

THIS IS MY BIBLE, I AM WHAT IT SAYS I AM,
I CAN DO WHAT IT SAYS I CAN DO.
I AM A BELIEVER, AND NOT A DOUBTER,
A DOER AND NOT JUST A HEARER, AND
MY LIFE IS THE BETTER AFTER HEARING,
OBEYING, AND APPLYING A
WORD FROM THE LORD.

ACTS 19:11–12 NIV

¹¹ GOD DID EXTRAORDINARY MIRACLES THROUGH PAUL,

¹² SO THAT EVEN HANDKERCHIEFS AND APRONS THAT HAD TOUCHED HIM WERE TAKEN TO THE SICK, AND THEIR ILLNESSES WERE CURED AND THE EVIL SPIRITS LEFT THEM.

ACTS 19:13 NIV

¹³ SOME JEWS WHO WENT AROUND DRIVING OUT EVIL SPIRITS TRIED TO INVOKE THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS OVER THOSE WHO WERE DEMON-POSSESSED. THEY WOULD SAY, "IN THE NAME OF THE JESUS WHOM PAUL PREACHES, I COMMAND YOU TO COME OUT."

ACTS 19:14–15 NIV

¹⁴ SEVEN SONS OF SCEVA, A JEWISH CHIEF PRIEST, WERE DOING THIS.

¹⁵ ONE DAY THE EVIL SPIRIT ANSWERED THEM, “JESUS I KNOW, AND PAUL I KNOW ABOUT, BUT WHO ARE YOU?”

ACTS 19:16 NIV

¹⁶ THEN THE MAN WHO HAD THE EVIL SPIRIT JUMPED ON THEM AND OVERPOWERED THEM ALL. HE GAVE THEM SUCH A BEATING THAT THEY RAN OUT OF THE HOUSE NAKED AND BLEEDING.

LUKE 10:1–2 NIV

¹ AFTER THIS THE LORD APPOINTED SEVENTY-TWO OTHERS AND SENT THEM TWO BY TWO AHEAD OF HIM TO EVERY TOWN AND PLACE WHERE HE WAS ABOUT TO GO.

² HE TOLD THEM, “**THE HARVEST IS PLENTIFUL, BUT THE WORKERS ARE FEW.** ASK THE LORD OF THE HARVEST, THEREFORE, TO SEND OUT WORKERS INTO HIS HARVEST FIELD.

LUKE 10:3 NIV

³ GO! I AM SENDING YOU OUT
LIKE LAMBS AMONG WOLVES.

LUKE 10:9 NIV

**⁹ HEAL THE SICK WHO ARE THERE
AND TELL THEM, 'THE KINGDOM OF
GOD HAS COME NEAR TO YOU.'**

LUKE 10:16A NIV

**16 "WHOEVER LISTENS TO YOU
LISTENS TO ME; WHOEVER
REJECTS YOU REJECTS ME**

AUTHORITY

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LUKE 10:17 NIV

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GENESIS 6:1–2 NIV

¹ WHEN HUMAN BEINGS BEGAN TO INCREASE IN NUMBER ON THE EARTH AND DAUGHTERS WERE BORN TO THEM,

² THE **SONS OF GOD** SAW THAT THE **DAUGHTERS OF HUMANS** WERE BEAUTIFUL, AND THEY MARRIED ANY OF THEM THEY CHOSE.

GENESIS 6:4A NIV

⁴ THE NEPHILIM WERE ON THE EARTH IN THOSE DAYS—AND ALSO AFTERWARD—WHEN THE **SONS OF GOD** WENT TO THE **DAUGHTERS OF HUMANS** AND HAD CHILDREN BY THEM.

1 CORINTHIANS 15:39–40 NIV

³⁹ NOT ALL FLESH IS THE SAME: PEOPLE HAVE ONE KIND OF FLESH, ANIMALS HAVE ANOTHER, BIRDS ANOTHER AND FISH ANOTHER.

⁴⁰ THERE ARE ALSO HEAVENLY BODIES AND THERE ARE EARTHLY BODIES; BUT THE SPLendor OF THE HEAVENLY BODIES IS ONE KIND, AND THE SPLendor OF THE EARTHLY BODIES IS ANOTHER.

