical cord to come out in Jesus' name.
4. We break all spoken curses and negative words that we have spoken over our own lives in the name of Jesus.
5. We break all spoken curses and negative words spoken over our lives by others, including those in authority, in Jesus' name.
6. We command all ancestral spirits of idolatry, witchcraft, false religion, polygamy, lust, and perversion to come out of our lives in the name of Jesus.
7. We command all hereditary spirits of lust, rejection, fear, sickness, infirmity, disease, anger, hatred, confusion, failure, and poverty to come out of our lives in Jesus' name.
8. We break the legal right of all generational spirits operating behind a curse in Jesus' name. We declare you have no right to operate in our lives.
9. We bind and rebuke all familiar spirits and spirit guides trying to operate in our lives from our ancestors, in Jesus' name.
10. We renounce all false beliefs and philosophies inherited by our ancestors in Jesus' name.
11. We break all curses on our finances from our ancestors that cheated or mishandled money in Jesus' name.
12. We break all curses of sickness and disease and command all inherited sickness to leave our bodies in the name of Jesus.
13. We renounce all pride and break all oaths, vows, and pacts made with the devil by our ancestors in Jesus' name.
14. We break all curses by agents of Satan spoken against our lives in secret in Jesus' name. (Psalm 10:7)

15. We break all written curses that would affect our lives in Jesus' name. (I Chronicles 34:24)
16. We break every time-released curse that would activate in our lives as we grow older in Jesus' name.
17. We pray that God turns every curse spoken against our lives into a blessing. (Nehemiah 13:2)
18. We break all generational rebellion that would cause us to resist the Holy Spirit. (Acts 7:51)
19. We break all curses of death spoken by people in authority in our nation and over our nation, in the name of Jesus.
20. We break curses of death spoken against America by people from other nations in Jesus' name.

Prayer of Freedom and Deliverance

Heavenly Father,

We come before You today with hearts open and yearning for Your divine intervention. We praise You for the truth that Your Son, Jesus Christ, has set us free, and we claim that promise today—for whom the Son sets free is free indeed (John 8:36). Lord, we stand on the authority of Your Word, which reminds us that You are our deliverer and liberator.

In the name of Jesus, we uproot and break every stronghold of the enemy that has taken root in our lives. We declare with conviction that no weapon formed against us shall prosper (Isaiah 54:17). Every chain that has bound us, every lie that has ensnared us, and every form of oppression that has held us down—right now, we speak to it with the power of Your name, and we demand it to be utterly destroyed!

Father, we ask that Your mighty right hand would come down with power to tear down the walls of fear, anxiety, addiction, and despair. Just as You declared, "I will lift my hand to the nations, and raise my banner to the peoples" (Isaiah 49:22), we raise our hearts to You, asking for Your victory to be manifested in our lives.

Lord, we ask for the light of Your truth to shine brightly in the dark corners where the enemy has tried to dwell. Let Your Word, which is sharper than any two-edged sword (Hebrews 4:12), penetrate and expose the hidden places of oppression. May Your Spirit sweep through our hearts, cleansing, renewing, and restoring us to the full life You have promised.

In our struggles, teach us to rely on your strength, for Your grace is sufficient for us, and Your power is made perfect in our weakness (2 Corinthians 12:9). Break any spirit of shame or

guilt that has held us captive, and remind us that we are a new creation in Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17).

As we step into this renewed freedom, help us to walk in Your light, shielded by Your truth, and nurtured by Your love. May we be bold in our testimony, sharing the goodness of Your deliverance with others who seek the same freedom.

We thank You, Lord, for the victory that is already ours in Christ Jesus. We glorify Your name, knowing that You have not given us a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and a sound mind (2 Timothy 1:7).

In the matchless name of Jesus, we pray.

Amen.

TERRITORIAL SPIRITS

1. We bind all territorial spirits in Southern Illinois that are assigned to undermine the vision of this house. "Whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven."(Matthew 18:18)

2. We command every knee to bow in heaven, on earth, and under the earth to the name of Jesus. (Philippians 2:10) "...that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth..."

3. We command all things that are in opposition, visible or invisible, to be made subject to the obedience of Christ. "We demolish arguments and every pretension that sets itself up against the knowledge of God, and we take captive every thought to make it obedient to Christ." (2 Corinthians 10:5)

4. We command principalities assigned to hold back the resources of Southern Illinois to give it back into the hands of God's people. "For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places." (Ephesians 6:12) "But remember the Lord your God, for it is He who gives you the ability to produce wealth..." (Deuteronomy 8:18)

5. We command and declare that God is turning our mourning into dancing, our captivity to freedom, so we can serve Him unhindered. (Isaiah 61:3) "To bestow on them a crown of beauty instead of ashes, the oil of joy instead of mourning, and a garment of praise instead of a spirit of despair..."

6. We decree an extension of the lifespan of God's people and release of everything that should have happened by now that has not happened. "With long life I will satisfy him and show him my salvation." (Psalm 91:16). "The path of the righteous is like the morning sun, shining ever brighter till the full light of day." (Proverbs 4:18)

7. We release money, husbands, wives, children, houses, debt cancellation, scholarships, sponsorships, promotions, new jobs, salary increases, divine turnarounds, favor, student loan payments, cars, and support networks in Jesus' name. "And my God will meet all your needs according to the riches of his glory in Christ Jesus." (Philippians 4:19). "The blessing of the Lord brings wealth, and he adds no trouble to it." (Proverbs 10:22)

Prayer to Bind Territorial Spirits in Southern Illinois and Declare Its Destiny.

