

## Breaking of Generational Curses – School of Ministry

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### **Genesis 1:31 NKJV**

<sup>31</sup> Then God saw everything that He had made, and indeed *it was* very good. So the evening and the morning were the sixth day.

- Curse -Genesis 3:17-19
- Blessings and curses—continuation from one generation to another—families as well as individuals.

### **Examples of blessings**

- From God

**Genesis 22:15–18 NKJV**

- From man on behalf of God

**Genesis 27:27–29, Genesis 27:33, Genesis 27:37–40 NKJV**

- The same principles apply to curses
- The word “curse” occurs nearly 200 times in Scripture
- There is always a cause for a curse - **Proverbs 26:2 NKJV**

**1 Peter 1:18–19 ESV, Job 15:35 NKJV**

- Every Human being is born under curse

**Tyndale Bible Dictionary Futility**

FUTILITY Frustration, vexation, uselessness, and meaninglessness

- evil, calamity, injustice, sin, deception, false, unprincipled, vain, vanity, idol, worthless,

**Effects of blessing (summed up):**

- God's Favor
- Exaltation
- Health
- Reproductiveness
- Prosperity
- Victory

**Effects of curses (summed up):**

- God's disfavor
- Humiliation
- Mental and physical sickness
- Family breakdown
- Poverty
- Defeat
- Oppression
- Failure

**Sin, transgression & iniquity**

- Sin - motives - rebellion
- Transgression - transgressing God's principle
- Iniquity - in the bloodline as a stronghold

**Exodus 20:5, Lamentations 5:7, Jeremiah 2:9, Leviticus 16:21, Isaiah 53:12 & Isaiah 53:5 NKJV**

- **Sin - Jesus bore the sin of the humanity**
- **Transgressors - Jesus intercedes**
- **Iniquity - bruised, crushed**

**It costed Jesus everything**

**Galatians 3:13–14 NKJV**

**God is bound by His words: We have to appropriate the finished work of the cross and get released from generational curses through prayer and confession**

**Blessings and curses explained**

- Divinely ordained exchange
- Blessings – 600 times; Curses –300 times
- Vehicles of supernatural power for good & bad
- Pass on from generation to generation
- Vehicles - words
  - Written
  - Pronounced by others
  - Pronounced inward
- Objects also radiate curses (Joshua 7:1- Achan)
  - Cup of blessings – communion
  - Cup of water of curse – Numbers 5:21
- Curses will be a barrier for healing, blessing, prosperity
- Pass on from generation to generation
- Deuteronomy 28- 14 verses of blessings & 54 verses of curses
- Causes of blessings:
  - Listening to God’s voice
  - Doing what God says

**Deuteronomy 28:15 NKJV**

- Causes of curses:
  - Not listening to God’s voice and Not doing what God says

## **Conditions indicating curses**

- Mental and emotional breakdown
- Repeated or chronic sicknesses (esp. without clear medical diagnosis)
- Repeated miscarriages or related female problems
- Breakdown of marriage—family alienation
- Continuing financial insufficiency (esp. where income appears sufficient)
- “Accident prone”
- Addictions
- Adultery
- Infidelity

## **Causes of curses:**

1. False gods (Ex. 20:3–5)
2. Idolatry-cult, occult, etc. (Deut. 27:15–26)
3. Disrespect for parents (Eph. 6:1–3)
4. Treachery against a neighbor (compare Prov. 17:13)
5. Injustice to the weak or helpless
6. Illicit or unnatural sex/incest
7. Anti-Semitism (Gen. 12:3; 27:29)
8. Depending on flesh (Jer. 17:5–6)
9. Stealing or perjury (Zech. 5:1–4)
10. Stinginess toward God (Mal. 3:8–10)
11. Perverting the Gospel (Gal. 1:8–9)
12. Curses by servant of God – God’s Mouthpiece

Joshua 6:26 - 1 King 16:34

David – Mt. Gilboa – 2 Samuel 1:21

Jesus cursing the fig tree

Elisha – Gehazi – 2 Kings 5:26,27

### 13. Persons with relational authority

Jacob – Rachel (Genesis 31:30-32 – 35:16-19)

- Husband over wife
- Parents over Children
- Teacher over student
- Pastor over congregation

### 14. Self-imposed curses

- Rebekah – Genesis 27:11-13
- Jews and Jesus - Matthew 27:24-25

### 15. Servants of Satan

- Witch Doctors – medicine man

### 16. Unscriptural covenants

- Freemasonry – illuminati
- No abomination inside the house (Deut 7:26)

## **Release from curses**

### • Establish scriptural basis

- Galatians. 3:13–14; Ephesians 1:7; Colossians 1:12–14; 1 John 3:8b and Luke 10:19

### **Galatians 3:13–14 NKJV**

• Confess your faith in Christ and commit yourself to obedience (Confess your sins and ancestral sins) - **Leviticus 26:40 NKJV**

### • Forgive yourself and others

- Renounce all contact with occult
- Get rid of all contact objects
- Release yourselves in the name of Jesus
- Confess and accept the blessings of Abraham

### **Prayer of release**

*•Lord Jesus Christ, I believe that You are the Son of God and the only way to God. That You died on the cross for my sins and rose again from the dead. That on the cross You were made sin with my sinfulness that I might be made righteous with Your righteousness. And also, that You were made a curse with any curse that might come upon me.*

*Now, Lord, I come to You for deliverance from any such curse. I repent of any sins that have caused it to come, whether by me or by my ancestors. I receive Your forgiveness. I take my stand now against the devil and all his pressures, and everything he wants to do against me. In the name of Jesus, I resist him. I refuse to submit any longer to him.*

*In the name of Jesus, I now release myself from any curse over my life. Because of what Jesus did for me, in His name I release myself and I receive the release now by faith with thankfulness.*

*Lord, I thank You now. I praise You now. I believe You're faithful. I believe You are doing what I've asked You to do. All I can do, Lord, is thank You and praise You, commit my life to You—that from now on, Your blessing may rest upon me. Thank You, Lord Jesus. Thank You.*

### **Confession of faith**

*•Through the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross I have passed out from under the curse and entered into the blessing of Abraham who God blessed in all thing- exaltation, health, prosperity, reproductiveness, victory, God's favor and God's friendship.*

**You are free now. Now, go set someone free!**