



## **How to Jump-Start Your Faith**

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Hey everybody, Doug Addison here. Welcome to *Spirit Connection* podcast. It is August 24th, 2022, and I have a powerful word of encouragement that's going to jump-start you right now. It's going to jump-start your faith. It's going to help launch you into the next couple of weeks, especially for this next month. And, of course, if you know, as I always say, the Lord is outside of time. He's the creator of time. And because of that, you can listen to this and because of the internet, you can listen to this later on—a year. It doesn't matter when you listen to it and the time will be for you right now. He's going to launch you right now into this new level and we just declare the peace of the Lord.

I saw Him stand up. You know, when Jesus stood up just to calm the storm, He didn't yell. Sometimes you got to yell. [chuckles] But He said, "Peace, be still." He might have yelled it, I don't know. But I'm hearing right now He's just doing it in a voice ... "Peace, be still."

Peace be still over your storm, over my storm, over the storm that's happening right now, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Well, we're going to launch right into this. The Lord said this, "Greater freedom is here right now." And I'm getting ready for the next week. And on *Spirit Connection* podcast, I'm going to be doing the prophetic word for the month of September. And it's going to align things for you into what you need. And at the end of the month, we start Rosh

Hashanah/Yom Kippur, which is the Jewish New Year, which is a time when the Lord releases your book, your Book of Life begins to open up and the assignment is going to open. So He's going to prepare you right now. Second Corinthians 3:17, "Now ... where the Spirit of the Lord is there is freedom."

We declare that the Spirit of the Lord is here. He's over you, He's in you,  
in Jesus' name.

The Lord showed me that many people are suffering right now from a few things. I've been talking about this on and off for the last couple of months, but many people have been suffering. Maybe you as well. But there's a few things and He's going to show you some instructions. Maybe you need to take communion. I take communion daily, but maybe you need to do that. Maybe you need to get a song. Maybe you need to get something right now or some verses. I've got some verses at the end here that I use that's going to help you. But right now we're going to declare freedom over past seasons. Some people are stuck in the past. The pain of the past is still trying to last. And we're just going to declare that your past season—no matter what it's like—is now over.

Also, people need freedom in their health. Maybe you need freedom in your health. I still have a couple of things holding on, but man, I tell you, I've gotten so much freedom in my health. I've been aligning with the love of the Lord that's actually bringing healing to my body, soul, spirit, my systems. [chuckles] Wahoo! The Lord wants you to be in perfect health. He wants you to get this. And so we're going to now ... Lord, we just say, "Release the strategy for healing." He wants you to have freedom from the wilderness, the dark knight of the soul or the spirit.

The Lord showed me that millions of people are stuck in the wilderness right now. Maybe you are. Maybe you don't realize it. Don't get mad at Him. He's using this time. He's going to give you a key or a strategy on how to get out. There's freedom from

discouragement, depression and suicide. I'm going to break this. You know, I had suffered, oh, my goodness. A long time. Even after I was in the ministry, even after I became a prophet, I suffered from depression, not depression so much ... I had this suicidal spirit that was actually generational. I didn't realize it, but I have authority over it. And so in Jesus' name, stop asking the Lord to take you to Heaven. That's one thing to do and just step up right now and ask Him to give you life. We break off anything like that. I had to do it.

Lord, if I spoke anything coming into agreement with the spirit of death in any way, shape or form, knowingly or unknowingly, I repent, renounce and break it. We break suicide, the spirit of discouragement, depression, death in Jesus' name, generationally. Maybe we had a generational soul tie. Just break those together right now in Jesus' name, knowingly or unknowingly. Cleanse us now, Lord.

Now here ... the Spirit of understanding is here. I love this verse, John 13:7. Then Jesus answered him, "What I am doing, you do not understand now, but afterwards you will understand." So what the Lord is doing—that's John 13:7. Write that down. This is important. He says what He's doing right now you don't understand because He's moving in your life in a deeper way of healing.

He's moving in alignment. We're going to see some things align in a good way. And yeah, there's been some pain to get there. But the Lord says, "What I'm doing right now, you don't understand, but I'm going to give you the Spirit of understanding." You need to know it is indeed going to be okay. This is the word of the Lord. Yeah. Ask the Lord to reveal what you need.