Heavenly Father,

We come before You with hearts full of faith and authority, standing on the promises found in Your Word. We, as Your children and followers of Christ, unite our voices to declare victory over Southern Illinois.

In the name of Jesus, we bind every territorial spirit that has been assigned to undermine the vision of this house and the purposes You have set for this region. We boldly proclaim that "all authority in heaven and on earth" has been given to You (Matthew 28:18), and we take hold of that authority to dismantle every scheme of the enemy, and every stronghold that seeks to hold Your people captive.

We declare that "every knee shall bow" in heaven, on earth, and under the earth to the name of Jesus (Philippians 2:10). We command every spirit of opposition—visible or invisible—to be subject to the obedience of Christ (2 Corinthians 10:5). We stand firm, trusting that no work of darkness will prevail against the light of Your truth.

In the mighty name of Jesus, we command every principality that has been assigned to withhold the resources of Southern Illinois to release them back into the hands of Your faithful people. Your Word tells us that "You will provide for our needs according to Your riches in glory" (Philippians 4:19). We stand in expectation of Your provision flowing freely in this land.

We believe and declare that Southern Illinois is an oasis in the middle of a wilderness. As Your Word says in Isaiah 43:19, You are doing a new thing; now it springs up; do we not perceive it? You make a way in the wilderness and rivers in the desert. We trust that this region will flourish, becoming a place of refreshing and abundance for all who dwell here.

We declare and decree that You are turning our mourning into dancing and our captivity into freedom so we can serve You unhindered (Isaiah 61:3). We renounce despair and embrace the joy of the Lord as our strength. We thank You for the restoration that is coming forth!

In this sacred moment, we speak life and longevity into Your people. We declare an extension of their lifespans, and we release everything that should have happened by now, but has been delayed. We call forth the breakthroughs that are overdue, trusting that “no good thing will You withhold from those who walk uprightly” (Psalm 84:11).

In Jesus' name, we release the abundance that is rightfully ours: financial resources, divine relationships—including husbands, wives, and children—and the ownership of homes. We call forth debt cancellation, scholarships, sponsorships, promotions, new jobs, salary increases, divine turnarounds, favor in every endeavor, student loan payments, cars, and the support networks we need to flourish.

We declare that Southern Illinois is a land of blessing, where Your peace reigns, and Your purpose flourishes. As described in Ezekiel 34:26, we believe You will send down showers in season; there will be showers of blessing. Let Your will be done on earth as it is in heaven (Matthew 6:10).

We thank You, Lord, for the victory that is ours through Christ. We rejoice in the freedom and abundance that You are providing, trusting in Your faithfulness and love.

In Jesus' mighty name, we pray.

Amen.

INTERCESSION FOR LOST SOULS

1. We pray, believe, agree, and release Your spirit of faith in us to receive a great supernatural harvest of souls in the name of Jesus. (Acts 2:41-42) “Those who accepted his message were baptized, and about three thousand were added to their number that day. They devoted themselves to the apostles’ teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer.”

2. We corporately call to the east, west, north, and south, commanding lost souls to come and know the Lord. (Isaiah 43:6) “I will say to the north, ‘Give them up!’ and to the south, ‘Do not hold them back. Bring my sons from afar and my daughters from the ends of the earth.’”

3. Father, Your Word says that the harvest of souls is plenteous, but the laborers are small in number. We pray that You send equipped laborers to minister and witness to these lost souls You are calling our way. (Matthew 9:38) "Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

4. Satan, we bind you in Jesus' name and loose you from your activities and assignments in the lives of those that God is calling to be saved. (Matthew 18:18) "Truly I tell you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven."

5. We release Your light to dispel the darkness that blinds lost souls from being able to see their need for salvation. We intercede for lost souls and release the Holy Spirit to hover over them, guiding them to You in Jesus' name. "For God, who said, 'Let there be light in the darkness,' has made this light shine in our hearts so we could know the glory of God that is seen in the face of Jesus Christ." (2 Corinthians 4:6) "But the Holy Spirit will come upon you and give you power. You will be my witnesses in Jerusalem, and in all Judea and Samaria, and to the ends of the earth." (Acts 1:8)

6. Father, Your Word says that You will deliver those for whom we intercede, who are innocent, through the cleanness of our hands. We stand on Your Word and thank You for the salvation that is coming to lost souls everywhere. We commit this matter into Your hands, and with the eyes of faith, we see a multitude of souls entering the Kingdom of God in Jesus' name. (Job 22:30) "He will deliver even one who is not innocent, who will be delivered through the cleanness of your hands."

Prayer for Lost Souls and Prodigals

Heavenly Father,

We come before You with heavy hearts, lifting up every lost soul and every prodigal son and daughter who has wandered away from Your embrace. Your Word reminds us in Luke 15:20 that the father saw the prodigal son while he was still a long way off, filled with compassion, and ran to him. Father, we ask that You bring each of them back into Your loving arms.

Lord, we declare the promise of Jeremiah 29:13 that when they seek You with all their hearts, they will find You. We pray that You stir within them a hunger for Your presence and a desire for the truth of Your Word. May they feel the pull of Your love, drawing them back to You.

