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Weekly Encourager - 30 October 2022

**SCRIPTURAL ADVICE, HELP AND INSIGHT ON HOW TO TRUST THE LORD JESUS CHRIST TO DEFEAT SCHIZOPHRENIA FROM JAMES STACEY NOW CELEBRATING 32 YEARS OF FREEDOM FROM THE DEMONIC BONDAGE AND OVER 34 YEARS OFF ALL ANTI-PSYCHOTIC MEDICATION**

## **BELIEVE THAT THE LORD JESUS CHRIST FOR EVER LIVES TO MAKE INTERCESSION IN HEAVEN FOR YOU!**

***“LORD, MY DELIVERER, I CRY OUT TO YOU AGAIN AND AGAIN!”***

### **THIS WEEK'S SELECTED BIBLE READING IS PSALM 34: Key Verses 1-8**

I will extol the LORD at all times; his praise will always be on my lips. My soul will boast in the LORD; let the afflicted hear and rejoice. Glorify the LORD with me: let us exalt his name together. I sought the LORD, and he answered me; he delivered me from all my fears. Those who look to him are radiant; their faces are never covered with shame. This poor man called, and the LORD heard him; he saved him out of all his troubles.

The angel of the LORD encamps around those who fear him, and he delivers them. Taste and see that the LORD is good; blessed is the man who takes refuge in him. Verses 15-22 The eyes of the LORD are on the righteous and his ears are attentive to their cry; the face of the LORD is against those who do evil, to cut off the memory of them from the earth. The righteous cry out, and the LORD hears them; he delivers them from all their troubles. The LORD is close to the broken-hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit. A righteous man may have many troubles but the LORD delivers him from them all; he protects all his bones, not one of them will be broken. Evil will slay the wicked; the foes of the righteous will be condemned. The LORD redeems his servants; no-one will be condemned who takes refuge in him.



There are numerous occasions in the life of a Christian suffering with schizophrenia when desperate prayers are made to God for deliverance from the evil of the psychotic bondage.

Living inside a mental prison-house, you fully understand what it means to engage “all kinds of prayers and petitions” to maintain your sanity.

Leaning hard on God, you will cry out to Him every time you need to know His delivering power over a spiritual darkness that wars within your mind and seeks to destroy you.

**Remember, Jesus Christ has won the battle against the forces of evil opposed against you. He sits at the Father's right hand in heaven making intercession for you (Hebrews 7:25).**

You may have suffered with schizophrenia for many years and have cried out to God all that time, and yet your day of freedom has not arrived. I know the patient endurance required to persevere because of having had a 26 years' wait before my jubilee day came.

I pray your deliverance and healing to come as soon as possible, but no matter how long before Jesus snaps the chains around your mind, keep holding on to Him ... even thanking Him for the freedom you are expecting.

If you had not got the promised word of freedom of Jesus living in your heart – “If you abide in Me and My words abide in you, you will ask what you desire, and it shall be done for you” John 15:7 – such a delay would be too much. But Jesus who gives you the promise also inspires faith and strength to hold on to it as you wait to see it performed.

What the Holy Spirit has been teaching you as He has been leading you into all truth strengthens your will with all might and power in your innermost being. To know Jesus is making intercession for you, that the Holy Spirit within your heart is groaning with pleadings that cannot be uttered -even though your mind is under such attack - fuels your faith to believe that the defeat of schizophrenia is not too big for Jesus to deal with.

Sometimes you have felt the oncoming victory over the mental bondage during the times you have praised God for sending Jesus to die on the Cross for you. When glimpses of the magnificent, conquering love and sacrifice of God touch your heart it stirs faith to believe that He can also swing wide the prison-door of mental bondage you face and defeat it for good.

Do all you can to exert your willpower to praise God, call out to Him to enlarge your heart with power in His promises to deliver, prove the power and effect of the blood of Jesus working on your behalf, and you will see your day of freedom coming nearer and nearer. You will step onto the highway of deliverance and drive every demon out of your mind with an authority and boldness given by Jesus Himself.

