

*Praying in the Spirit  
puts on the armor  
and its the power  
that makes it work*

## *Increasing Joy Ministries*

Helmet of Salvation

Ephesians 6:17 / Isaiah 59:17

1 Thessalonians 5:8

*"The meek also shall increase their joy in the Lord..." Isaiah 29:19*

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**32 years of God's**

Breast Plate of Righteousness

**Faithfulness**

Ephesians 6:14

Isiah 59:17 / Philippians 1:1

1 Thessalonians 5:8

**Watch**

Shield of Faith

Ephesians 6:16 / 1 John 5:4

**and**

Belt of Truth

Ephesians 6:14

**Pray**

Sword of the Spirit

Word of God

Ephesians 6:17

Hebrews 4:12

John 6:63

*Ephesians 6:11-12*

*Put on the whole armor of God, that you may be able to stand against the schemes of the devil. For we do not wrestle against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, the rulers of darkness of this age, against spiritual hosts of wickedness in the heavenly places.*

### **Mission Statement**

To declare the Gospel which brings willing hearts to a saving faith in Christ Jesus and causes a life of Christ likeness through Worship, Ministry, Evangelism, Teaching, and Fellowship.

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Shoes of the Gospel of Peace

Ephesians 6:10 / Isiah 52:7 / Galatians 5:15

**“All power is given unto Me in heaven and in earth!” Jesus (Matthew 28:18)**

Prayers of Activation for Spiritual Warfare (Praying for yourself, family, friends, neighbors, pastors, church leadership and membership, those in authority)

As God’s official legislator, ambassador and law-enforcement agent:

**I come** in the name of the resurrected Jesus, whose I am and whom I serve, “that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; and the every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord” (Philippians 2:10-11; see also Psalms 82).

**I affect** and enforce God’s original plans and purposes over and against the plans and purposes of Satan (Daniel 6).

**I decree** and declare that in this battle no intrinsic (internal) or extrinsic (external) weapon, be it emotional, financial, social, physical, psychological, interpersonal, spiritual, or organizational, formed against me shall prosper (1 Samuel 17:47; Isaiah 54:17; Jeremiah 51:20; John 14:30; 2 Corinthians 7:5; Ephesians 4:27).

**I place** upon myself the armor of light and of the Lord (Romans 13:12; Ephesians 6:13-17).

- Truth to cover my loins (Psalms 51:6)
- The breastplate of righteousness to cover my heart and chest cavity (Psalms 5:12; 2 Corinthians 6:7)
- The gospel of peace to cover my feet (Isaiah 52:7)
- The shield of faith to defensively and offensively cover my body (Hebrews 10:38; 11:1, 6)
- The helmet of salvation to cover my head (Isaiah 59:17; 1 Thessalonians 5:8)
- The sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God (Ephesians 6:17, Revelation 1:16)
- The Lord Jesus Christ (Romans 13:14)
- A robe of righteousness (Isaiah 61:10)
- The glory of God is my reward (Isaiah 58:8)

**I decree** and declare that the weapons of my warfare are not carnal but mighty through God (1 Samuel 17:45; Roman 13:12; 2 Corinthians 10:3-6; Ephesians 6:13-18).

**I pull down** strongholds and cast down vain imaginations and every high thing that lifts itself against the knowledge of Jesus Christ. My thoughts are now subject to the lordship of Christ (Isaiah 14:13-14; Ezekiel 28:2; 2 Corinthians 10:5).

**I speak** that God's anointing destroys every yoke in my life and that my soul, spirit, and body now function in order according to divine systems of protocol (1 Corinthians 9:27; 14:40).

**I decree** and declare that I am healed and Spirit filled; sickness and disease are far from me and my family (Isaiah 53:5; Psalm 103:3; Exodus 15:26; 1 Peter 2:24).

**I establish** divine parameters, boundaries, and borders and legislate and establish the laws of the kingdom of heaven to govern all activities within (1 Chronicles 4:10; Psalms 147:14; Isaiah 60:18).