We know that every lost soul has an inherent value in Your sight, as stated in Matthew 18:12, where You ask, "What do you think? If a man owns a hundred sheep, and one of them wanders away, will he not leave the ninety-nine on the hills and go to look for the one that wandered off?" Lord, thank You for Your relentless pursuit of those who are lost.

Father, we pray for clarity and conviction upon their hearts. Just as You opened the eyes of the blind in Mark 8:25, we ask that You open their eyes to see their need for You. May the scales fall from their eyes, and may they recognize the emptiness they encounter without Your guiding light in their lives.

In Romans 2:4, Your Word tells us that "it is Your kindness that leads us to repentance." We ask for an outpouring of Your kindness upon them. Let them feel the warmth of Your love and the forgiveness that is so freely given through Christ Jesus. May they remember that nothing can separate them from Your love, as promised in Romans 8:38-39.

Lord, we stand on the promise of Isaiah 55:7, which says, "Let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the Lord, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon." We pray that they will return to You, trusting in Your abundant mercy and grace.

We also ask for the strength and wisdom of the Holy Spirit to guide their steps back home. Just as Psalm 23:3 states, You restore our souls. May they find restoration and healing as they turn back to You, the Good Shepherd.

Father, we thank You for the miraculous work You are doing in the hearts of the lost. May we, as a community of believers, extend our arms wide with love, celebrating every return to You, just as the father celebrated the prodigal son in Luke 15:22-24.

We commit these precious souls into Your hands, believing for a great harvest and for all Your promises to come to fruition. In Jesus' name, we pray, and we look forward to the day when every lost soul is found and every prodigal comes home.

We hold onto the truth of 2 Peter 3:9, which tells us, "The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead, he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance." Thank You, Lord, for Your incredible patience and Your longing for every heart to turn back to You. May these words resonate deeply within them, guiding them back to You.

Amen.

DIVINE HEALING

1. **We declare that we are healed**—both individually and collectively—by the stripes of Jesus, as proclaimed in Isaiah 53:5: "But he was pierced for our transgressions, he was

crushed for our iniquities; the punishment that brought us peace was on him, and by his wounds, we are healed."

2. **We pray for a revelation of our responsibility** to care for and maintain our bodies, recognizing that we are the temple of the Holy Spirit, as stated in 1 Corinthians 6:19-20: "Do you not know that your bodies are temples of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own; you were bought at a price."

3. **We boldly claim our healing in the name of Jesus** and look forward with expectation for the physical manifestation of that healing to occur, as promised in 1 Peter 2:24: "He himself bore our sins in his body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds, you have been healed."

4. **We declare deliverance from every affliction in our lives,** choosing to walk in faith and speak words filled with life and hope, inspired by Proverbs 18:21: "The tongue has the power of life and death, and those who love it will eat its fruit."

5. **We address the root of every ailment** and affirm that the price for our healing has already been paid in full, according to Matthew 8:16-17: "When evening came, many who were demon-possessed were brought to him, and he drove out the spirits with a word and healed all the sick. This was to fulfill what was spoken through the prophet Isaiah: 'He took up our infirmities and bore our diseases.'"

6. **With the authority given to us by God,** we command every visible symptom of disease and sickness to cease in the name of Jesus, based on Romans 8:2: "Because through Christ Jesus the law of the Spirit who gives life has set you free from the law of sin and death."

7. **We embrace and receive Your grace to adhere to Your Word,** ensuring that we are free from any Egyptian curses in Jesus' name, as stated in Deuteronomy 7:15: "The LORD will keep you free from every disease. He will not inflict on you the horrible diseases you knew in Egypt, but he will inflict them on all who hate you."

8. **We prophesy long life and vibrant health over all saints and family members in this house,** declaring it in Jesus' name, supported by Psalm 91:16: "With long life, I will satisfy him and show him my salvation."

9. **We proclaim our redemption from every curse,** walking boldly in that truth in Jesus' name, as affirmed in Galatians 3:13: "Christ redeemed us from the curse of the law by becoming a curse for us, for it is written: 'Cursed is everyone who is hung on a pole.'"

Prayer for Healing and Divine Health

Heavenly Father,

We humbly come before You today, grateful for Your love and mercy. We lift our hearts in prayer, trusting in Your divine power and the promises found in Your Word. As it is written in Jeremiah 30:17, "For I will restore health to you, and your wounds I will heal, declares the Lord." We claim this promise for ourselves and for our loved ones in need of healing.

Lord, we recognize that You are the Great Physician and the source of all life. Your Word tells us in Psalm 103:2-3, "Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits, who forgives all your iniquity, who heals all your diseases." We thank You for Your grace and for the healing that flows from Your heart.

We ask for Your healing touch upon those who are hurting—physically, emotionally, and spiritually. As You healed the woman with the issue of blood in Mark 5:34, saying, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease," we pray that they, too, may experience Your restorative power. Touch them, Lord, and renew their strength as You promised in Isaiah 40:31: "But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary; they will walk and not be faint."

May Your healing waters wash over those who are suffering. As the psalmist declared in Psalm 46:1, "God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble," may they find refuge in Your presence. Let them feel Your comfort and assurance in their time of need.

Father, we also remember the words spoken in John 10:10, "I came that they may have life and have it abundantly." We pray for an abundance of life, health, and vitality to flow into the lives of those who are struggling. Renew their spirits and remind them of the hope that is found in You.