You were made for greater things than to be shut up in a prison-house by evil powers eager to find a place to dwell in. Allow faith to grow that inspires you to see that you were made for the skies! You are going to fly again and fly higher than you ever did in your life before because when you leave the bondage of schizophrenia through the power of Jesus Christ at work, it will impart a fresh understanding of His love and power for you.

I want to encourage you by saying today that God continues to hear your cries for help to want to be free of schizophrenia. Not one cry goes unnoticed!

Your cries contain prayers for help and every one that goes up to heaven are piling up in the vials where all the prayers are gathered. Sometimes, it takes a volume of prayer to “get the job done”. Be determined to fill up the vials until such a time that God commands the angels to release the answer to earth.

#### **LESSONS TO DRAW FROM KING DAVID IN PSALM 34:**

- 1. THE CONTINUOUS ACT OF PRAISE TO GOD HIS DELIVERER**
- 2. THE CONFIDENCE HE KNEW IN GOD HIS DELIVERER**
- 3. THE CLOSENESS HE EXPERIENCED OF GOD HIS DELIVERER**

**THE CONTINUOUS ACT OF PRAISE TO GOD HIS DELIVERER:** David, the psalmist, knew God so intimately that he trusted his whole life to Him and could say He was his own personal Deliverer. From early days caring for the sheep, he experienced the delivering hand of God helping him ward off real threats from ravenous animals. Anointed future King of Israel, he proved again the delivering hand of God in safety when his life came under threat from King Saul. It was as though at every turn when he hit a load of trouble, he would turn to God for help – and he was sure of receiving it. His whole life boasted of the reality of God, whether it was in the enjoyment of having fellowship with Him, living in the security of His protection or experiencing the intervention of God in his life. Little wonder he had built up such a level of praise to God for all His acts on his behalf. The confidence he knew in God resulted in a joy which produced inner strength and power.

You may struggle to praise God day in and day out when battling against schizophrenia. Let's be real and admit that there will be days when you FEEL that the promised freedom Jesus has for you will never come! It is at those times you have to reach out in faith and declare against all

the odds and against all YOUR FEELINGS and turn it into praising God for his delivering power. When you believe a truth the Holy Spirit reveals, you can still believe it even though you do not feel it. To declare, for example, to the demon of schizophrenia - when you don't feel like it - that you have faith to believe Jesus Christ died for you and your life is His and the demon has no place in you – that's the kind of faith which begins to loosen its hold. Go on to bind it up and so inactivate its activity in your life while at the same time pleading the power of the blood of Jesus to drive it out – and that will invoke God's presence, God's power and God's forces.

**THE CONFIDENCE HE KNEW IN GOD HIS DELIVERER:** When David, the young shepherd boy arrived at the scene of the battle between Israel and the Philistines, he witnessed the fear among his own nation's army at the sight of the giant warrior Goliath defying them. He knew no fear. With confidence he declared to Saul: "The LORD who delivered me from the paw of the lion and the paw of the bear will deliver me from the hand of this Philistine." This was a fresh battle for David but the confidence he had in God and in His ability to become the deliverer over Goliath stemmed from winning previous battles. As a believer in Jesus before schizophrenia appeared in your life, you too may have won battles of faith inspired by your Lord and Saviour. These enthused confidence in God in you concerning his power and faithfulness to deliver. It is now time to remind yourself of those victories and regain your confidence to fight for your freedom in the Name of Jesus over schizophrenia. This too is a new battle for you – and a more involved one calling on knowing more of Christ's resources than you have ever before needed in your life.

Because your mind is fighting to know the truth of God every hour of every day of your life, you will need to rely on the Holy Spirit supplying you with all the truth you need to combat the darkness of schizophrenia. This is a more personal battle than you have yet faced – but there is confidence in your heart to believe that God will not fail you and will supply all you need to fight and win. Armed with His truth and armour equipping you, you stand strong as a soldier of Jesus.

