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DAYS**

OF RECEIVING
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INTO EXHIBITING
THE GOOD LIFE.

"YE SHALL KNOW THE TRUTH, AND
THE TRUTH SHALL MAKE YOU FREE"
(JOHN 8.32)

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Other Translations

AMP - Amplified Bible

AMPC - Amplified Bible, Classic Edition

BBE - Bible in Basic English

DBY - Darby's New Translation

EASY - Easy English Bible

ERV - Easy to Read Version

MNT - Montgomery New Testament

MSG - The Message

NET - New English translation

NKJV - New King James Version

RSV - Revised Standard Version

TCNT - Twentieth Century New Testament

TLB - The Living Bible

TPT - The Passion Translation

WNT - Weymouth New Testament

YLT - Young's Literal Translation

INTRODUCTION

The final, fastest, and widest move of the Holy Spirit just before the catching up (rapture) of the church has been birthed. It is the move, which is causing a massive global harvest of souls into the kingdom and the ripening of the body of Christ unto the unity of the faith and of the knowledge of Jesus Christ to live as icons of Christ.

This devotional, the Emancipator, is a tool which will get men born again into sons of God. It will also equip you to mature and live as the icon of Christ here on earth, being relevant in God's final agenda.

HOW TO USE THE EMANCIPATOR

- Read along with your Bible and notebook so that you can make notes / reference as the Holy Spirit speaks to you
- Carefully but prayerfully read the summarized but life loaded articles.
- Spend a few minutes meditating and reflecting on the message in the context of your life carefully noting down any lessons you've learnt.
- Meaningfully follow the prayers and confessions

You are guaranteed an upward and forward only life if you are consistent with this Good Life Devotional (the Emancipator) for these 31 days.

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MONDAY JULY 31

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: SOME WILL SUCCEED, YET OTHERS WILL FAIL

John 12:8 ***“For the poor always ye have with you; but me ye have not always.”***

While still growing up in Christ, I discovered from the Bible the kind of superior beings that Christians are and I began having a few challenges with certain portions of the Bible that addressed Christians as weak like Romans 15:1. But after decades of a personal walk with God, I understood that even God had to accept those lower states for some people including some of His sons and daughters because they are just not ready for His perfect will for their lives. This is why there are different levels of His will - the good, acceptable and perfect (Romans 12:2). A typical example is our main scripture for today. How can Jesus, who took human poverty to usher all of humanity into divine wealth according to 2 Corinthians 8:9, easily accept that the poor will always be on earth? It is because He knows that irrespective of how much is revealed about their wealth, some will still not believe and will remain poor. In the same vein, there will always be people among the masses, the failed, the downtrodden, frustrated and confused but that is not God's perfect will. The ball is in your court! Choose which quality of life you want.

Prayer

Oh Lord, that many more by the Holy Spirit, will have the eyes of their understanding enlightened to accept your call unto that great and successful life in Christ in Jesus' name.

TUESDAY AUGUST 1

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: FAILURE IN LIFE IS A CHOICE

Genesis 4:7 (NLT) ***“You will be accepted if you do what is right. But if you refuse to do what is right, then watch out! Sin is crouching at the door, eager to control you. But you must subdue it and be its master.”***

One truthful fact of life is that failure in life is a personal choice. Some will disagree with this because they are not even aware that by their attitude, they have unconsciously made a choice to fail. Though there may be very compelling environmental factors, ultimately, it takes your decision to fail in life. Examining our scripture today, we can see that though with the same God, same parents and same instructions, Abel succeeded but Cain failed. Why? Cain chose to. How do you know if you’ve chosen to fail in life? When you are careless about God’s instructions concerning life e.g., King Saul; when you mainly blame others for the conditions of your life and do nothing e.g., Cain; when you refuse to see that you are a major player in your own success, e.g., positive lesson from four lepers, and when you are lazy e.g., the sluggard of Proverbs 6:10-11. Take time to personally brood on each of these and if you realize there is any in your life, subject it to the purifying ministry of the Spirit in prayer and meditation until they are flushed out of your life.