As we come to You today, we also lift up prayers for emotional healing. Your Word in 2 Timothy 1:7 teaches us, "For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control." Help us to overcome anxiety and fear, filling us instead with Your peace that surpasses all understanding (Philippians 4:7).

Lord, let us stand in faith, believing that You hear our prayers. In James 5:15, we are told, "And the prayer of faith will save the one who is sick, and the Lord will raise him up." We trust in Your power to heal and restore.

Thank You, Father, for the assurance that You are always with us, working for our good. We lay our burdens at Your feet, and we wait with hope and expectation for Your healing touch.

In Jesus' name, we pray,
Amen.

LOVE YOURSELF AS GOD LOVES YOU

1. I will love the Lord my God with all my heart, all my soul, and all my mind.

"Jesus replied, 'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.'" — Matthew 22:37 (NLT)

2. I will love my neighbor as myself.

"A second is equally important: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.'" — Matthew 22:39 (NLT)

3. We bind any feelings of inferiority and self-hatred in the body of Christ. We release the spirit of truth within us that affirms we are created in God's image, as declared before the foundation of the world. We decree that we will see ourselves as You see us. Through Your grace, we declare that we are valuable and priceless. We will no longer assess our worth based on the criteria that You ignore, in the name of Jesus.

"Even before he made the world, God loved us and chose us in Christ to be holy and without fault in his eyes. God decided in advance to adopt us into his own family by bringing us to himself through Jesus Christ. This is what he wanted to do, and it gave him great pleasure. So we praise God for the glorious grace he has poured out on us who belong to his dear Son." — Ephesians 1:4-6 (NLT)

4. We agree with Your Word that we are new creations in Christ. The old life is gone, and by faith, the new life is manifesting in us now!

"This means that anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!" — 2 Corinthians 5:17 (NLT)

5. We release and walk in Your grace to speak life over ourselves and to bring forth God's new life through us and into the lives of others, in the name of Jesus.

"This means that anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!" — 2 Corinthians 5:17 (NLT)

We are purposeful in what we say about ourselves!

Proverbs 18:21 NLT

The tongue can bring death or life: those who love to talk will reap the consequences.

Isaiah 65:16 GNB

Anyone in the land who asks for a blessing will ask to be blessed by the Faithful God. Whoever takes an oath will swear by the name of the Faithful God. The troubles of the past will be gone and forgotten.

CONFESSIONS

1. I declare that Jesus is Lord over my spirit, soul, and body.

"At the name of Jesus, every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth." — Philippians 2:10

2. Jesus has given me wisdom, righteousness, sanctification, and redemption. I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.

“God has united you with Christ Jesus. For our benefit God made him to be wisdom itself. Christ made us right with God; he made us pure and holy, and he freed us from sin.” — 1 Corinthians 1:30

“For I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength.” — Philippians 4:13

3. The Lord provides for me. I suffer no lack. My God supplies all my needs according to His riches in glory by Christ Jesus.

“The Lord is my shepherd; I have all that I need.” — Psalm 23:1

“And this same God who takes care of me will supply all your needs from his glorious riches, which have been given to us in Christ Jesus.” — Philippians 4:19

4. I do not fret or have anxiety about anything. I give all my cares to God, and my mind is renewed with His Word; therefore, I walk in His peace.

“Don't worry about anything; instead, pray about everything.” — Philippians 4:6

“Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you.” — 1 Peter 5:7

5. I access, by faith, the mind of Christ and hold the thoughts, feelings, and purposes of His heart.

“For who can know the Lord's thoughts? Who knows enough to teach him? But we understand these things, for we have the mind of Christ.” — 1 Corinthians 2:16

6. I am a believer, not a doubter. I hold fast to my confessions of faith and choose to walk and practice faith, as my faith comes by hearing Your Word.

“So then, since we have a great High Priest who has entered heaven, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold firmly to what we believe.” — Hebrews 4:14

“And it is impossible to please God without faith.” — Hebrews 11:6

“Looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith.” — Hebrews 12:2

“So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ.” — Romans 10:17

7. The love of God has been poured into my heart by the Holy Spirit, and His love abides in me richly. I stay engaged in the kingdom of light and in love, so the wicked one cannot touch me.

“For we know how dearly God loves us, because he has given us the Holy Spirit to fill our hearts with his love.” — Romans 5:5

“We know how much God loves us, and we have put our trust in his love.” — 1 John 4:16

“We know that God's children do not make a practice of sinning, for God's Son holds them securely, and the evil one cannot touch them.” — 1 John 5:18

8. Above all else, I seek first the Kingdom of God and His righteousness. Because I do this, I am supplied with everything I need to fulfill my heavenly mandate.

“Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need.” — Matthew 6:33

9. The Lord is my light and my salvation; He is the strength of my life. I fear nothing and no one.

“The Lord is my light and my salvation—so why should I be afraid? The Lord is my fortress, protecting me from danger, so why should I tremble?” — Psalm 27:1

10. I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.

“For I can do everything through Christ, who gives me strength.” — Philippians 4:13

11. The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

“The Lord is my shepherd; I have all that I need.” — Psalm 23:1

12. I am fearfully and wonderfully made.

“Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex! Your workmanship is marvelous—how well I know it.” — Psalm 139:14

13. God's plans for me are good; to give me a future and a hope.

“For I know the plans I have for you, says the Lord. They are plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope.” — Jeremiah 29:11

14. I am more than a conqueror through Him who loved me.

“No, despite all these things, overwhelming victory is ours through Christ, who loved us.” — Romans 8:37

15. In God, I have strength and refuge in times of trouble.

“The Lord is good, a stronghold in the day of trouble; he knows those who take refuge in him.” — Nahum 1:7

16. I am forgiven and washed clean by the blood of Jesus Christ.

“He is so rich in kindness and grace that he purchased our freedom with the blood of his Son and forgave our sins.” — Ephesians 1:7

17. God's love for me endures forever.

“Give thanks to the Lord, for he is good! His faithful love endures forever.” — Psalm 136:26

18. I am chosen, holy, and dearly loved by God.

“Since God chose you to be the holy people he loves, you must clothe yourselves with tenderhearted mercy, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience.” — Colossians 3:12

19. The joy of the Lord is my strength.

“Don’t be dejected and sad, for the joy of the Lord is your strength!” — Nehemiah 8:10

20. God will never leave nor forsake me; He is always with me.

“So be strong and courageous! Do not be afraid or terrified, for the Lord your God goes with you; he will never leave you nor forsake you.” — Deuteronomy 31:6

21. My steps are ordered by the Lord.

“The Lord directs the steps of the godly. He delights in every detail of their lives.” — Psalm 37:23

22. I can cast all my anxieties on Him because He cares for me.

“Give all your worries and cares to God, for he cares about you.” — 1 Peter 5:7

23. God has not given me a spirit of fear, but of power, love, and self-control.

“For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline.” — 2 Timothy 1:7

24. The peace of God surpasses all understanding; it guards my heart and mind in Christ Jesus.

“Then you will experience God’s peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.” — Philippians 4:7

25. My faith can move mountains.

“You can say to this mountain, ‘May you be lifted up and thrown into the sea,’ and it will happen.” — Matthew 17:20

26. I am a new creation in Christ; the old has passed away, and the new has come.

“This means that anyone who belongs to Christ has become a new person. The old life is gone; a new life has begun!” — 2 Corinthians 5:17

27. God's grace is sufficient for me; His power is made perfect in my weakness.

“But he said to me, ‘My grace is all you need. My power works best in weakness.’” — 2 Corinthians 12:9

28. I am an heir of God and a co-heir with Christ.

“And since we are his children, we are his heirs. In fact, together with Christ, we are heirs of God’s glory.” — Romans 8:17

29. The Lord will fight for me; I need only to be still.

“The Lord will fight for you; you need only to be still.” — Exodus 14:14

30. I am healed by the stripes of Jesus.

“Yet it was our weaknesses he carried; it was our sorrows that weighed him down. And we thought his troubles were a punishment from God, a punishment for his own sins! But he was pierced for our rebellion, crushed for our sins. He was beaten so we could be whole. He was whipped so we could be healed.” — Isaiah 53:4-5

31. God restores my health and heals my wounds.

“I will give you back your health and heal your wounds,” says the Lord. — Jeremiah 30:17

32. I have the spirit of power, love, and self-control.

“For God has not given us a spirit of fear and timidity, but of power, love, and self-discipline.” — 2 Timothy 1:7

33. I will not be anxious about anything, but I will present my requests to God.

“Don’t worry about anything; instead, pray about everything. Tell God what you need, and thank him for all he has done.” — Philippians 4:6

34. The Lord is my refuge and strength; He is my help in trouble.

“God is our refuge and strength, always ready to help in times of trouble.” — Psalm 46:1

35. I am filled with God's peace that surpasses all understanding.

“Then you will experience God’s peace, which exceeds anything we can understand. His peace will guard your hearts and minds as you live in Christ Jesus.” — Philippians 4:7

36. By faith, I claim the abundant life that Jesus promised.

“The thief’s purpose is to steal and kill and destroy. My purpose is to give them a rich and satisfying life.” — John 10:10

37. With God's help, I can overcome any fear or anxiety.

“But when I am afraid, I will put my trust in you. I praise God for what he has promised; I trust in God, so why should I be afraid? What can mere mortals do to me?” — Psalm 56:3-4

38. I am strengthened in my inner being through God’s Spirit.

“I pray that from his glorious, unlimited resources he will empower you with inner strength through his Spirit.” — Ephesians 3:16

39. I trust in the Lord with all my heart, and I know He will direct my path.

“Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding. Seek his will in all you do, and he will show you which path to take.” — Proverbs 3:5-6

Binding the Strongmen

The first step is to suit up.

Ephesians 6:10-13

¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might. ¹¹ Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. ¹² For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this age, against spiritual *hosts* of wickedness in the heavenly *places*.

¹³ Therefore take up the whole armor of God, that you may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.

The second step is recognition.

We aren’t wrestling, fighting, or conquering humans or their personalities. Instead, recognize that we are fighting and warring against Satan himself and his henchmen.

James 4:7

⁷Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.

Get grounded in God's word and then you will not be in confusion about who and what you are fighting. Paul instructed Timothy to study to show himself approved, a workman that wouldn't be ashamed. (2 Timothy 2:15)

By studying, we will rightly recognize how, when, and who we are fighting. We are not ignorant of the enemy's devices.

The third step is to walk and war in faith.

Romans 10:17

¹⁷So then faith *comes* by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

God's word is the cornerstone and the building block of all faith. Never get outside of His Word.

