

**REBUILDING
BROKEN LIVES**

FOUNDATION

SCRIPTURE:

LUKE 4:18-19

LUKE 4:18-19, THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME, BECAUSE HE HAS ANOINTED ME TO PREACH THE GOSPEL TO THE POOR; HE HAS SENT ME TO HEAL THE BROKENHEARTED, TO PROCLAIM LIBERTY TO THE CAPTIVES AND RECOVERY OF SIGHT TO THE BLIND, TO SET AT LIBERTY THOSE WHO ARE OPPRESSED; TO PROCLAIM THE ACCEPTABLE YEAR OF THE LORD.

**ACTS 10:38, AND YOU KNOW THAT GOD
ANOINTED JESUS OF NAZARETH WITH THE
HOLY SPIRIT AND WITH POWER. THEN JESUS
WENT AROUND DOING GOOD AND HEALING ALL
WHO WERE OPPRESSED BY THE DEVIL, FOR
GOD WAS WITH HIM.**

**JESUS SETS THE
OPPRESSED
FREE**

THE SPIRIT OF OPPRESSION

**HOW TO LIVE FREE
FROM OPPRESSION**

**OPPRESSION - TO KEEP
DOWN BY UNJUST USE OF
FORCE OR AUTHORITY. TO
WEIGH HEAVILY ON THE
MIND OR SPIRIT OF.**

**"THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD
IS UPON ME, BECAUSE HE
HAS ANOINTED ME TO
SET A LIBERTY THOSE
WHO ARE OPPRESSED."**

**THE SPIRIT OF OPPRESSION
REFERS TO A DEMONIC FORCE
THAT SEEKS TO SUPPRESS,
CONTROL, AND DOMINATE
INDIVIDUALS. ITS GOAL IS TO KEEP
PEOPLE BOUND AND PREVENT
THEM FROM REACHING THEIR
FULL POTENTIAL.**

**SIX WAYS YOU CAN LIVE FREE
FROM DEMONIC OPPRESSION:**

1. JOIN THE KINGDOM OF LIGHT!

**I JOHN 1:9, IF WE CONFESS OUR
SINS, HE IS FAITHFUL AND JUST TO
FORGIVE US OUR SINS AND TO
CLEANSE US FROM ALL
UNRIGHTEOUSNESS.**

**EPHESIANS 2:8, FOR BY GRACE, YOU
HAVE BEEN SAVED THROUGH FAITH,
AND THAT NOT OF YOURSELVES; IT
IS THE GIFT OF GOD.**

2. MAKE YOUR CHOICES

JOHN 3:19-21, THIS IS THE CRISIS WE'RE IN: "GOD-LIGHT STREAMED INTO THE WORLD, BUT MEN AND WOMEN EVERYWHERE RAN FOR THE DARKNESS. THEY WENT FOR THE DARKNESS BECAUSE THEY WERE NOT REALLY INTERESTED IN PLEASING GOD.

**EVERYONE WHO MAKES A PRACTICE OF
DOING EVIL, ADDICTED TO DENIAL AND
ILLUSION, HATES GOD-LIGHT AND
WON'T COME NEAR IT, FEARING A
PAINFUL EXPOSURE. BUT ANYONE
WORKING AND LIVING IN TRUTH AND
REALITY WELCOMES GOD-LIGHT SO THE
WORK CAN BE SEEN FOR THE GOD-
WORK IT IS.**

**WE HAVE NOT BEEN CALLED TO A
LIFESTYLE OF SIN MANAGEMENT.**

3. WORSHIP GOD ALONE

**JOHN 4:24, BUT THE HOUR IS COMING,
AND NOW IS, WHEN THE TRUE
WORSHIPERS WILL WORSHIP THE
FATHER IN SPIRIT AND TRUTH; FOR THE
FATHER IS SEEKING SUCH TO WORSHIP
HIM. GOD IS SPIRIT, AND THOSE WHO
WORSHIP HIM MUST WORSHIP IN SPIRIT
AND TRUTH.**

“WHERE GOD IS AT THE CENTER OF THINGS, WORSHIP NATURALLY FOLLOWS. WHERE THERE IS NO SPIRIT OF WORSHIP, THERE GOD HAS BEEN DETHRONED AND DISPLACED.”

4. CHOOSE TO BE A DISCIPLE.

**“DISCIPLESHIP IS THE PROCESS OF
BECOMING WHO JESUS WOULD BE IF
HE WERE YOU.”**

**2 TIMOTHY 3:16, ALL SCRIPTURE IS GIVEN
BY INSPIRATION OF GOD, AND IS
PROFITABLE FOR DOCTRINE, FOR
REPROOF, FOR CORRECTION, FOR
INSTRUCTION IN RIGHTEOUSNESS.**

**MARK 9:29, SO HE SAID TO THEM, “THIS
KIND CAN COME OUT BY NOTHING BUT
PRAYER AND FASTING.”**

**“THERE IS NO WAY TO GET RID OF THIS
KIND OF DEMON EXCEPT BY PRAYER.”**

(MSG)

5. PRAYER AND FASTING

**"QUIT PLAYING, START PRAYING. QUIT
FEASTING, START FASTING. TALK LESS
WITH MEN, TALK MORE WITH GOD.
LISTEN LESS TO MEN, LISTEN TO THE
WORDS OF GOD. QUIT TRAVEL, START
TRAVAIL."**

6. SEEK COMMUNITY AND SUPPORT

**JAMES 5:16, CONFESS YOUR SINS TO
ONE ANOTHER AND PRAY FOR ONE
ANOTHER, THAT YOU MAY BE HEALED.
THE PRAYER OF A RIGHTEOUS MAN HAS
GREAT POWER TO PREVAIL.**

**“THE SPIRIT OF THE LORD IS UPON ME,
BECAUSE HE HAS ANOINTED ME TO SET
A LIBERTY THEM THAT ARE BRUISED.”**

**ISAIAH 53:5, BUT HE WAS WOUNDED
FOR OUR TRANSGRESSIONS, HE WAS
BRUISED FOR OUR INIQUITIES: THE
CHASTISEMENT OF OUR PEACE WAS
UPON HIM; AND WITH HIS STRIPES, BY
HIS WOUNDS, WE ARE HEALED.**