DEMONS DESIRE TO DWELL
WITHIN THE SOUL AND BODY OF
PEOPLE FOR THE PURPOSE OF
TORMENT AND CONTROL

LUKE 10:17 NIV

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LUKE 10:18–19 NIV

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TRUCOPS

- **TRAUMA (UNPROCESSED)**
- **REJECTION**
- **UNFORGIVENESS**
- **CURSES**
- **OCCULT PRACTICES**
- **PHYSICAL OBJECTS**
- **SIN**

THE USE OF PHYSICAL OBJECTS AS A PORTAL OF DEMONIC ENTRY IS A VERY SUBTLE BUT EFFECTIVE ASPECT OF DECEPTION. ALTHOUGH THIS PLOY OF THE EVIL KINGDOM IS CLEARLY SHOWN IN THE BIBLE, IT IS AMAZING HOW MANY CHRISTIANS ARE IGNORANT OF IT.

WHETHER OR NOT PEOPLE ARE AWARE OF WHAT THEY ARE DOING WHEN THEY BRING DEMONIC OBJECTS INTO THEIR HOMES, THE END RESULT IS THE SAME: THEY MAY AS WELL HANG A FLASHING NEON SIGN THAT SAYS, "ROOMS FOR RENT." IT IS AN OPEN INVITATION TO DEMONS.

I LEARNED THIS WHILE MINISTERING DELIVERANCE AND HEALING TO WOMEN IN INDIA—IF THEY KEPT CERTAIN PIECES OF JEWELRY ON, THE EVIL SPIRITS WOULD NOT LEAVE. IT'S AS IF SOMEONE FASTENED A SIGN TO THEM THAT READ, "THIS IS MY PROPERTY." SOME OF THE JEWELRY THESE WOMEN WORE WAS CONNECTED TO THE WORSHIP OF FALSE GODS,

WHICH ARE ABUNDANT IN INDIA. THEY MAY NOT HAVE BEEN AWARE OF THE SPIRITUAL CONNOTATIONS OF THE JEWELRY, BUT THEY STILL OPENED A DEMONIC PORTAL BY WEARING IT. THE SAME HOLDS TRUE WITH CERTAIN BODY PIERCINGS AND TATTOOS, WHICH MAY ALSO INVOLVE A SPIRIT OF REBELLION.

ONCE DURING A DELIVERANCE SERVICE, A YOUNG GIRL BEGAN THRASHING ABOUT BECAUSE THE DEMON WITHIN HER WAS REFUSING TO COME OUT. WHEN ONE OF THE MINISTERS PULLED HER TOE RING OFF, THE EVIL SPIRIT CAME RIGHT OUT OF HER. THIS PARTICULAR RING WAS A CURSED OBJECT THAT GAVE THE DEMON A LEGAL RIGHT TO BE IN HER.

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ACTS 19:18–19 NIV

¹⁸ MANY OF THOSE WHO BELIEVED NOW CAME AND OPENLY CONFESSED WHAT THEY HAD DONE.

¹⁹ A NUMBER WHO HAD PRACTICED SORCERY BROUGHT THEIR SCROLLS TOGETHER AND BURNED THEM PUBLICLY. WHEN THEY CALCULATED THE VALUE OF THE SCROLLS, THE TOTAL CAME TO FIFTY THOUSAND DRACHMAS.

ACTS 19:20 NIV

²⁰ IN THIS WAY THE WORD OF THE LORD SPREAD WIDELY AND GREW IN POWER.

CERTAIN WRITTEN WORDS CARRY THE POWER TO CONJURE DEMONS AND WHEN THESE TYPES OF BOOKS ARE IN OUR HOMES, THEY BRING DEMONIC RITES OF PASSAGE. THERE ARE ALSO SYMBOLS AND PICTURES IN SOME BOOKS THAT CARRY DEMONS IN THEM—THIS IS TRUE OF PORNOGRAPHY AS WELL, NOT JUST BLATANTLY SATANIC BOOKS.

UNFORGIVENESS IS A POISON THAT
EMBITTERS AND HARDENS THE SOUL.
SADLY, THIS ELEMENT IS SO COMMON
IN PEOPLE'S SOULS THAT IT HAS
BECOME PROBABLY THE MOST
PREVALENT DEMONIC PORTAL.
GENUINE FORGIVENESS IS THE
OPPOSITE OF EMOTIONAL BLACKMAIL.