Now we invite the Spirit of wisdom and understanding. (There's also the Seven spirits of the Lord. They're found in Isaiah 11:2.) The Spirit of the Lord—, we invite the Spirit of the Lord, the Spirit of counsel and might, the

Spirit of knowledge and understanding, the Spirit of the fear of the Lord. (I just got those a little bit out of order, but that's what's going on right now. He's doing something right now to help you with your mind), the Spirit of the Lord, counsel and might, knowledge and the fear of the Lord, in Jesus' name.

We just take authority over mind and memory. See, I'm a signs prophet. So I pray that verse all the time. But all of a sudden, right when I tried to pray, it slipped out of my memory because people right now maybe you're suffering from memory things, you know, losses or something. So we just take authority right now over this.

The Lord is going to move on you with a solution to the pollution. He's going to move on you and show you some things. John 3:16. I tell you, this is a powerful verse. We tend to think of it as salvation. My goodness, it is, "For God so loved the world that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him will not perish but have eternal life." That's not just for salvation. That's for you right now. You need to step up right now and believe and receive. Jesus said it was really important to break unbelief. Did you know that Jesus himself could not do miracles when the spirit of unbelief was there? That's what he said. He himself, He said that in Samaria He couldn't do miracles. Jesus healed—, or He could only do a few with the spirit of unbelief. So if you get the unbelief in your life about the Lord or anything, it can cloud things up.

And maybe you need to receive Jesus. You know, I'll do a little bit of prayer here, but why not right now? Let's just all rededicate ourselves to the Lord. We say, "Lord, come into our lives right now." Whether you've received Him early on or you just need a boost. I felt the Lord say, "I'm going to empower John 3:16 over you ... that I so loved the world." The Lord says that "I sent my one and only Son, Jesus Christ, and whoever believes in Him will not perish but have eternal life."

So, Lord, we pray for that. But not only the life eternally in Heaven, but we pray for the eternal life now, not eternal, but we pray for the joyous life right now.

Jesus said, "I came to give you life and life to the fullest." And that word, that word really talks about the *zao* life. That's a joyous life.

So, it's not just about Heaven. This is about right now ... that we don't perish right now on Earth. You know, this—, come into alignment with the things of the Lord and you'll see... that's what I see, that no matter what happens, you'll be in a place of joy, or you'll recover quickly what's ... what you need to do, what He's doing. The Lord is going to pour out His power on His people. And we're going to really just need this—. We just need to get through these next few weeks and months, and you're going to see something happen and a realignment and reassignments are going to happen.

The Lord is going to bring you into His timing. Proverbs 16:9, "In a man's heart, he plans his way, but the Lord directs his steps." So, that's for women too. But you know, you can plan things in your mind and in your heart, but the Lord is going to direct you. He's going to course-correct you right now. That's not a bad thing. He's got a coach into—.

There are some people who have actually held on to some prophetic words a little bit too long, especially with marrying someone, especially with—, maybe you thought it was going to turn out one way. But see, here's the key. Some people really do need to —, you might need to hold on to some of them, but I would put them on the, on the altar of the Lord right now, everything, and ask Him to raise them up. The key is, is to not be angry at the Lord, because if you're angry—, in your anger ... the anger is going to stop you from hearing the Lord clearly. It's gonna to really hinder things because what did Jesus say? The greatest commandment is to love God with all your heart, all your soul and all your mind, and love your neighbor as yourself. So your anger at the Lord needs to get fixed. And, and I've been working on this with me. And then love your neighbor,

love other people—forgiveness, and then love yourself—is breaking through low self-esteem and all those unloving spirits as well (the spirit of fear).

So, the Lord is going to adjust your time right now. He's going to show you something. And last week I talked about—on *Spirit Connection*—I talked about the [Times and Seasons gift](#). So if you didn't get that, I would recommend checking it out because it's a good, good thing to get, especially aligning with ... right now.

Revelation 22 there is the Tree of Life and the River of Life in Heaven that produces a crop every month. It produces a crop every month. And, you know, I get prophetic words of the month and the leaves of this heavenly stuff that's there. And it's a food from Heaven, basically. It's where I get my prophetic words. You know, I get monthly words, I get the daily word. I get this from being able to be in communion with the Lord and His perfect will and timing. He's going to synchronize you. Some people have been out of sync. I've had to suffer with this, I keep trying to get into sync with what God's doing right now.

