



Grace Assembly Of God

RESTORED TO WHOLENESS DEVOTIONAL

Scripture: Luke 9:1-2 Title: Authority Over Spiritual Oppression

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Key Principle: To understand that God has authority over the whole universe. He has given this same authority to us through Christ to break ALL spiritual oppression that has oppressed us.

Key Verse(s) NLT How does it speak to me?

One day Jesus called together his twelve disciples and gave them power and authority to cast out all demons and to heal all diseases. Then he sent them out to tell everyone about the Kingdom of God and to heal the sick.

Ever since I was a child, I was afraid of the dark, evil spirits, ghost and the unknown. I had so many bad dreams and nightmares. I would be awakened but cannot move my body. I tried everything to get rid of this fear, but it followed me all the way to adulthood. It robbed me of my peace and negatively affected me, my family and my ministry as a leader of a Grace Missional Group. It caused me to feel guilty, defeated, unworthy, hopeless and ashamed. I lost confidence in God and His promises.

But God never abandoned me. Through His grace, patience and love for me, He taught me to use my God-given authority to face my fear and drive the enemies out of my life. When I received inner healing and deliverance, I learned not to flee but to face my fear with the help of the Holy Spirit. My nightmares & fears are now gone. I was set free from a life of fear and of captivity. I have a new-found confidence in God, His promises and destiny for me. You too can be set free from fear, worry, guilt, unworthiness, hopelessness, shame and all these negative feelings because you too have been given this same authority to drive the All the defeated spiritual enemies out of your life and be set free. Luke 10:19 says God has given us authority to overcome ALL the power of these defeated enemies of our souls. Pray today and ask God to show you and help you. Whether you are an adult, youth or a child. You can use your God given authority to be set free in Jesus name.

APPLICATION REFLECTIONS

Adult: What negative feeling have you been experiencing for a long time? How has it affected you, your family, work, ministry or your relationship with God?

Youth: Is there anything that has been bothering you for some time? How has it affected you at home, school, your relationship with your friends and God?

Child: Is there anything that you fearful of? What are they? How can God help you?

PRAYER

Praying Scripture: Dear heavenly Father, I thank You that You already had a salvation masterplan from Old Testament times to its fulfilment through Jesus Christ. Involve me in Your salvation masterplan to build Your church and to bring Your salvation message to others.

Thanksgiving Prayer: I/We thank You for _____ (e.g. delicious food we ate, places we went, prayer that was answered, etc)

Intercessory Prayer: I/We want to pray for _____ (e.g. healing of sickness, family members, work or study, leaders, nation, etc)

Salvation Prayer: I/We pray for the salvation of my/our unsaved loved ones _____ (add one name per day). In Jesus' Name I/we pray. Amen.