When you stand fully on His Word in faith, Jesus gave us the instructions to follow.

Matthew 18:18-20

¹⁸"Assuredly, I say to you, whatever you bind on earth will be bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth will be loosed in heaven.

¹⁹"Again I say to you that if two of you agree on earth concerning anything that they ask, it will be done for them by My Father in heaven. ²⁰For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them."

The fourth step is for us to take action.

Romans 13:12-14

¹²The night is far spent, the day is at hand. Therefore, **let us** cast off the works of darkness, and **let us** put on the armor of light. ¹³**Let us** walk properly, as in the day, not in revelry and drunkenness, not in lewdness and lust, not in strife and envy. ¹⁴**But put on** the Lord Jesus Christ, **and make no provision** for the flesh, to *fulfill its* lusts.

Wake up, walk it out, put off the works of darkness, and make no provision for your flesh.

There is no doubt that we are at war; we must war for ourselves and for others.

Jesus said in Matthew 12:29 ²⁹ Or how can one enter a strong man's house and plunder his goods, unless he first binds the strong man? And then he will plunder his house.

Then again in Luke 11:21-22 ²¹ When a strong man, fully armed, guards his own palace, his goods are in peace. ²² But when a stronger than he comes upon him and overcomes him, he takes from him all his armor in which he trusted, and divides his spoils.

Jesus is teaching a powerful truth: that to win the war and plunder the camp of the enemy, we must bind up the strongman.

We often bind up symptoms instead of the root issue. It's time, as Paul said, to stop flailing away at shadows and get down to the root of the issue.

The Bible gives clear indication of thirteen strongmen. The following pages are designed to assist you in understanding what you are truly facing and how to bind up that strongman and take back what the enemy has stolen from you.

The spirit of divination

(Acts 16:16-18)

Symptoms of this strongman

Fortune teller/soothsayer (Micah 5:12; Isaiah 2:6)

Warlocks/Witches, Sorcerer (Exodus 22:18)

Stargazer- Zodiac, Horoscopes (Isaiah 47:13; Leviticus 19:26; Jeremiah 10:2)

Drugs (Greek = pharmakos = pharmaceuticals - Galatians 5:20; Revelation 9:21; 18:23; 21:8; 22:15)

Rebellion (1 Samuel 15:23)

Hypnotist, Enchanter (Deuteronomy 18:1; Isaiah 19:3)

Water witching (Hosea 4:12)

Magic (Exodus 7:11; 8:7; 9:11)

Matthew 18:18 gives us the authority to bind up this spirit and strongman of divination.

Once you have bound this strongman up, you must loose the Holy Spirit and the gifts that God has given to the believer. (1 Corinthians 12:9-12)

Divination is the practice of attempting to foretell the future and discover hidden knowledge by occult or supernatural means.

We must loose the spirit of prophecy that is given by the Holy Spirit.

Familiar Spirit

(Leviticus 19:31)

Symptoms of this strongman

Necromancer (Deuteronomy 18:11; 1 Chronicles 10:13)

Mediums (1 Samuel Chapter 28)

Peeping and Muttering (Isaiah 8:19; 29:4; 59:3)

Passive mind states and dreamers (Jeremiah 23:16,25,32; Jeremiah 27:9-10)

Drugs (Greek = pharmakos = pharmaceuticals - Galatians 5:20; Revelation 9:21; 18:23; 21:8; 22:15)

Spiritist (1 Samuel 28)

Clairvoyant (1 Samuel 28:7-8)

False Prophecy (Isaiah 8:19; 29:4)

Matthew 18:18 gives us the authority to bind up this strongman and familiar spirit.

Once you have bound this strongman up, you must loose the Holy Spirit and the gifts that God has given to the believer. (1 Corinthians 12:9-12)

Spirit of Jealousy

(Numbers 5:14)

Symptoms of this strongman

Murder (Genesis 4:8)

Jealousy (Numbers 5:14,30)

Revenge, Spite (Proverbs 6:34; 14:16-17)

Anger and Rage (Genesis 4:5-6; Proverbs 6:34; 14:9; 22:24-25; 29:22-23)

Strife (Proverbs 10:12)

Hatred (Genesis 37:3,4,8; 1 Thessalonians 4:8)

Extreme Competition (Genesis 4:4-5)

Cruelty (Song of Solomon 8:6; Proverbs 27:4)

Contention (Proverbs 13:10)

Cause Divisions (Galatians 5:19)

Envy (Proverbs 14:30)

According to Matthew 18:18

Bind up the spirit of jealousy

Loose the Love of God

1 Corinthians 13 and Ephesians 5:2

Lying Spirit

(2 Chronicles 18:22)

Symptoms of this strongman

Strong Deception (2 Thessalonians 2:9-13)

Flattery (Psalm 78:36; Proverbs 20:19, 26:28; 29:5)

Religious Bondages (Galatians 5:1)

Superstitions (1 Timothy 4:7)

False Prophecy (Jeremiah 23:16-17; 27:9-10; Matthew 7:15)

Accusations (Revelation 12:10; Psalm 31:18)

Lies (2 Chronicles 18:22; Proverbs 6:16-19)

Gossip (1 Timothy 6:20; 2 Timothy 2:16)

Slander (Proverbs 10:18)

False Teachers (2 Peter chapters 1-3)