So don't be discouraged, whatever you do. Ephesians 3:16–17, “I pray that out of his glorious riches that he may strengthen you with the power in his Spirit in your inner being (that's your spirit), so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith.” Oh my goodness, it's powerful. Then the Lord who has you covered, He's going to help you right now. He's going to help you not just survive but thrive. You want to thrive in the midst of what's going on. He's going to release that thriving power. He's going to renew your strength. Those who wait on the Lord will renew their strength. They will mount up on wings like eagles. They will run and not grow weary. They will walk and not be faint.

Lord, we pray that You would release that, bring it into the previous seasons.

The Lord says, “Do not give up for I am with you,” says the Lord. “I have never, ever left you.”

So there's going to be help come right now, and the Spirit of the Lord is here. So He's here. But there's angels. I just want to make an announcement. Hey, everybody, there is some big angels here. I mean, really big ones. Hebrews 1:14, “Are not angels ministering spirits sent to serve those who inherit salvation?” And some people say, you know—. You know, I sometimes speak at a church, and I'll put up a picture of an angel when I get around a group that—, they need an angel adjustment, you know, because they're—, we're used to hearing God through the Word and maybe we're afraid of the supernatural or being deceived, but don't be deceived because angels are needed.

In fact, let's just say that if I was in a—, most churches anyway, I'm not judging anybody. But in most churches, if I would say, “Hey, you know what? There's an angel here. There's an angel of breakthrough. That's what's here. The angels of breakthrough are here.” But if I was to say, “There's a demon in the room,” most people would believe me. But if I said there's an angel here, then everyone's like, *Okay* (we've got to explain that one to everyone), *what in the world is that about?* Because we need an angel adjustment.

And most people right now are really in need of the angels. I tell you, I had an encounter just this past week, and I saw the angels of breakthrough. These are breakthrough. I mean, these were big and mighty. Others—, there were levels. These are ... this is a class of angels. They do operate. They operate in healing. Remember that, there's an angel for all the areas. They operate in healing. They operate in all the different—. The prophetic angels are here, the Lord says, like in New Testament, we just nail this down. In Acts 8:26 and 8:29, Philip, if you take a look at that, Philip was interacting with the Holy Spirit.

In Acts [8:]26, it says the Spirit of the Lord told him to go down to this road. And then once He got there in Acts 8:29, then the angel was there. I might have mixed that up. The angel ... the angel was there first. Actually, the angel was in Acts 8:26. Angel of the Lord told him to go there. Once he got there, the Spirit of the Lord spoke to him.

So, we can interact. This is right in the Bible. This is New Testament. You can interact with the Lord and angels. You don't have to see them. That's the key because they don't show themselves normally. If you're a high-level seer, maybe. I don't see them (maybe once in a while) it's because they bring too much attention away from what they want to bring you from the Lord.

I'm going to help you get some angel training here. So the angel actually helped break Peter out of jail in the book of Acts—12. In Acts 12, broke them right out of jail. He thought he was having a vision, but it was real. Then in Acts 10:3, Cornelius distinctly saw an angel during an encounter. Now that was a distinct encounter. That's because he wasn't a believer, and he was about to do something. So some angelic encounters can come like Peter had, was a vision. And then Paul had one, came in a night dream. Then you'll see here with Cornelius in Acts 10:3, it was a distinct—. So it doesn't matter.

Don't get hung up on any of this. Don't ask for anything that—, just ask for the Lord to speak to you. And sometimes I'll see angels, you know, I'll see the light out of the corner of my eye or the song will change. Something will happen like that. But yeah, test the spirits, you know, because some angels are around you, there can be some false stuff, but just test the spirits like anything. It's just like hearing the Lord through the Bible. It's the same thing.

Don't kick this out, folks, because God's about to do something new in the area of angels. And I know I had an encounter with them. I didn't see them, but I knew them. I could close my eyes, I could see them. In other words, that's how I usually see it. Man, I saw these things about 16-foot high. Two of them. There might have been three, but two



of them were there meeting with me at three in the morning in a place, just this week. And they said—, they gave me some instructions. And then I, you know, it's not like I was—, I'm just used to it. It was just like listening to the Holy Spirit. That's what it was. But then I closed my eyes, I could see, oh my goodness, those were angels. And then I didn't really worry about which way they went.

But now I want to tell you, the reason I'm telling you is because they're here. They're here for you. And God wants you to increase in your ability to hear His voice. So the Bible—, really the verses in the Bible can help you. I use Bible verses to pray in agreement. I take communion and I don't have a high expectation for how God visits me. So in other words, I'm not waiting for Jesus to come in the room. I'm not, you know, looking for something. I just want to hear the Spirit of the Lord. I don't care. For with me, and this is with you as well ... it comes in all these different ways.