**I overrule** (disallow and veto) every diabolical sanction, subverting activity, injunction, directive, mandate, or order that opposes the will of the Lord concerning my life, ministry, and family (Matthew 18:18)

**I nullify** diabolical decisions and rulings concerning my ministry, my life and the lives of family members, friends, and associates (Isaiah 38:1-5; 39:6-8, Matthew 16:19)

**I take control** over the airways, galaxies, systems, spheres, stratospheres, hemispheres, realms, regions, and domains (Jeremiah 1:10; Matthew 16:19; 18:18; 1 Corinthians 6:2-3; Ephesians 2:6; Revelation 5:10; 11:12).

**I dispossess** master spirits and employ Michael, other archangels, and the angelic host to handle any satanic contentions disputes, strivings and resistance concerning this injunction (2 Kings 7:5-7; 2 Chronicles 32:21; Daniel 3:24-25; 6:22; 10:13; Psalms 91:11; 103:20; Hebrews 1:14).

**I declare** successful divine and angelic undertakings, undergirding, reinforcements, and assistance. According to Your Word in Psalm 103:20, angels

who “excel in strength” to marshal and protect my personage, family, property, and possessions (2 Kings 6:17; Daniel 3:15-30; Acts 12: 1-10).

**Jehovah-Gibbor**, contend with those who contend with me; fight against those who fight against me. Take hold of shield and buckler, and stand up for my help! Draw out also the spear and javelin and close up the way of those who pursue and persecute me. Clothe Yourself in Your garments of war. Muster Your devices; gather Your weaponry and ammunition from Your divine arsenal. Make bright Your arrow, gather Your shields, and let vengeance be Your ultimate goal as You overthrow the chariots, horses, and riders. Let terror strike the hearts of my enemies and cause their hearts to fail.

**I decree** and declare that by You I run through troops and leap over walls. You are my God: the God who grids me with strength and makes my way perfect. It is You who makes my feet like hinds’ feet, giving me stability so that I am able to stand firmly and progress on the dangerous heights of testing and trouble. You set me securely upon my high places. You teach my hands to war and my fingers to fight, granting me supernatural strength and abilities so that my arms break a bow of steel. You are my Rock, my Shield, and my Strong Tower. You have equipped me with the shield of Your salvation, and Your right hand establishes me as a victor in this battle. Beat down the enemy. Give me his neck. Cause me to pursue and overtake them until they are wounded and consumed, falling at my feet, never to rise again. Let them who hear of me submit and obey me.(Proverbs 18:10; Psalm 91; Psalm 18:29; Psalm 28:7; Psalm 59:11; I Samuel 30)

**I announce** that it is You who have blessed me. It is You who empowers me. It is not by my might nor by my power, but by the Spirit of the Lord. For when the enemy shall come in like a flood, Your Spirit lifts up a standard against him (Exodus 15:3; Deuteronomy 32:41-42; Psalm 7:13; 18:29-50; 35:1-8; 144:5-7; Isaiah 42:13-14; 59:16-19; Haggai 2:22).

**I forbid** and disallow further opposing activities of any satanic personalities with diabolical assignments concerning my life, ministry, and family, and I wage a war with them (Nehemiah 4:14; Deuteronomy 1:21; Deuteronomy 20:4; Joshua 1:9; Psalm 46:11; Isaiah 41:10; Hebrews 13:6)).

**I disapprove** and prohibit any demonic interception and interference or resistance (Daniel 10:1-13).

**I resist** satanic contentions, intentions, provocations, and negotiations concerning my life and my soul, and superimpose prophetic purpose and divine destiny over and against all activities and opposing forces that are contrary to the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning my life ( 1 Samuel 1:1-8; 1 Kings 22:1-23; 1 Chronicles 21:1-2; Job 1:7-12; 3:25; Jude 9).