Confession

I receive grace now from this message to accurately assess my life and get re-programmed for success in Jesus’ name.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 2

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: SUCCESS IN LIFE IS A CHOICE

2 Kings 7:3 (AMP) ***"Now four men who were lepers were at the entrance of the [city's] gate; and they said to one another, "Why should we sit here until we die?"***

Like failure, success in life is a personal choice. Luck and chance are delusions of Satan that don't give durable success in life. If you want to be a success in life as God ordained for you, you must decide today. How do you decide to be a success in life? First realize that success is God's will for you. Let no one deceive you that you were born to be a nobody, sickly, downtrodden, poor and subjugated in life. Then rise up to challenge your current situation. Secondly, instead of worrying, choose to sit down and do a positive analysis of the situation with the goal of finding a righteous way out. Thirdly, instead of complaining and blaming others, choose to accept that you are the one to change your state. Fourthly, believe that no matter how huge the odds or challenges to your success may seem, there is always a righteous way out. Finally, choose to rise and take action no matter how little or insignificant your steps may appear to be.

Confession

I choose by the leading and power of the Holy Spirit to be a mighty success in my generation in Jesus' name.

THURSDAY AUGUST 3

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE SUCCESSFUL MENTALITY

Philippians 4:13 (AMP) ***"I can do all things [which He has called me to do] through Him who strengthens and empowers me [to fulfill His purpose-I am self-sufficient in Christ's sufficiency; I am ready for anything and equal to anything through Him who infuses me with inner strength and confident peace.]"***

Successful people have a certain mentality. By successful people we don't necessarily mean humanly wealthy, influential or famous people but those who have harnessed their divine potentials and resources in Christ Jesus to fulfill their God ordained purpose in life. The mentality of the successful people is one of absolute conviction in their ability to succeed despite any kind of challenges. A mindset is a spiritual voice that attracts or repels things. How a mindset works is supernatural. The power of God can be drawn and brought into physical manifestation by your mentality (Proverbs 23:7; Romans 8:7). When you think, "inability" it magnifies your challenges and makes you smaller, weaker and incapacitated (Numbers 13:33) but when you are, "I-can-do-it-minded", God's power flows towards you to energize, inspire, strengthen and enable you for success.

Confession

In the name of Jesus, I receive through this message an impartation of the grace to develop the mentality for a successful life.

FRIDAY AUGUST 4

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: HOW THE SUCCESSFUL WORKS

Colossians 1:29 (AMP) *“For this I labor [often to the point of exhaustion], striving with His power and energy, which so greatly works within me.”*

Again, there is a way successful people work. Because of their mentality of being able to succeed, they don't work as a trial. They work as the means to the goal and so they work hard. Oh mine! Successful people really work hard. I am amazed to discover that even in spiritual work no one can succeed without hard work. Success without hard work is a delusion of Satan. It takes labour in prayer, labour in the Word, labour in meditation and labour in application to realize a divine transformation and upgrade. It is so in every field of endeavour. The mentality that just a prayer or a release of grace from somewhere is all you need for success, is a plain decision to fail because in addition to prayer and grace, you must work hard. Even with the load of grace upon Apostle Paul, he laboured (1 Corinthians 15:10) to become a success in his life. Rise today! Throw the jacket of laziness off yourself and step into the arena of the successful ones.

Confession

Dear Holy Spirit, I receive a supernatural infusion of grace to labour with your power and energy in all areas of my life in Jesus' name.

SATURDAY AUGUST 5

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: HOW THE SUCCESSFUL SEES

Philippians 3:14 (KJV) ***“I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus.”***

The people who are successful are always driven by a vision of a greater level of achievement, impact and fulfillment than their present state. It's not enough to be dissatisfied with your current level and proceed to desire to achieve more. You must develop a vision of your next level. Successful people always see clearly where they want to get to as they work and their vision inspires, energizes and empowers them to work hard. If you take time to discover your place, ability and resources in Christ Jesus, it will create a vision for you. Give yourself to the fellowship of the Holy Spirit in prayer and in the Word of God's grace (Acts 20:32) and you'll always have a fresh vision of your higher place in life to drive you from one level of success to the next higher one.