**THE CLOSENESS HE EXPERIENCED OF GOD HIS DELIVERER:** David says: "The righteous cry out, and the LORD hears them; he delivers them from all their troubles. The LORD is close to the broken-hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit." Verses 17-18. When you are confident of God, He is close to you. All of us need to live in closeness to the One Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, whom we know through His Son, the Lord Jesus Christ. The Holy Spirit, the living Presence of God, has been given to everyone believing in Jesus. "Let us live in the faith that the Spirit of power is within us, and that the Father will, as we wait on Him, fill us with the power of the Spirit," exhorts Andrew Murray, the devotional writer. I don't know how you reacted when schizophrenia dawned on your life? For me, I knew only of One Person to go to and that was the Lord Himself. In the confusion and immediate mental battle, I looked to the grace of God to carry me through what was a very difficult time, followed by many difficult years. But thanks be to God, I do believe it was through endeavouring to draw closer to Christ in the years before the experience happened that I instinctively knew to lean hard in faith upon Him.

**FINALLY:** In all your struggles to freedom, take heart from the sure and certain knowledge that God in Christ knows all about your ups and downs you face battling to His promised freedom. Keep faith in the Strong Deliverer of your life "who is able to do immeasurably more than we ask or imagine according to the power that is at work in us." He will perform His word in your life – to your endless delight and for the glory of His Name!

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**The purpose of bringing out a Weekly Encourager is to highlight the promised hope there is in the Lord Jesus Christ defeating schizophrenia. Our Archive file copies contain scriptural advice, insight and help designed to give encouragement to those like yourself struggling for long sought-after freedom – so do make use of the facility provided, asking God to reveal His truth to you from the various messages. May He richly provide all you need to bring you out of the prison house of schizophrenia into His most glorious freedom! HE IS ABLE!**

Let me no more my comfort draw,  
From my frail hold of Thee.  
In this alone rejoice with awe,  
THY MIGHTY GRASP OF ME!

*John Campbell Sharp (1819-1885)*

And every virtue we possess,  
And every conquest won,  
And every thought of holiness,  
ARE HIS ALONE.

*Harriet Auber (1773-1862)*

***Not to us, O LORD, not to us but to your name be the glory,  
because of your love and faithfulness.***

***Psalm 115, verse 1***

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*IF YOU HAVE NEVER INVITED JESUS CHRIST INTO YOUR LIFE, AND WISH TO, DO PRAY THE FOLLOWING PRAYER WITH ALL YOUR HEART: "Lord God Almighty, I approach you in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. I know I have sinned in my thoughts, words and actions. There are so many good things I have not done. There are so many sinful things I have done. I am truly sorry for the sinfulness in my life, but most of all I acknowledge the sin that separates me from you. I accept the death of Jesus on the Cross to redeem me and extend the gift of eternal life. Gratefully, I give my life back to you as I now ask you to come into my life. Come in as my Saviour and Lord and cleanse me. Come in as my Lord to control me. Come with the strength of your grace and the power of your Spirit to defeat the evil spirit of schizophrenia that troubles me. Now you have set my spirit free, pour your delivering and healing power into my life as I take authority in the name of Jesus through the power of his blood over the intruding force. I assert your ownership of my life and resist any legal right that the devil seeks to hold over my life and bind up and expel any evil presence. I believe that my mind can be completely set free and my whole life enjoy the total freedom of Jesus. Amen.*

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**FOR FURTHER READING: SEE WEEKLY ENCOURAGER ARCHIVE FILE**

**2021** 18 April – Persevere In Faith And Prayer When The Load Of Schizophrenia Wearies You

**2020** 30 August – Anchor Your Faith In The Lord Jesus Christ And You Will Never Lose Hope

**2019** 3 March – Jesus Christ Imparts His Divine Light And Truth To Conquer Schizophrenia

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# PROCLAMATION TO OVERCOME THE DEVIL

I testify to Satan personally as to what the **word** says the **blood** does for me: <sup>1</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, I am redeemed out of the hand of the devil. <sup>2</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, all my sins are forgiven. <sup>2a</sup>

The blood of Jesus Christ, God's Son, continually cleanses me from all sin. <sup>3</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, I am justified, made righteous, *just-as-if-I'd* never sinned. <sup>4</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, I am sanctified, made holy, set apart to God. <sup>5</sup>

My body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, redeemed, cleansed, by the blood of Jesus. <sup>6</sup>

**Satan has no place in me, no power over me, through the blood of Jesus.**

—by Derek Prince

## <sup>1</sup> Revelation 12:11

"And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb [Jesus Christ], and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death." [That is, they testified to what the Word of God says about the blood of Jesus.]