**I bind** satanic harassment and rebuke concentrations (2 Samuel 11:1-2). I bring to a halt and prohibit all satanic surveillance (1 Samuel 18; Matthew 26:4; Mark 11:18; Luke 6:11; Acts 16:16-19).

**I lift** false burdens and remove feelings of heaviness, oppression, and depression. I cast them upon the Lord who sustains. I shall not be moved (Psalms 12:5; 54:2, 55:22; Isaiah 10:27; 61:3; Matthew 11:28-30; John 14:1).

**I decree** and declare that by the anointing all covenants contracts, chains, fetters, bondages, proclivities, and captivities that are contrary to, oppose, or hinder the fulfillment of God's original plan and purpose are broken. I am liberated from generational/satanic/demonic alliances, allegiances, soul ties, spirits of inheritance, and curses. I sever them by the sword of the Lord, the blood of Jesus, and the Spirit. I speak to my DNA and declare that I am free from any and all influences passed down from one generation to another-biologically, socially, emotionally, physiologically, psychologically, financially, spiritually, or by any other channel unknown to me but known to God. I resist every spirit that acts as a gatekeeper or a doorkeeper to my soul, and I renounce any further conscious or unconscious alliance, association, allegiance, or covenant. I open myself to divine deliverance by the Holy Spirit of the Living God. Father, have Your way now! Perfect those things concerning me (Deuteronomy 5:9; 7:8-9; Ecclesiastes 7:26; Isaiah 61:1; Acts 8:9-13; Galatians 5:1; 1 Thessalonians 5:23-24; 2 Timothy 2:25).

**I decree** and declare that a prayer shield, the anointing, fire walls, smoke screens, and a bloodline form hedges of protection around me and hide me from the scourge of the enemy, familiar spirits, and any and all demonic personalities, making it difficult, if not impossible, for them to effectively track or trace me in

the realm of the spirit. There shall be no perforations or penetrations to these hedges of protection (Exodus 12:13; Job 1:7-10; Psalms 91; Zechariah 2:5).

**I release** my name into the atmosphere and declare the prayer warriors, intercessors, and prophetic watchmen are picking me up in the realm of the spirit. I speak that they will not cease or come down from their watchtowers until their assignments have been completed. I decree and declare that they will conduct their intercessory assignments under the direction of the Holy Spirit and Jesus Christ, who is my Chief Intercessor and High Priest( Jeremiah 27:18; Ezekiel 3:17; Luke 18:7; John 16:13; Roman 8:26-27, 34; Hebrew 7:24-26).

**I decree** and declare that the Spirit of the Lord is upon me-the spirit of wisdom, understanding, divine counsel, supernatural might, knowledge, and of the utmost fear of Jehovah. As I advance, I am divinely empowered and increase in skill and understanding (Isaiah 11:2-3; Ephesians 1:17-18; Colossians 1:9-11; 3:10).

**I obliterate** and annihilate satanic impressions, illusions, projections, perceptions, suggestions, suspicions, and deceptions set up as a decoy or an ambush to my soul and those assigned to pray with me, for me, on behalf of me, and those who work with me, are assigned to me, and interact with me daily (1 Kings 22:5-40; Acts 13:50; 2 Thessalonians 2).

**I forcefully resist** the wiles of the devil and prohibit the hijacking of divine thoughts, inspiration, revelation, insight, wisdom, knowledge, and understanding emanating from the throne room of my heavenly Father, especially those who initiate, stimulate, sustain, and reinforce my kingdom authority in the earth realm and in the heavenlies, and who facilitate God's redemptive purpose (Matthew 13:19; Ephesians 6:11, 2 Corinthians 10:5).

**I put a halt** to all distractive, disturbing, and destructive measures. For this reason was the Son of God made manifest, that He would destroy the works of the enemy (John 2:15-17; Acts 16:16-19; 1 John 3:8).