Confession

By the Holy Spirit and through the Word, I am a great visionary. I see my next higher level of success and I am driven by it at the same time in Jesus' name.

SUNDAY AUGUST 6

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: PRAYER AND CONFESSION OF THE WEEK

Oh dear Holy Spirit, I am extremely grateful for Your teaching this week. By the life and spirit I have received, I rise today in Your glorious power to be the most successful version of myself in the name of Jesus. I boldly declare that, "I am ready for anything and equal to anything through your infusion of inner strength and confident peace in Jesus' name.

MONDAY AUGUST 7

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: SATAN AND HIS KINGDOM

Matthew 12:26 (NET) ***“So if Satan casts out Satan, he is divided against himself. How then will his kingdom stand?”***

Satan is a real living angelic creation of God Almighty. The scriptures reveal that he was so specially gifted of God that he was the covering Cherub of a secret place around God referred to as the sides of the north (Ezekiel 28:14-16). In addition, he was granted a throne to rule over some pre-Adamic race of man. But in his trafficking between God’s holy mountain and hence earthly territory, he got his ways corrupted and thought to exalt his throne above the stars of God. The fury of God against his plans resulted in a judgmental flood that cast him down to the earth and destroyed it (Isaiah 14:12-14; Jeremiah 4:23-27; Genesis 1:1-2). Together with some other rebellious angels and the dis-embodied spirits of the pre-Adamic creatures, Satan has a well-structured kingdom set up in the darkness under heaven which Jesus refers to in our opening verse. Every child of God must understand these basic facts about Satan and his kingdom to live above his distractive tricks on earth.

Thanksgiving

Dear Heavenly Father, thank You for making me know that Satan is but one of Your numerous creatures. You alone are the only true God and Jesus Christ Your holy Son, the Saviour of mankind and our Lord.

TUESDAY AUGUST 8

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE TOTAL DEFEAT OF SATAN

Revelation 20:10 ***“And the devil that deceived them was cast into the lake of fire and brimstone, where the beast and the false prophet are, and shall be tormented day and night for ever and ever.”***

The overview of scriptural truth reveals that the total defeat of Satan will be in six stages. The first stage of Satan’s defeat was his casting down during his attempt at personal exaltation (Isaiah 14:12-14). The second stage was when Jesus defeated him in hell and took Adamic authority from him (Colossians 2:15; Luke 11:21-22). The third stage is the enforcement of his defeat by the Church as he tries to lord his nefarious tricks over humans and immature sons of God (Matthew 16:18; Mark 16:17-18). The fourth and the fifth stages will be his defeat when he deceives nations to fight Christ at His second coming and in the earthly millennial kingdom (Revelations 19:19-21; 20:7-9). The sixth and final stage will be his incarceration into the lake of fire forever (Revelation 20:10). So, it is important to understand that though defeated and powerless over sons of God, he is still around for the stages of his defeat to be completed. As a creature in rebellion, he will still try to see if he can through deception steal, kill and destroy.

Confession

The devil is a defeated foe. As a son of God, I cast out his demons and establish the victory of my Lord Jesus wherever I go, in Jesus’ name.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 9

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE CHRISTIAN AND THE HUMAN

2 Corinthinns 5:16 (TLV) ***“So from now on we recognize no one according to the flesh. Even though we have known Messiah according to the flesh, yet now we no longer know Him this way.”***

One aspect of Biblical truth which has taken much too long for the body of Christ to recognize so that the rest of the world will know, is the fact of the absolute difference between the Christian and the human. Talking about the result of substitutionary work Jesus did for mankind, the scriptures says it is time to stop recognizing people according to their flesh because anyone in Christ has ceased to be human but a new creature. That the Christian continues to live on earth in a human body poses the risk of being miss assessed hence the scriptures instructs us not to. It is time for the body of Christ to wake up to this fact that we are born of God (John 1:12-13) through the seed of the Word (1 Peter 1:23) and are therefore totally different from humans who are born of men through the human sperm. No Christian can properly “relate” with Satan and the numerous spiritual creatures as God desires without a clear understanding of your divine nature and placement in spirit (2 Peter 1:4; Ephesians 2:6).