According to Matthew 18:18

Bind the lying spirit

Loose the spirit of truth (Jesus)

John 14:17; 15:26 and 16:13

Perverse Spirit

Isaiah 19:14

Symptoms of this strongman

Broken Spirit (Proverbs 15:4)
Atheist (Proverbs 14:2; Romans 1:30)
Evil Actions (Proverbs 17:20,23)
Filthy Mind (Proverbs 2:12, 23:33)
Abortion (Exodus 20:13; 21:22-23)
Sexual perversions /incest/pornography (Romans 1:17-32; 2 Timothy 3:2)
Doctrinal Error (Isaiah 19:14; Romans 1:22-23; 2 Timothy 3:7-8)
Chronic Worry (Proverbs 19:3)
Twisting the Word of God (Acts 13:10; 2 Peter 2:14)
Foolish (Proverbs 1:22; 19:1)
Contentious (Philippians 2:14-16; 1 Timothy 6:4-5; Titus 3:10-11)

According to Matthew 18:18, we must bind the perverse spirit.

We must then loose God's spirit, pureness, and holiness.

Zechariah 12:10; Hebrews 10:29

Spirit of Haughtiness (Pride)

Proverbs 16:18

Symptoms of this strongman

Pride (Proverbs 6:16-19 28:25; Isaiah 16:6)
Self-Deception (Jeremiah 49:16; Obadiah 1:3)
Scornful (Proverbs 1:22; 3:34; 21:24; 24:9; 29:8)
Idleness (Ezekiel 16:49-50)
Arrogance, Smugness (2 Samuel 22:8; Jeremiah 48:29; Isaiah 2:11,17; 5:15)
Obstinate (Proverbs 29:1; Daniel 5:20)
Strife (Proverbs 28:25)
Contentious (Proverbs 13:10)
Rejection of God (Psalm 10:4; Jeremiah 43:2)
Self-righteous (Luke 18:11-12)
Rebellion (1 Samuel 15:23; Proverbs 29:1)

According to Matthew 18:18, we have the authority to bind the spirit of haughtiness (pride).

Then we must loose a humble and contrite spirit.

Proverbs 16:19; Romans 1:4

Spirit of Heaviness

(Isaiah 61:3)

Symptoms of this strongman

Excessive Mourning (Isaiah 61:3; Luke 4:18)

Sorrow, grief (Nehemiah 2:2; Proverbs 15:13)

Self-Pity (Psalm 69:20)

Rejection

Insomnia (Nehemiah 2:2)

Broken Heart (Psalm 69:20; Proverbs 12:18; Luke 4:18)

Despair, Dejection and Hopelessness (2 Corinthians 1:8-9)

Depression (Isaiah 61:3)

Suicidal thoughts (Mark 9)

Heaviness (Isaiah 61:3)

Inner Hurts and Torn Spirit (Luke 4:18; Proverbs 18:14; 26:22)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the spirit of heaviness and loose the great comforter. **Release the garment of praise and the oil of joy.**

John 15:26; Isaiah 61:3

Spirit of Whoredoms

Hosea 5:4

Symptoms of this strongman

Unfaithfulness and adultery (Ezekiel 16:15,28; Proverbs 5:1-14; Galatians 5:19)

Chronic Dissatisfaction (Ezekiel 16:28)

Love of money (Proverbs 15:27; I timothy 6:7-14)

Fornication (Hosea 4:13-19)

Idolatry (Judges 2:17; Ezekiel chapter 16; Leviticus 17:7)
Prostitution of spirit, soul, & body (Ezekiel 16:15,28, Proverbs 5:1-14; Deuteronomy 23:17-18)
Excessive appetite (1 Corinthians 6:13-16; Philippians 3:19)
Worldliness (James 4:4)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the spirit of whoredoms and
loose the Spirit of God and a pure spirit.

Spirit of Infirmary

Luke 13:11-13

Symptoms of this strongman

Bent body and/or spine (Luke 13:11)
Impotent, frail, lameness (John 5:5; Acts 3:2; 4:9)
Asthma, Hay fever; allergies (John 5:5)
Arthritis (John 5:5)
Lingering Disorders (Luke 13:11; John 5:5)
Weakness (Luke 13:11; John 5:5)
Cancer (Luke 13:11; John 5:4)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the spirit of infirmity and **loose**
the Spirit of life and the gifts of healing.

Romans 8:2; I Corinthians 12:9

Dumb and Deaf Spirit

Mark 9:17-29

Symptoms of this strongman

Dumb, Mute (Mark 9:25; Matthew 9:32-33; 12:22; 15:30-31; Luke 11:14; Isaiah 35:5-6)
Ear Problems (Mark 9:25-26)

Crying (Mark 9:26)
Drowning (Mark 9:22)
Mental Illness (Matthew 17:15; Mark 5:5; Mark 9:17)
Blindness (Matthew 12:22)
Foaming at the mouth (Mark 9:39; Luke 9:39)
Tearing (Mark 9:18, 20, 26)
Suicidal (Mark 9:22)
Gnashing teeth (Mark 9:15)
Seizures, Epilepsy (Mark 9:18,20,26)
Burn (Mark 9:22)
Pining away (Mark 9:18)
Prostration (Mark 9:26)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the deaf and dumb spirit and loose the resurrection and life. **We release the gift of healing in Jesus' name.**