WE DO NOT CONTINUE TO BEAT OTHERS UP FOR HOW WE THINK THEY HAVE WRONGED US. WE MAY THINK WE ARE ENSLAVING THEM BY HOLDING THAT IOU AGAINST THEM, BUT IN REALITY, WE ARE THE ONES WHO ARE ENSLAVED TO THE BITTERNESS IN OUR SOULS. LET IT GO AND BE FREE!

A WOMAN ONCE SHARED WITH ME HOW MUCH SHE HATED HER EX-HUSBAND. EVEN THOUGH HER FEELINGS WERE JUSTIFIED, SINCE HE HAD SLEPT WITH HER MOTHER AND SUCCEEDED IN LEGALLY GAINING FULL CUSTODY OF THEIR CHILDREN, I STILL KNEW THAT THE HATRED WAS POISONING HER SOUL. WHEN I FOUND OUT THE OFFENSE WAS 15 YEARS OLD AT THE TIME, I ASKED HER IF SHE WANTED TO GIVE HIM THE NEXT 15 YEARS OF HER LIFE AS WELL.

AT FIRST SHE DIDN'T UNDERSTAND, BUT AS I WENT ON TO EXPLAIN THAT THE BITTERNESS IN HER SOUL WAS ROBBING HER OF LIFE AND WOULD CONTINUE TO DO SO IF SHE DID NOT FORGIVE, SHE GOT IT. UPON FORGIVING HIM SHE WAS HEALED OVERNIGHT OF A TERMINAL DISEASE. THE SOUL THAT WAS ONCE BITTER AND WITHERING FROM A SPIRIT OF INFIRMITY IS NOW SWEET AND VIBRANT. THE DEMON COULD NOT STAND THE FRAGRANCE OF LOVE AND FORGIVENESS. HE FLED THE SCENE WITHOUT ANYONE EVEN COMMANDING HIM TO LEAVE. LIGHT DISPELS DARKNESS, AND THE SWEET FRAGRANCE OF GOD'S LOVE OVERPOWERS THE FOUL STENCH OF DEMONS.

A YOUNG LADY WAS STANDING BEFORE ME ONE DAY FOR MINISTRY. WHEN I CHECKED THE PORTAL OF UNFORGIVENESS, SHE PHYSICALLY SHOOK IN ANGER TOWARD HER DAD. SHE SAID, "THAT HE SEXUALLY VIOLATED ME EVERYDAY FOR SEVEN YEARS." SHE CONTINUED, "YOU THINK THAT I'M GONNA JUST TEAR UP THIS IOU? HE OWES ME FOR THE PAIN HE HAS CAUSED ME!" I RESPONDED WITH TWO THINGS THAT CONVINCED HER THAT FORGIVING HIM WOULD BE THE BEST THING TO DO.

FIRST, I SAID, "GIVE GOD THE IOU. LET HIM COLLECT THE DEBT. THE BIBLE SAYS, 'VENGEANCE IS MINE,' SAYS THE LORD, 'I WILL REPAY.'" I EXPLAINED TO HER THAT GOD DID NOT GIVE HER A SPIRIT CAPABLE OF JUDGING AND THAT WHENEVER WE TRY TO JUDGE PEOPLE FOR THE WRONGS THEY HAVE COMMITTED AGAINST US, IN A SENSE, WE ARE PLAYING GOD. SECOND, I SAID, "YOUR BITTERNESS IS NOT HURTING HIM—IT'S HURTING YOU." I ALSO SHARED WITH HER THAT BY FORGIVING HIM, SHE WOULD ACTUALLY BE BREAKING HIS CONTROL OVER HER. *AS LONG AS WE CARRY HATE TOWARD PEOPLE WHO HAVE HURT US, THEY ARE IN CONTROL OVER US.*

HEBREWS 12:15 NIV

¹⁵ SEE TO IT THAT NO ONE FALLS SHORT OF THE GRACE OF GOD AND THAT NO **BITTER ROOT GROWS UP** TO CAUSE TROUBLE AND **DEFILE MANY**.

2 CORINTHIANS 2:10–11 NIV

¹⁰ANYONE YOU FORGIVE, I ALSO FORGIVE. AND WHAT I HAVE FORGIVEN—IF THERE WAS ANYTHING TO FORGIVE—I HAVE FORGIVEN IN THE SIGHT OF CHRIST FOR YOUR SAKE,

¹¹**IN ORDER THAT SATAN MIGHT NOT OUTWIT US. FOR WE ARE NOT UNAWARE OF HIS SCHEMES.**