Confession

Being born of God, divinity is my nature. I am now a being of a superior breed to Satan and all creatures in his kingdom. Glory to God!

THURSDAY AUGUST 10

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE CHRISTIAN AND DEMONIC INFLUENCE

2 Peter 1:4 (NLT) ***“And because of his glory and excellence, he has given us great and precious promises. These are the promises that enable you to share his divine nature and escape the world's corruption caused by human desires.”***

If the understanding of the divine nature of the new creature in Christ dawns on you, it will suddenly become clear to you that by nature, the Christian is too superior a being to be influenced or controlled by Satan or his demons. Thus, in absolute terms, real Christians don't waste their time on Satan and his issues but are focused on God's will and purpose because not only are they totally free from his tyrannical influence (Colossians 1:13) but also they are commissioned to eject and abort his work everywhere (Mark 16:17). However just like all other goodies available in Christ, maturity is the key to enjoyment. So, an immature Christian with a carnal mindset and ungodly bodily desires is an open access to demonic control. So, it is common to find sons of God still controlled or influenced by demons into anger, immorality, worldliness, addictions of all kinds only because their minds have not yet been renewed neither are their bodies living sacrifices into God (Romans 12:1-2). However, the truth remains that a Christian is an absolute master over Satan and all his demons.

Prayer

Dear Father, I apply myself by the power of the Holy Spirit to the study and practice of Your Word for my maturity in Christ, to enjoy my mastery over Satan and all his demons in Jesus' name.

FRIDAY AUGUST 11

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE CHRISTIAN AND SPIRITUAL WARFARE

Ephesians 6:12 ***“For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.”***

Beware of experience-based perspectives on spiritual warfare in Christianity arising from occultic information and not the scriptures. A simple scriptural understanding of the divine nature of the Christian will give you a clear understanding of real Christian spiritual warfare. Satan and his kingdom are not a bother to the mature Christians. They are focused on fulfilling God’s assignment in life and being bothered, Satan and his demons go about trying various means to distract them. But being submitted to the will of their Father, the devil is resisted by their renewed mind, and he flees all the time (James 4:7). The story is difficult for the immature to whom Satan is a big problem because their unrenewed mind and fleshly lusts are a constant hold for Satan’s control. So, while growing they must always be on the watch out for Satan and cast down imaginations that give him access to control their lives (1 Peter 5:8; 2 Corinthians 10:3-6). So, whether your spiritual warfare will be because you’re a “headache” to Satan or he is a headache to you, is simply a matter of maturity.

Confession

Satan will never be a bother to me again; rather, by the power of the Holy Spirit I choose to mature until I become a serious “headache” to Satan, in Jesus’ name.

SATURDAY AUGUST 12

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE CHRISTIAN AND DELIVERANCE FROM DEMONS

Mark 16:17 *“And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues;”*

Scripturally speaking, one who believes in Jesus Christ is such an absolute master over Satan and his kingdom that it is inconsistent with his nature to speak of his deliverance from demons who by nature should fear him. However, as we have been discussing throughout the week, the unrenewed mind and the lustful body are open accesses to demonic control in the immature. The most effective and durable form of “deliverance” that an immature Christian needs is the preaching and teaching of the Word of God’s grace. By the Word their minds get renewed as they discover who they are, what their abilities are and what they are entitled to in Christ. In addition, through fellowship with the Holy Spirit, they mature in the mortification of the flesh (Romans 8:13) and experience of bodily purification (1Thessalonians 5:23) to walk in the spirit. Where need be, the demonic influences can be cast out but after that the Word must be taught or else re-control through the unrenewed mind and lustful body is inevitable.