## <sup>2</sup> Ephesians 1:7

In Him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace . . .

## <sup>2a</sup> Psalm 107:2

Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, Whom He has redeemed from the hand of the enemy . . .

## <sup>3</sup> 1 John 1:7

But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.

## <sup>4</sup> Romans 5:9

Much more then, having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.

## <sup>5</sup> Hebrews 13:12

Therefore Jesus also, that He might sanctify the people with His own blood, suffered outside the gate.

## <sup>6</sup> 1 Corinthians 6:19-20

Or do you not know that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own? For you were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.

## WEEKLY ENCOURAGER 6 & 13 NOVEMBER 2022

# PRAYER POWER BREAKING THROUGH SCHIZOPHRENIA'S GATES OF BRASS AND BARS OF IRON

**THIS WEEK'S SELECTED BIBLE READING IS ACTS CHAPTER 12: Key Verses 4-19:**

**Peter's Miraculous Escape From Prison:** After arresting him, he (Herod) put him in prison, handing him over to be guarded by four squads of four soldiers each. Herod intended to bring him out for public trial after the Passover. **So Peter was kept in prison, but the church was earnestly praying to God for him.** The night before Herod was to bring him to trial, Peter was sleeping between two soldiers, bound with two chains, and sentries stood guard at the entrance. Suddenly an angel of the Lord appeared and a light shone in the cell. He struck Peter on the side and woke him up, "Quick, get up!" he said, and the chains fell off Peter's wrists. Then the angel said to him, "Put on your clothes and sandals." And Peter did so. "Wrap your cloak around you and follow me," the angel told him. Peter followed him out of the prison, but he had no idea that what the angel was doing was really happening; he thought he was seeing a vision. They passed the first and second guards and came to the iron gate leading to the city. It opened for them by itself, and they went through it. When they had walked the length of one street, suddenly the angel left him. Then Peter came to himself and said, "Now I know without a doubt that the Lord sent his angel and rescued me from Herod's clutches and from everything the Jewish people were anticipating." When this had dawned on him, he went to the house of Mary the mother of John, also called Mark, where many people had gathered and were praying. Peter knocked at the outer entrance, and a servant girl named Rhoda came to answer the door. When she recognised Peter's voice, she was so overjoyed she ran back without opening it and exclaimed, "Peter is at the door!" "You're out of your mind," they told her. When she kept insisting that it was so, they said, "It must be his angel." But Peter kept on knocking, and when they opened the door and saw him, they were astonished. Peter motioned with his hand for them to be quiet and described how the Lord had brought him out of prison. "Tell James and the brothers about this," he said, and then he left for another place. In the morning, there was no small commotion among the soldiers as to what had become of Peter. After Herod had a thorough search made for him and did not find him, he cross-examined the guards and ordered that they be executed.

Read the above Scripture passage with faith in your heart and the words will have power to infuse hope into your life that schizophrenia can most certainly be defeated.

Peter's deliverance from prison, or any other well-known Bible incident showing divine intervention in impossible situations, imparts a holy confidence that with "God all things are possible".

Just think of it for a moment – God shut up the mouths of the lions when Daniel was in the den with them (Daniel 6); Jesus Christ healed "all that came to Him" (Luke 6: 17-19) - and He said "all things are possible to him that believes" (Mark 9:23). Surely, that is enough to inspire confidence that there is way out of schizophrenia!

