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Ephesians 6:12 a "For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood enemies, but against <u>evil rulers</u> and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places."

Ephesians 1:3 "Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in Christ with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms."

Numbers 23:8 "How can I curse those whom God has not cursed? How can I denounce those whom the LORD has not denounced?"

Key No. 1 – Realize That God Is the Source of All blessing.

Revelation 1:8 "He is the Alpha and the Omega, the One who was, who is and who is to come

Genesis 1:1 "In the beginning God created the heavens and the earth." The Hebrew translation of that verse is, "In the beginning, THE BLESSED One created the heavens and the earth."

James 1:17 "Every good and perfect gift comes from the Lord."

Key No. 2 – Realize That the Choice to Be Blessed Is yours.

Deuteronomy 30:19 "Today I have given you the choice between life and death, between blessings and curses. Now I call on heaven and earth to witness the choice you make. Oh, that you would choose life, so that you and your descendants might live!"

Key No. 3 – Realize That Fearing the Lord Leads to blessing.

Psalms 112:1 "Hallelujah! Blessed is the man who fears the LORD, who greatly delights in His commandments."

Psalm 112:1: "Praise the Lord! (Hallelujah!) Blessed [fortunate, prosperous, and favored by God] is the man who fears the Lord [with awe-inspired reverence and worships Him with obedience], Who delights greatly in His commandments!"

Key No. 4 – Realize That <u>Delighting in His commandments lead to Blessing</u>.

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Matthew 22:37-40 Jesus replied, "You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind." This is the first and greatest commandment. A second is equally important: "Love your neighbor as yourself." The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments."

2 Timothy 3:16 "All Scripture is inspired by God and is useful to teach us what is true and to make us realize what is wrong in our lives. It corrects us when we are wrong and teaches us to do what is right."

Key No. 5 - Realize That God's Commands Are there to bless you.

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Key No. 6 - Realize That God Loves You and Wants you blessed.

1 John 4:19 "We love each other because He loved us first."

Romans 5:8 "God demonstrated His love for us in that Christ died for us while we were yet still sinners."

1 John 4:4 "...Greater is he that is in you, than he that is in the world!"