Confession

I am born again. I am an absolute master over Satan and his kingdom. I choose to mature rapidly and live as a natural expression of my dominion over Satan.

SUNDAY AUGUST 13

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: PRAYER AND CONFESSION OF THE WEEK

Make the following confession and edify yourself along those lines as you speak fervently in other tongues. "I am born again. I am an absolute master over Satan and his kingdom. I choose to mature rapidly and live as a natural expression of my dominion over Satan."

MONDAY AUGUST 14

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: PURSUE GOD'S AGENDA

Acts 26:19 ***"Whereupon, O king Agrippa, I was not disobedient unto the heavenly vision"***

It is important for every son or daughter of God to realize that there is a difference between ambition and purpose in life. When born into this world as humans, people develop strong desires to achieve different things in life based on certain cultural, environmental and societal standards. These are mere human ambitions. Purpose on the other hand is the desire in the hearts of God's children to achieve His plans for their lives. In other words, ambitions are purely human-generated and largely influenced by the ungodly systems of this world (2 Corinthians 4:4) but purpose is God originated, defined and revealed (Acts 26:19). Though born again, if your mind is not renewed and your appetites unpurified, you could still pursue a human ambition instead of purpose. For us as sons and daughters of God we have one life to live. A life that pursues God's agenda (the purpose of our being) not the humanly defined pursuits (2 Corinthians 5:15).

Confession

For me to live is Christ. I pursue God's agenda fully as I gloriously fulfill purpose on this earth. Glorayy

TUESDAY AUGUST 15

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: GIVE ATTENTION TO YOUR LIFE IN CHRIST

1 Corinthians 9:24 ***“Know ye not that they which run in a race run all, but one receiveth the prize? So run, that ye may obtain”***

An effective way to fulfilling God’s purpose for your life begins with giving attention to your life in Christ. Coming into being as a son or daughter of God through the new birth was the greatest miracle that ever happened in your life because it made you a partaker of the divine nature of God (2 Peter 1:4). Unfortunately, many have not yet appreciated the power of this new life in Christ and thus have not given it the due attention. This is often due to a lack of understanding of what it means to be in Christ because they often think it is only about securing a ticket to heaven one day by getting their sins forgiven in Christ, but it is far more than that. In scriptural fact, a new person came into being when you got born again and this new you in Christ is full of all of God’s abilities for that special assignment in life. Give attention to the discovery of your new self in Christ and your assignment. You cannot expect success and fulfillment in Christ if you live anyhow. From today, begin to give serious attention to the track of your life in Christ and you will fulfill God’s agenda for your life.

Prayer

Dear Father, by Your Spirit, I am determined to give attention to my life in Christ and fulfill your agenda for my life in Jesus’ name.

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WEDNESDAY AUGUST 16

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: VALUE SPIRITUAL THINGS

Genesis 25:31-34 (BSB) *“First sell me your birthright, Jacob replied. “Look” said Esau, I am about to die, so what good is a birthright to me? Swear to me first, Jacob said. So Esau swore to Jacob and sold him the birthright. Then Jacob gave some bread and lentil stew to Esau, who ate and drank and then got up and went away. Thus Esau despised his birthright.”*

The next important factor to the fulfillment of your divine assignment in life is your value of spiritual things. Life is spiritual. It takes a high value for spiritual things to finish well. As revealed in today’s verse, Esau failed to maximize his place as the firstborn because he didn’t value spiritual things. Moses on the other hand valued God’s calling in his life above the pleasures of Egypt. He gave up the possible rise to become Pharaoh to fulfill God’s calling (Hebrews 11:24-25). Esau exchanged his birthright for food. What are you unconsciously exchanging your calling in Christ for? Re-examine your value system and put first things first and you will maximize your divine potentials to fulfill divine assignment.