I take great delight in believing that God has always known what is best for my life. To have suffered in schizophrenia's isolation and bondage for 26 years may be considered by some to be too long a period to endure to wait for God to turn up to do something. Nevertheless, I believe that I came out and was delivered and healed just at the time God wanted it to happen. God is always on time, never early and never late! He knows what is best for your life, too.

I still believe the Scripture that was entrusted to me on the night I received Jesus as Lord and Saviour at the age of 14, namely that "ALL (not some) things work together for good to them that love God who are the called according to his purpose." Romans 8:28

*How God protected with His faithfulness and love for more than a third of a lifetime, and then smashed the gates of brass and the bars of iron around my mind. Achieving freedom for me was no less a miracle as wonderful as Peter walking out of prison! I believe His purpose in allowing me to endure such a long prison sentence of schizophrenia was to impart “His treasures in darkness and to show forth His glory.” After all, you can only help others with schizophrenia, and give them hope, if you have lived on the “inside” and come through it all with Jesus!*

*When emails come through from schizophrenics seeking a lifeline of hope for themselves, I can fully understand why that happens. Many times during 26 years of fighting the demonic bondage, I longed to meet or hear of someone who had been set free by the Lord Jesus Christ. It is understandable that someone with schizophrenia should approach me for support and hope, or anyone else, for that matter, who lives in the joy of having defeated the horrendous mental bondage by the victory and power of the Son of God. Schizophrenics are keen to receive any piece of comfort, guidance and prayer leading to complete freedom. They covet and earnestly seek to be on the same side of freedom, too! To be able to commend the Lord Jesus Christ as the only Deliverer and Healer gives me great joy and deep satisfaction! Perhaps the greatest encouragement I can pass on is that although the struggle and fight to become free is often long and without any seemingly clear signs of progress – the will to endure and persevere must be carried through.*

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*A PRAYER OF HOPE FOR THOSE SUFFERING WITH SCHIZOPHRENIA: “Lord God Almighty, will you hear my prayer and make the sacrifice of your Son, Jesus Christ real to me. Wipe away my sins that were atoned for on the Cross of Calvary by Jesus in order that I might not have to die eternally. I believe that Jesus took all my sins and my sorrows and made them His very own and after three days He rose again from the dead and now makes intercession for me. By the power of His shed blood, I believe I am now set free and opened up to all the resources of His grace and power. I am looking forward to the day – why not today – when the evil bondage of schizophrenia surrounding my mind is totally defeated. I ask You, Heavenly Father, to help me drive out the dark, spiritual presence by the light and power of your conquering Holy Spirit’s presence. I want to know the reality of the promise Jesus made that whoever follows him will not walk in darkness but will have the Light of Life. Make it happen for me, as I pray in the Mighty Name of Jesus, Amen.*

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**GLOBALISM**

**FAKE AND BIASED NEWS**

**POLITICALLY CORRECT NEWS**

**UNREPORTED NEWS**



## **GOOD NEWS!**

THE GOOD NEWS IS THAT THE LORD JESUS CHRIST IS GOING TO RETURN TO EARTH TO SET UP HIS OWN KINGDOM AND WILL REIGN WITH RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUSTICE!

GOD WANTS US TO BE READY FOR HIS COMING AND YOU CAN BE PART OF THAT KINGDOM WHEN YOU ASK JESUS CHRIST, GOD'S ETERNAL SON, TO FORGIVE YOU OF YOUR SIN, WHICH IS PRIDE AND REBELLION AGAINST GOD.

ACKNOWLEDGE HIM AS YOUR SAVIOUR AND LORD. THE DAY YOU ACCEPT HIM INTO YOUR LIFE HE GIVES THE FREE GIFT OF ETERNAL LIFE AND HIS EVERLASTING PEACE!

WHAT NEXT? BUY A BIBLE FROM ANY BOOKSTORE AND SEARCH THE TRUTH FOR YOURSELF. THE BIBLE IS GOD'S WORD FOR US!