I want to give you my three favorite verses that I use, and I use them all at once. I just kind of line them up to hear the Lord. And right now you can use these. John 16:13, John 16:13, 1 Corinthians 2:10, 1 Corinthians 2:10. I'm repeating, it's a double anointing. Daniel 2:22, Daniel 2:22. Ready? Write those down, go back. But you can pray them without, actually, just—, I'm going to pray them. And I'm going to ask the Lord to speak to you right now.

Whoo! Lord, open it up right now. "But when he comes, the Spirit of truth, he will guide you into all truth. He will not speak on his own; he will only speak what he hears, and he will tell you what is yet to come." "These are the things that God has revealed to us by his Spirit. The Spirit that searches all things, even the deep things of God." "He reveals deep and hidden things; and he knows what lies in darkness, and light dwells in him."

So, Lord, we pray for the Spirit of truth to speak. We pray that You would tell us what's on the heart of God, and especially that Daniel 2:22 flashlight of the Lord.

He knows what lies in darkness. In fact, He reveals these deep and hidden things. He knows what's there and light dwells in Him. And He's going to show you some things right now, not in a bad way. This is not to nuke you or anything. I think you can feel the presence and the power as I do that.

So, here, I just want to do another thing ... a prayer to open you up, open things up in the heavens. I love Ephesians 1:17, I believe it is, yes, 17 through 19, "I keep asking that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the glorious Father, may give you the Spirit of wisdom and revelation, so that you may know him better. And I pray that the eyes of your heart would be enlightened in order that you may know the hope for which he has called you, for the riches of His glory and the inheritance in his holy people, the incomparable great power for those who believe. The power is his mighty strength."

Now notice "those who believe," that's what Jesus was talking about, and I opened with ... breaking off that unbelief. My goodness, this is Ephesians 1:17–19. This—, I would write this down and begin to pray this as well.

So, Lord, we pray in Jesus' name that You would activate this. We pray that You would encourage us, that You would open up our eyes to the angelic or at least our ears. [chuckles] You know what I mean? Open us up ... are the angelic realm because they're coming way more, especially at Rosh Hashanah this year in late September and October this year. (But they're here right now. You don't have to wait.) I pray, Lord, that there would be an encouragement. We break off the spirit of sickness, suicide and death. We break off discouragement. We break off unbelief. We break off the spirit of fear. We break off anything and everything that's keeping us from this next level of what You've called us to do and be in You. In Jesus' name, amen.

Whooh! Another power week. Wow. These last few podcasts—I have felt that Jesus juice pretty heavy on these.

DougAddison.com is my website. You can follow me on Facebook—TheDougAddison; Twitter and Instagram—DougTAddison; and YouTube—Doug Addison. There's a bunch of them because I started early, didn't realize that I should have made them all the same. [laughs]

But anyway, yeah, I've got—, we've got a school starting and this is so, so powerful. I haven't done a school of the supernatural in a very long time. My team has really put this together. It's the [School of the Supernatural](https://www.dougaddison.com/SOS) is the name of it. [DougAddison.com/SOS](https://www.dougaddison.com/SOS). I am praying that you'll be able to go through it. I tell you, this will open up the ways of the supernatural. And it's about 9 hours of teaching, really, and some different stuff, different workbooks that we've put together as well, to be—, they're digital. Everything's digital that you can download, take on your own, but you need to sign up for it right now.

But this is the supernatural school having to, having to understand how God speaks and know the difference between if it's you, the Lord or another source. Or to understand as well—heavenly encounters, to understand angelic encounters, how to discern, learn to discern. I just hope you can do this. This should be, in fact, it would be priced—, normally, based on what it is, it would be about \$497. But we're going to do \$97 or two payments of \$50. [DougAddison.com/SOS](https://www.dougaddison.com/SOS).

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almost—, some people consider it their church and consider me their pastor. We are an online church, but you can have your own church, like we do. We have—, we go to a church, but then we use this as a way to have prophetic community. Or it can be your church ... either way. But check out [DougAddison.com/Give](https://DougAddison.com/Give) and then you'll see a link to the Partners.

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I am so excited because next week I'm going to release the prophetic word for the month of September and it's going to have some juice on it because it's going to be talking about Rosh Hashanah/Yom Kippur as well.

God bless you! See you then.

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