Affirmation

I am born of God and a divine being. I choose to value spiritual things more highly than any other in Jesus’ name.

THURSDAY AUGUST 17

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: DESIRE SPIRITUAL PROGRESS

Ephesians 3:15-19 "...That Christ may dwell in your hearts by faith; that ye, being rooted and grounded in love, ... And to know the love of Christ, which passeth knowledge, that ye might be filled with all the fulness of God"

Your life is a journey with many stages towards the ultimate successful point. Knowing that life is spiritual and valuing spiritual things are the initial steps to the fulfillment of your divine calling in life. It is important not to become comfortable with the fact that you are born again, occasionally serving in church and will one day have a reward in heaven. Remaining in that state for years can create a false sense of spiritual maturity when you are still a babe in spirit. A prolonged state of spiritual babyhood is stagnation in the pursuit of divine agenda. To avoid that state, you must desire spiritual progress. Our main verses today together with Colossians 1:7-12, describe the path that the life of the born again should take - from one level to a higher one and so on. Progress in the spirit does not come by wishful thinking, you must desire it enough until it moves you to take actions for your spiritual maturity in Christ.

Prayer

Spend 15 minutes speaking fervently in other tongues to stir up or build upon your desire to make progress in the spirit.

FRIDAY AUGUST 18

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: COMMITMENT IS REQUIRED

Mark 8:35 (NLT) ***“If you try to hang on to your life, you will lose it. But if you give up your life for my sake and for the sake of the Good News, you will save it.”***

The Christian life is one that is lived from a position of rest, but it does not equate to laziness. It requires hard work. The commitment for success in Christ involves hard work and discipline. It also involves letting go of seeming pleasures of the world and even certain things that may not be bad in themselves, but which will not help you to be a success in Christ. You must be ready to stand for the truth, ready to bring your body under, ready to think, talk and live exactly as the Holy Spirit directs you in the Word. You may be given names by others, tagged as being too “serious with this Christianity thing” but do not be perturbed. If you are pursuing success in Christ, you have an even greater cloud of witnesses cheering you on (Hebrews 12:1). Whatever it costs you cannot be compared to the eternal weight of glory. Don’t give up. You are well able.

Prayer

Dear Father, by the enablement of Your Spirit, I declare my unflinching commitment to my success in Christ in Jesus’ name.

SATURDAY AUGUST 19

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: IT IS NOT IN VAIN

1 Corinthians 15:58 (NIV) ***“Therefore, my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord, because you know that your labor in the Lord is not in vain.”***

The beauty and joy of the Christian life which is lived pursuing and fulfilling God’s agenda is that it has ramifications both on earth and in eternity. The devils tries to deceive Christians who are now growing to think that they are missing out on the goodies in life if they turn their focus to things of the spirit. This is really a deception because as sons of God on this earth, not only are we the solution to all the world’s problems, but we are also those well placed to enjoy the good life in Christ and much more than that. So, like our opening scripture tells us, stand firm, let nothing move you. Valuing spiritual things and pursuing God’s agenda despite what it might cost you is worth it. Nothing you do in the Lord is ever in vain.

Thanksgiving

Thank You Father that my priorities are right. I am full of joy knowing that in You nothing I do is ever in vain. Hallelujah!

SUNDAY AUGUST 20

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: PRAYER AND CONFESSION OF THE WEEK

Oh Glory!! I understand that life is spiritual, and I operate from the realm of the spirit. I have chosen to place premium value on spiritual things as I give attention to my life in Christ. I am not moved by physical factors, rather my desire to live for and pursue God's agenda is strong in Jesus' name.