**DON'T DELAY!**

**GO FOR IT!**



## WHAT IS HAPPENING IN THE WORLD AT PRESENT?

1. Violence and knife crime is on the increase, particularly in the west.
2. Family breakdown. Civil, ethnic and political unrest.
3. Deception - growing confusion, regarding beliefs and gender identity.
4. Growing belief in Universalism - all religions lead to God and no-one has the monopoly of TRUTH. A move to a one world religion.
5. People are sold into the lie of not giving offence to others, rather than upholding what they believe as truth, hence the rise of Political Correctness.
6. A move towards a One World government. The emergence of 'Deep State' with powerful secret societies, such as 'The Illuminati', manoeuvring across the world stage. Leaders in some secret societies dictate to country leaders who to put in power. Globalism is being promoted - through the irradiation of country borders and nationhood.



7. Federal Reserve. This is a private bank and is not monitored. These bankers want to help control the world and the finance system. They originally took gold from the Americas into the Federal Reserve for safe keeping but never returned it.
8. Famines and unprecedented migration. Earthquakes - more in the 20th century than in the previous 19 centuries. Many wars across every continent with thousands of innocent people and children killed.
9. Climate change involvement is becoming completely dominant in people's hearts and minds. Some theological students in New York are confessing their sins to plants! A generation is emerging that is worshipping creation rather than God the creator!

## WHAT DOES JESUS CHRIST, GOD'S SON, HAVE TO SAY ABOUT ALL THIS? QUITE A LOT!

Jesus Christ's first coming was prophesied around 137 times in the Old Testament of the Bible hundreds of years before He was born in Bethlehem. There are over 200 prophecies regarding His Second Coming in both the Old and New Testaments.

Jesus lived for around 33 years, was then falsely accused and suffered by dying on the Cross outside Jerusalem around 2,000 years ago. There He died for you and me and God's anger for our sin was placed on Him. After Jesus died, He was placed in a tomb and three days later came back to life. He went back to heaven but promised to return to earth to take those who love Him to be with Him forever.

Jesus said in Matthew's gospel, Chapter 24, that the following would take place before He returns to the earth:-

1. False Christs and false prophets will appear.
2. Wars and rumours of wars.
3. Famines and earthquakes which will be like the beginning of labour pains.
4. Those who are followers of Jesus Christ will be hated and even put to death.

5. An increase in wickedness across the earth.

6. Many will turn away from the truth and betray each other.

7. Great distress - unequalled from the beginning of the world until now - will occur. Jesus, speaking of Himself, said, "the sun will be darkened, the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from the sky, and the heavenly bodies will be shaken." At that time the sign of the Son of Man will appear in the sky, and all the nations of the earth will mourn because of Him. They will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of the sky, with power and great glory. And he will send his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other." (Matthew's gospel, Chapter 24:29-30). Why did they mourn? Because they were not prepared for His Coming!

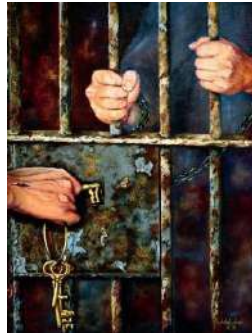
8. Jesus warned His disciples to "keep watch" and to be aware of the times in which we live. He said: "No-one knows about that day or hour, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son but only the Father. As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man." What was characteristic of those days? Violence and wickedness was rife and present in everyone's mind was only evil all the time.

**SEE BELOW IN THE PICTURES **BEFORE** AND **AFTER** DELIVERANCE AND HEALING, THE VISIBLE DIFFERENCE MADE BY THE POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT ON MY GREAT DAY OF FREEDOM ON 2<sup>nd</sup> MAY 1990.**



**BEFORE DELIVERANCE AND HEALING**

showing the strong "gates of brass and bars of iron" behind my eyes and around my mind requiring the power of JESUS CHRIST to defeat.



**THE GATES OF HELL SHALL NOT PREVAIL**

by Rebekah Laue of Pagosa Springs, Colorado, U.S.A.