**I prevail** against satanic inhibitions, prohibitions, and all limitations. I decree and declare that all invisible and invincible walls are destroyed (Joshua 6:1; Colossians 1:16).

**I execute** divine judgment against satanic/demonic activities, and I war in the spirit of Elijah and Jehu (1 Kings 18; 2 Kings 9:1-10:28).

**I disapprove** nullify, dismantle, cancel and forcefully oppose any satanic operations, maneuvers, manipulations, subversions, strategies, tactics, plots, plans, and ploys that are designed to hinder, prevent, frustrate, foil, deny, or delay God's original plans and purposes from their quick, swift, and speedy manifestation, particularly in their correct time and season (Daniel 7:25).

**I prohibit** the alteration and changing of any time or laws concerning my life and ministry or the life of my family. I move synchronized and syncopated to the choreographic, symphonic, or orchestrated movements of God (Genesis 1:1-5; Daniel 6:1-15; 7:15-27).

**I establish** that if laws, statutes, codifications, bills, charters, and constitutions are changed they are changed in my favor so that I may prosper in the place of my assignment and the land in the which I am domiciled (Daniel 6:25-28)

**I decree** and declare that my times and seasons are in the hands of the Lord and they shall not be altered or adjusted by anyone or anything. I function under the anointing of the sons of Issachar and God gives me the divine ability to accurately discern my times and seasons (1 Chronicles 12:32; Psalms 31:15; Ecclesiastes 3:1-8; Daniel 2:21-22).

**I decree** and declare that the eyes of my spirit function with 20/20 vision for correct understanding and interpretation of divine movements. My ears are in tune with the correct frequency of the Spirit, and I have clear transmission (2 Kings 6:17; Job 42:5; Psalms 119:18; Isaiah 29:18; Jeremiah 1:11-16; 2 Corinthians 4:4; 7:2; Ephesians 4:18; Revelations 4:1).

**I decree** that this day I operate according to God's divine timetable/calendar. I decree that God's agenda is my agenda. I am not my own; I have been bought with a price. I therefore submit myself to Him alone. I declare that, like Jesus, "I come in the volume of the book it is written of me" (Psalms 139:16; 1 Corinthians 7:23; James 4:7).

**Father, overthrow** the plans of troublemaker, scorners, scoffers, mockers, persecutors, and character assassins. Expose satanic representatives and grant unto

me divine strategies and tactics to identify, resist, and overcome plots and plans established for my demise (Esther 9:25; Psalms 5:10; 7:14-16; 34:21; 35:1-8; 52:5; 83:13-17; 141:10; Proverbs 26:27; 28:10; Daniel 3, 6; Matthew 7:15-23, 2 Corinthians 11:14-15):

- Draw out Your spear and stop them in their way.
- Let them be confounded and put to shame.
- Let them fall by their own counsels.
- Let them be turned back and brought to confusion.
- Let them be as chaff driven by the wind.
- Let the angel of the Lord persecute them.
- Let their way be through dark and slippery places, with the angel of the Lord pursuing and afflicting them.
- Let them be put to shame and dishonor who seek and require my life.
- Let them be turned back and confounded who plan my hurt.
- Let destruction come to them suddenly.
- Let them fall to their own destruction.
- Let destruction come upon them unaware.
- Let them stumble and fall into the very destruction they have contrived for me.
- Let them be wounded and destroyed by the very weapons they have devised for me.
- Let them be caught in the same net that they set for me.
- Let them fall in the very pit that they dug for me.
- Let them be hung by the very noose they constructed for me.
- Let them be burned in the very fire they have lit for me.
- Let them be consumed by the very beasts they have prepared for me.
- Strike them down in the very act of their mischief.
- Let their mischief be returned to them twofold.
- Pluck them out of their dwelling place.
- Root them out to of the land of the living.
- Let evil slay them and desolation be their lot.
- Make them like a wheel turning in confusion.
- Make them as the stubble before the wind.