MONDAY AUGUST 21

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE GOOD LIFE IS REAL

Genesis 1:28 *“And God blessed them, and God said unto them, Be fruitful, and multiply, and replenish the earth, and subdue it: and have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the fowl of the air, and over every living thing that moveth upon the earth.”*

Our topic for today can be received in two ways depending on the person reading it. For the mature in Christ this is true, and he may already be enjoying the good life. For the immature, he may take this as being “too good to be true” because of his experiences in life. The truth is that there is a certain life available for everyone to enjoy, and it is the good life. A life of absolute control over all realms of existence as pertains to life on earth and absolute peace (soundness, completeness and tranquility). Is this possible? Yes, and not only is it possible, but it is also real. Many have not yet come to this state of enjoying the good life because of their understanding of it. They think this good life is in traveling and taking photos, eating the best of meals, living in the best neighborhood, etc. But from our opening verse and Isaiah 26:3, the good life is the life of absolute control and peace. A life that no matter the situation you find yourself in, you are in charge. We will look at this in further details over this week.

Prayer

Dear Father, Thank You for this truth concerning the good life. I believe it is real and available to me. I am positioned by these teachings to enjoy it in Jesus’ name.

TUESDAY AUGUST 22

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE WORD IS NECESSARY FOR THE GOOD LIFE

Matthew 13:23 (TPT) ***“But what was sown on good, rich soil represents the one who hears and fully embraces the message of the kingdom. Their lives bear good fruit—some yield a harvest of thirty, sixty, even one hundred times as much as was sown.”***

To enjoy the good life, you must understand that it is directly linked to the Word of God. It is only God’s Word that reveals the existence and possibility of this life. The world’s educational, economic and social systems will never talk about this. What you would hear from them are statistics of how challenging life is and all the negative news that is going on. The Word of God however first shows us this good life is real. Secondly, the Word imparts us with the God-life to enjoy the good life (Psalm 82:4-6, John 10:30-36). Thirdly, it is when you put the Word of God to work that you can enjoy this good life. You must enjoy the good life because it is for you and that means appreciating that the good life cannot be enjoyed without the Word.

Prayer

In the name of Jesus, I choose to enjoy the good life. I believe in the reality and possibility of the good life, and I am positioned by these teaching to walk in it in Jesus’ name.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 23

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: WELCOME THE WORD

Matthew 13:23 (TPT) ***“But what was sown on good, rich soil represents the one who hears and fully embraces the message of the kingdom. Their lives bear good fruit—some yield a harvest of thirty, sixty, even one hundred times as much as was sown.”***

The good life can only be enjoyed by putting God’s Word to work. Putting the Word to work begins with accepting the Word. This means to be so persuaded that God’s Word is what you really need that you assume an internal position that welcomes the Word as it comes to you. It’s possible for God to be sending His Word towards you and deep within, you’re not welcoming it because you’re not persuaded that, that’s what you really need for the good life experience in every area of life. Never have a snobbish attitude towards God’s Word because it’s either rebuking, correcting or instructing you. You need that Word to enjoy the good life on this earth. Remembering that only the Word reveals the good life, imparts the God-life for its enjoyment and brings the enjoyment of the good life when put to work. Welcoming the Word will bring you to that state of persuasion required to accept it.

Confession

I always welcome God’s Word in every area of life to me. I am persuaded that the good life is in God’s Word, and I welcome it in order to engage it and enjoy the good life. Glorayy

THURSDAY AUGUST 24

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: RECEIVE THE WORD

Acts 17:11 (BSB) ***“Now the Bereans were more noble-minded than the Thessalonians, for they received the message with great eagerness and examined the Scriptures every day to see if these teachings were true.”***

When you accept the Word, it means you have opened yourself for the Word to come to you. After the Word has been accepted, the next stage of putting the Word of God to work is to receive the Word. This means giving so much credit to the Word that you become deeply convinced about, seize it and make it yours. Many people are casual with the Word and usually see it from a collective and general point of view. This approach will not bring to you what God’s Word talks about. That a Word sounds good, or that your pastor has said it or even because it is true does not mean that it will work for you. It is the Word which you take a hold of (lambano) that will work for you. Believing is good but to enjoy the good life you must take it and make it yours. When something is yours, you do not doubt it. Receive God’s Word because it is vital to your enjoyment of the good life.