**AFTER DELIVERANCE AND HEALING**

picture taken at 6.15 a.m. at Derby Station 5 days after Jesus set me free - on my way to show Tina "her new man."

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**PROCLAMATION FOR GOD'S PROTECTION by Derek Prince**

**NO WEAPON** that is formed against me shall prosper and every tongue which rises against me in judgement I do condemn. This is my heritage as a servant of the Lord and my righteousness is from You, O Lord of Hosts. If there are those who have been speaking or praying against me, or seeking harm or evil to me, or who have rejected me, I forgive them. Having forgiven them, I bless them in the name of the Lord." \*

**NOW I DECLARE**, O Lord, that You and You alone are my God, and besides You there is no other – a just God and a Saviour, the Father, the Son and the Spirit – and I worship You!

**I SUBMIT** myself afresh to You in unreserved obedience. Having submitted to You, Lord, I do as Your Word directs. I resist the devil: all his pressures, his attacks, his deceptions, every instrument or agent he would seek to use against me. I do not submit! I resist him, drive him from me and exclude him from me in the Name of Jesus. Specifically I reject and repel: infirmity, pain, infection, inflammation, malignancies, allergies, viruses, and every form of witchcraft.

**FINALLY, LORD**, I thank You that through the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross, I have passed out from under the curse and entered into the blessing of Abraham whom You blessed in all things:\*\* exaltation, health, reproductiveness, prosperity, victory and God's favour. AMEN

\*see Matthew 5: 43-45; Romans 12:14

\*\*see Galatians 3:13-14; Genesis 24:1

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We are continuing to insert in the Weekly Encourager some powerful Scriptures to read, memorise and meditate on for USE in your prayer battle to drive out the demon of schizophrenia. By so doing your confidence in the LORD JESUS CHRIST will grow because the words will impart "spirit and life" into your spirit, and so equip you in your fight for freedom to know the deliverance and healing of JESUS CHRIST.

(Jesus said): "If you love me, you will obey what I command. I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Counsellor to be with you for ever – the Spirit of truth. The world cannot accept him, because it neither sees him nor knows him. But you know him, for he lives with you and will be in you. I will not leave you as orphans; I will come to you." John 14:15-18

May your unfailing love come to me, O LORD, your salvation according to your promise; then I will answer the one who taunts me, for I trust in your word. Do not snatch the word of truth from my mouth, for I have put my hope in your laws. Psalm 119:41-43

Those who live according to the sinful nature have their minds set on what nature desires; but those who live in accordance with the Spirit have their minds set on what the Spirit desires. The mind of sinful man is death, but the mind controlled by the Spirit is life and peace, because the sinful mind is hostile to God. It does not submit to God's law, nor can it do so. Those controlled by the sinful nature cannot please God. Romans 8: 5-8

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You may be reading the Weekly Encourager for the first time and have stumbled across our website in a desperate search to break free of schizophrenia. Or every week you visit W.E. for encouragement and help to overcome this "monster" of mental illnesses and have been given REAL HOPE that the Lord Jesus is the only One to open the prison door to freedom in your life once and for all time. We encourage you to keep logging into the site as often as you can for scriptural advice as we continue to point to Jesus who is well-trying and tested in the area of setting captives free from a bondage that no-one else can conquer. Our website [www.schizophreniadefeated.com](http://www.schizophreniadefeated.com) seeks to magnify the dear Son of God who left the courts of heaven to come to our world and die for you and me on the Cross at a place called Calvary just outside Jerusalem over 2,000 years ago. In that sacrifice, he paid the punishment and penalty of your sin and mine and on the third day rose again as "The Resurrection and the Life". He releases TODAY into your life and to anyone accepting his sacrifice, the same victorious life that brought him back from the dead, in the person of the Holy Spirit. Why not invite him into your life right now? It's a life-transforming experience that you CAN REALLY KNOW – which is well able to defeat and conquer the hell of schizophrenia you struggle with, for good!



*"I will proclaim your mighty acts, O sovereign Lord" Psalm 71: 16*

*James Stacey, Pray Until Schizophrenia Heals*