- Make them a wood burned by fire.
- Persecute them with Your tempest.
- Cause fear and terror to grip their hearts.
- Let them be confounded and troubled forever.

**I employ** the hosts of heaven to war against the hosts of darkness (1 Samuel 17). Take command over, bring to a halt, and place a moratorium on further demonic movements and satanic activities emanating from:

- The underworld and its six regions (Isaiah 14:9, 15; 38:18; Daniel 7:1-28; Revelation 20:13-14).
- Death (Job 34:22; 1 Corinthians 15:55)
- Hell/Sheol/Hades (Isaiah 14:19)
- The grave (Isaiah 38:10; Ezekiel 31:15)
- The pit (Ezekiel 32:23)
- The abyss, the lower region of the pit (Isaiah 38:17; Psalms 30:3)
- Regions of the sea (Job 41:1-31; Ezekiel 26:16)
- Heavens (Ephesians 2:6; 6:12; Revelations 12:7)
- Terrestrial, subterrestrial, and celestial domains (Isaiah 14:12-14; Jeremiah 1:10; Luke 11:16-26; Roman 8:14:23; Philemon 2:10)

**I superimpose** the prophetic word over all abortive measures, strategies, and tactics of the enemy (1 Timothy 1:18-20)

**I overrule** and overthrow, according to Isaiah 54:17, ill-spoken words, ill wishes, enchantments, divinations, spells, hexes, curses, witchcraft prayers, and every idle word spoken contrary to God's original plans and purposes.

**I reverse** the curse associated with these utterances and decree and declare that they shall not stand, they shall not come to pass, they shall not take root, and their violent verbal dealings are returned to them twofold.

**I declare** that every lying tongue is wrong and the truth prevails. Put a hook in their nostrils, bridle their lips, and hide me from the scourge of their tongues (Job 5:21; Psalm 5:6-10; Isaiah 37:29).

**I come** against falsehoods, slander, speculation, accusation, misrepresentation, and character assassination. Father, cause the heavens to bow down with divine judgment; cast forth lightning to scatter them; shoot out Your arrows to destroy them; send Your hand from above and rid me of them. I will lose no ground or territory through their undermining efforts or initiatives (1 Kings 21:1-16; Psalms 144:5-7).

**I prohibit** the accuser of the brethren from operating or influencing the soul or mind of anyone who comes into contact with me (Revelation 12:10).

**I reverse** the effect of any stigmas and declare the divine favor, grace, honor, and well wishes now replace any and all negative feelings, perceptions, and thoughts concerning myself, my family, and the work/ministry that I am called to accomplish.

**I decree** and declare that nobility and greatness are my portion (Genesis 12:1-3; Psalms 5:12).

**Father**, frustrate the signs of witches and warlocks who withstand the anointing as You did with Jannes and Jambres in the days of Moses. Confound the omens of liars, astrologers, psychics, prognosticators, sorcerers, and the like. Make fools of diviners, and make their dark knowledge foolishness (Isaiah 44:25; 2 Timothy 3:8).

**Rebuke** and dismantle satanic alliances, and arrest them by the Spirit. Let every covert and/or clandestine effort and endeavor fail (2 Chronicles 20:35; Nehemiah 4:7-8; Esther 3-9; Job 5:12-14; Psalm 35:4; 55:9; 70:2; 83:17; 129-5).

- Disappoint the devices that they have crafted so that their hands cannot perform their enterprise.
- Take them in their own crafty and devious ways.
- Let them meet with darkness in the daytime and grope in the noonday as in the night.
- Release divine viruses to invade satanic databases, and command that they be consumed and destroyed.
- Let all future diabolical communications and networking fail. Any attempts shall only yield incoherency and misunderstandings.
- Send a spirit of confusion among them.

- Let their tongues be divided.
- Overrule and overthrow sabotage, subversions and setbacks.
- Let every attack of retaliation fail.