Affirmation

I am a receiver of the Word of God. I am never casual with God’s word. As the Word comes to me, I lay hold on it and make it mine in Jesus’ name.

FRIDAY AUGUST 25

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: RELEASE THE WORD

Philippians 4:8 (BSB) ***“Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is right, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is admirable—if anything is excellent or praiseworthy—think on these things.”***

Once you welcome and receive the Word of God as yours, the next step to engage in order to put the Word to work and realize its results in your life is to release the Word. Releasing the Word of God is also in three stages which are: think the Word, talk the Word and act the Word. How you think is key to your enjoyment of the good life. Thinking on the Word is the foundation to talking the Word. If you don't think on the Word, you disconnect its power to produce what you desire. You must think so much on the Word that it moves you to talk it. And when you start talking the Word, do not stop. A quiet Christian is not going to make much progress (2Corinthians 4:13). Move on from talking the Word to acting the Word. Do what it says. Do not be concerned about how you may feel or what others may say about you. Just keep at it and you will see the results.

Affirmation

I have laid hold on the Word of God. I think it, I talk it and I act it now and always in Jesus' name

SATURDAY AUGUST 26

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: THE FACTOR OF PATIENCE

Hebrews 10:36 (ERV) ***“You must be patient. After you have done what God wants, you will get what he promised you.”***

Patience is a virtue that is required if you want to see the results of God’s work at work. Many times, people short circuit their miracle or that change they have long desired because they are not patient enough to see it come to pass. They disengage the power of the word that is at work. Patience is a pleasurable endurance of an expected outcome. Once you have engaged God’s word by putting it to work, be patient. It will surely happen. It may take a day; it may take 5 weeks; it may take 8 years but never give up. Abraham waited for 25 years for Isaac; Elizabeth was old when she conceived John the Baptist. Nothing is ever too late. Don’t disengage the power of the Word at work. Be patient to have that good life experience.

Prayer

Thank You Father for this truth. I patiently wait as I put the Word to work and surely, I will realize the results in my life.

SUNDAY AUGUST 27

GOOD LIFE DEVOTION

Topic: PRAYER AND CONFESSION OF THE WEEK

Oh hallelujah! Thank You Father for teaching me that the Good life is real and available for me. I believe it. Thank You for showing me how to put the Word of God to work in order to see the results at work in my life. I think the word, talk it and act it. I am patient to see the results come through in Jesus' name.

YOU MUST BE BORN AGAIN

God's plan for creating mankind has always been to adopt them as His own children in the fullness of time. (Ephesians 1:4-5). When that time came, He sent Jesus Christ to be the means by which this adoption would take place (Galatians 4:4-5).

It is easy to enter into God's ultimate and His eternal plan for your life. You must receive Jesus by believing on His name. The Bible shows two clear steps to do this. A wholehearted belief and an acknowledgement/confession. Believe that Jesus is the one whose resurrection from the dead made mankind's adoption as God's sons/daughters possible and acknowledge His Lordship. To believe on His name is to believe His nature as the Son of God (1John 4:15) or His authority as Lord (Romans 10:9-10) or His function as the Christ (1 John 5:1).

If you believe any of the above, become God's son/ daughter today by wholeheartedly declaring the following "Father, with all my heart I believe that Jesus is Your appointed person for my adoption as Your son/daughter. I believe that by His resurrection from the dead, He made this possible. Right now, I declare that 'Jesus is Lord'" and by this confession I receive eternal life into my spirit and so I am born again.

NOW THAT YOU'RE BORN AGAIN

In order to remain in Christ and be relevant in the Kingdom until Jesus shows up, it is important that you are connected to and planted in a Bible teaching church. The Word of God is that which will nourish you (1 Peter 2:2) and deliver to you your inheritance in Christ (Acts 20:32)

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