Spirit of Bondage

Romans 8:15

Symptoms of this strongman

Fears (Romans 8:15)
Fear of Death (Hebrews 2:14-15)
Addictions (Romans 8:15; 2 Peter 2:19)
Servant of Corruption (Luke 8:26-29; John 8:34; Acts 8:23; Romans 6:16; 7:23)
Captivity to Satan (2 Peter 2:19)
Compulsive Sin (Proverbs 5:22; John 8:34)
Bondage to Sin (2 Timothy 2:26)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the spirit of bondage and loose the Spirit of God that brings liberty. **We release the spirit of adoption whereby we cry, "Abba Father."**

Romans 8:15; 2 Corinthians 3:17

Spirit of Fear

2 Timothy 1:7

Symptoms of this strongman

Fears and phobias (Isaiah 37:7-8; 2 Timothy 1:7)
Nightmares and Night Terrors (Psalm 91:5-6; Isaiah 54:14)
Torment and Horror (Psalm 55:5; 1 John 4:18)
Heart attacks (Psalm 55:4; Luke 21:26; John 14:1,27)
Fear of Man (Proverbs 29:25; Jeremiah 1:8; Ezekiel 2:6-7; 3:9)
Fear of Death (Psalm 55:4; Hebrews 2:14-15)
Anxiety and stress (1 Peter 5:7)
Lack of trust and doubt (Matthew 8:26; Revelation 21:8)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the spirit of fear and **loose the Spirit of God's love and His power; may the spirit of the Lord bring peace and a sound mind.**

2 Timothy 1:7

Seducing Spirits

1 Timothy 4:1

Symptoms of this strongman

Hypocritical lies (1 Timothy 4:1; Proverbs 12:22)
Deception (Romans 7:11; 2 Timothy 3:13; 2 Thessalonians 2:10; 1 John 2:18-28)
Attraction/Fascination to/with false prophets and signs and wonders (Mark 13:22)
Seared Conscience (1 Timothy 4:1; James 1:14)
Wander from the Truth (Deuteronomy 13:6-8; 2 Timothy 3:13)
Seducers and Enticers (1 Timothy 4:1; 2 Timothy 3:13; Proverbs 1:10)
Fascination with evil ways, objects, and people (Proverbs 12:26)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we must bind up the seducing spirits of our age and **we loose the Holy Spirit, the spirit of truth and grace, in Jesus' matchless name.**

Spirit of Antichrist

1 John 4:3

Symptoms of this strongman

Denies the Deity of Jesus Christ (1 John 4:3; 2 John 7)

Denies the atonement (1 John 4:3)

Stands against Christ and His teachings (2 Thessalonians 2:4; 1 John 4:3)

Humanism (2 Thessalonians 2:3,7)

Anti-Christian (Revelation 13:7)

Teaches Heresies (1 John 2:18-19)

Worldly speech and actions (1 John 4:5)

Deceiver (2 Thessalonians 2:4; 2 John 7)

Lawlessness (2 Thessalonians 2:3-12)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we bind up the spirit of antiChrist and **we release (loose) the spirit of truth and revelation.**

1 John 4:6

Spirit of Error

1 John 4:6

Symptoms of this strongman

False Doctrines (1 Timothy 6:20-21; 2 Timothy 4:3; Titus 3:10; 1 John 4:1-6)

Error (Proverbs 14:22; 2 Peter 3:16-17; 1 John 4:6)

Unteachable (Proverbs 10:17; 12:1; 13:18; 15:10,12,32; 2 Timothy 4:1-4)

Not submissive (Proverbs 29:1; 1 John 4:6)

Servant of Corruption (2 Peter 2:19)

New Age (2 Peter 2:10)

Contentious (James 3:16)

Defensive and argumentative (They will defend "God's revelations" that God gave them personally) (2 Peter 1:20; 2 Thessalonians 2:10-12)

By the authority given to us in Matthew 18:18, we bind up the spirit of error and **we release (loose) the spirit of truth and revelation.**

As a last word - even though we find ourselves in a spiritual warfare, and strongmen and demonic forces are real, present, and at work in our world - we should take courage.

We have been given every resource to be victorious. The scripture records great truths to us.

³¹What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? ³² He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? **³³Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies.** **³⁴Who is he who condemns?** *It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us.* **³⁵Who shall separate us from the love of Christ?** *Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?* ³⁶ As it is written:

*"For Your sake we are killed all day long;
We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter."*

³⁷Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. ³⁸ For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, ³⁹ nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 8:31-39)

It is true that there are demonic forces at work, but the greater truth is that your name is written in the Lamb's book of life and these demonic forces and evil spirits are subject to you as a believer.

Luke 10:20 ²⁰ Nevertheless do not rejoice in this, that the spirits are subject to you, but rather rejoice because your names are written in heaven."

You are a child of God and you have greater authority than those forces that would try and separate you from the love of God. You are more than a conqueror, through Christ Jesus. You are Victorious.

May you walk in that authority as the child of God that you are.

Build up your most inner self (Jude 1:20)

Walk in discernment (1 John 4:1)

Take dominion and authority (Luke 10:19; Psalm 8:6)

Give God all the Glory (1 Corinthians 10:31; 1 Peter 4:11)

Pray in the Spirit (Romans 8:26; Ephesians 6:18)

Walk in faith and do not give into fear (Luke 10:19; Isaiah 54:17; James 2:19; James 4:7)