**Confirm** the words of Your servant in their midst, and perform the counsel of Your messengers (Isaiah 44:26)

**Send** divine angelic, prophetic assaults and maneuvers against diabolical intelligence (Joshua 5:13-14; Psalms 103:20-22).

**Arrest** those who operate in the spirit of Jezebel or Belial. Let them not resist the anointing, usurp authority, or gain any ground in the natural or in the realm of the spirit (1 Samuel 10:27; 1 Kings 19:1-5; 21:1-16).

**I prohibit** satanic manifestations and speak the divine “abortive” measures and “miscarriages” occur in satanic wombs and incubators (2 Corinthians 10:5)

Now Father, You have given me a great work to accomplish. I war for the releasing of finances and all resources that belong to me. Everything prepared for me before the foundation of the world, that pertains to my life (ministry, calling) and godliness comes to me now. I shall not/will not be denied. I shall not/will not accept substitutes. I call in resources from the north, south, east, and west. I decree and declare that every resource necessary for me to fulfill God’s original plans and purposes comes to me without delay now (2 Peter 1:3).

**I decree** and declare that the wealth of the wicked is no longer laying up for me but is released now. Let those who hold on to my wealth longer than they should be afflicted and tormented without relief until they release what rightfully belongs to me. I command Satan to “cough it up,” spit it out, loose it, release it, and let it go (Job 20:15-18; Psalm 66: 12; Ecclesiastes 2:26).

**Jehovah-Jireh**, loose the loins of kings! In the name of Jesus, command that the two leaved gates be opened. Go before me and make the crooked places straight. Break in pieces the gates of brass, and cut asunder the bars of iron. Grant unto me, according to Your riches in glory. Your tender mercies and immeasurable favor, the treasures of darkness, and hidden riches of secret places (Isaiah 45:1-3). I declare that the Cyrus anointing flow unhindered and uncontaminated in my life (Isaiah 60:10-17; Philippians 4:19).

**Lift** up your heads, O ye gates (keepers of the gates), and be lifted up forever, you age-abiding doors (doorkeepers) that the King of glory, the Lord strong and mighty, the Lord of hosts, may come in (Psalms 24:7-10). I announce my awareness that cannot deny Him access. Therefore, I will not and cannot be denied of what rightfully belongs to me!

**I decree** and declare the releasing of the forces of the Gentiles, the gold and silver from my prophetic Tarshish, and my prophetic queen of Sheba to come laden with every precious possession/resource/ endowment fit for the sons and daughters of the King of king.

**I decree** and declare that I shall suck the milk of the Gentiles at the breast of kings (Isaiah 60:16). I shall be enlarged as the abundance of the sea is converted unto me (Isaiah 60:5). The sons of strangers shall build up my walls, and their kings shall minister unto me (Job 27:16-17; Isaiah 60).

**I decree** and declare that my God has brought me into my wealthy place, and I dwell in my prophetic Goshen. I increase in substance and prosper in the land whereto I abide and am sent as an ambassador of God as His official representative, all diplomatic and aristocratic rights, privileges, respect, and honor are extended to me. Grace, truth, goodness, and mercy are my bodyguards.

**I decree** and declare wisdom is my counselor; the Holy Spirit is my consultant; Jesus Christ is my advocate. God, El Elyon, my only judge has declared and I therefore establish that my officers are peace, my exactors righteousness, my walls salvation, and my gates praise (Genesis 47:27; Isaiah 60:17-18)

**I decree** and declare that my set time of favor will not be frustrated (Psalms 102:13).

**I release** upon my life, ministry, the lives of every family member associate, and friend the following anointing for wealth and prosperity so that God and God's name alone is glorified;

- Jabez anointing (1 Chronicles 4:10)
- Abrahamic anointing (Genesis 12:1-3)
- Melchizedek anointing (Genesis 14:18, Hebrew 5:6-10)
- Joseph anointing (Psalms 105:21)

- Jacobian anointing (Genesis 28:1:30-43)
- Isaac anointing (Genesis 26:1-14)
- Messiah's anointing (Luke 8:1-3)
- Solomon anointing (1Chronicles 29; 2 Chronicles 9)
- Sevenfold Edenic anointing (Genesis 1:28, 30; 2-15)
- Uzziah anointing (2 Chronicles 26:5-15)
- Joshua anointing (Joshua 6:1-3)

**I am** daily loaded with benefits (Psalm 68:19)

**I come** against the spirit of deprivation. The Lord prospers the work of my hands. By Him and through Him I accomplish great exploits. Again I reiterate, I shall not be denied (Daniel 11:32)!

**I declare** success and progress in Jesus's name (2 Corinthians 2:14).

**I decree** and declare that the kingdom of heaven rules and reigns (Revelations 11:15).

**I send** these words forth as Euroclydon winds in the realm of the spirit to demolish and destroy the enemy's camps. Cause the four winds of the Spirit and of heaven to blow as destroying, conquering winds (Jeremiah 51:1; Acts 27:14).

**I decree** and declare that this prayer and all future prayers take on the characteristics of divine projectiles in the realm of the spirit and that they hit the bull's-eye (Psalms 57:4).

**I decree** that the laws that govern this prayer and all spiritual warfare strategies and tactics are binding by the Word, the blood, and by the Spirit (1 John 5:7-8).

**I decree** that every spirit released from their diabolical assignment now becomes a part of Jesus's footstool (Psalms 110:1).

*I seal this prayer in Jesus's name...amen!*

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**We come against this “pestilence” that walketh in darkness. We declare and decree Psalm 91 over ourselves, family, neighbors, friends, pastors, church family, and our nation. We overcome him by the blood of the Lamb, words of our testimony, and love not our lives unto death. In the mighty name of Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen**

### **Commit to pray every day...**

#### Worship

- A. The Spirit of Worship would be intensified throughout the ministry in the lives of the believers. Psalm 29:2; 95:6-7; John 4:24

Rom 12:1-2 APPEAL to you therefore, brethren, and beg of you in view of [all] the mercies of God, to make a decisive dedication of your bodies [presenting all your members and faculties] as a living sacrifice, holy (devoted, consecrated) and well pleasing to God, which is your reasonable (rational, intelligent) service and spiritual worship. 2 Do not be conformed to this world (this age), [fashioned after and adapted to its external, superficial customs], but be transformed (changed) by the [entire] renewal of your mind [by its new ideals and its new attitude], so that you may prove [for yourselves] what is the good and acceptable and perfect will of God, even the thing which is good and acceptable and perfect [in His sight for you]. AMP

#### Ministry

- A. The manifestation of the gifts of the Holy Spirit, all based in love. 1 Corinthians 12; 13; 14
- B. Pastors, Leaders, Members, and all ministry functions: Ephesians 1:18-23; Colossians 1:9-13; 1 Thessalonians 5: 23.25; 2 Thessalonians 1:11; Philippians 1:8-11
- C. Pray for family, neighbors, and friends, acquaintances that Jesus would be revealed in their lives, hearts, and minds for His glory.

## Evangelism

- A. The Harvest of souls; that new converts would be born again in IJM; the believers would become sensitive to those who are without a relationship with Christ by reaching out to them in any way directed by the Lord. Luke 10:2; Matthew 4:19
- B. Opportunities to share the love of Christ to any and every one

## Teaching

- A. All teaching will instruct in the Word of God by the Holy Spirit's power. Matthew 28:20; Colossians 1:28; 3:16
- B. The Holy Spirit will show us Jesus. John 14:26

## Fellowship

- A. Love abound among the believers; an abounding in all things. 1 Thessalonians 3:12; 2 Corinthians 8, 4,7
- B. Genuine Fellowship one with another. 1 John 1:3,6,7; Galatians 6:10