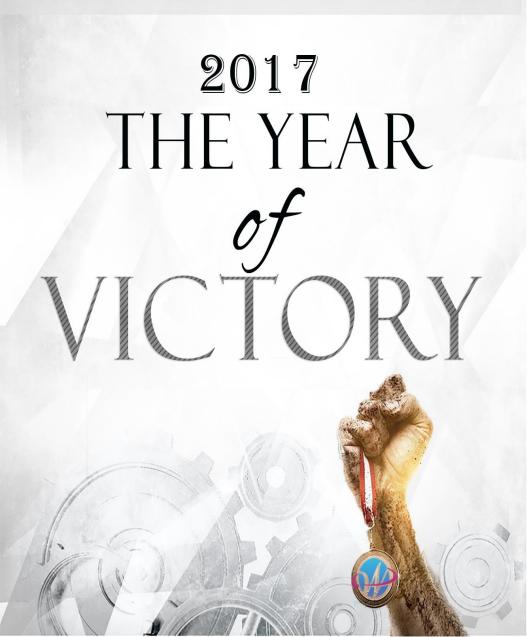
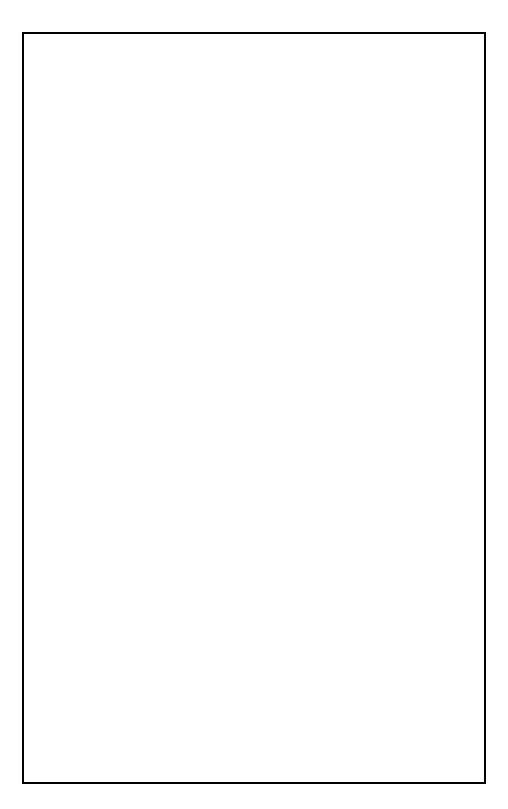


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### Grace and Peace Word In Action Disciples,

This is the day that the Lord has made, let us rejoice and be glad in it!

As you know GOD has given me a word to decree that 2017 is our Year of Victory. That means that you are Victorious!

It is imperative that as we crossover into 2017 we position ourselves to walk in Victory. Setting aside the first portion of our prayers, our time, our finances and our hears, we dedicate ourselves to GOD. Proverbs 3:9-10 tells us to:

Honor the LORD from your wealth and from the first of all your produce; So your barns will be filled with plenty and your vats will overflow with new wine.

As we abstain from food and commit to devoting the first of this year to diligently pray, seek GOD's face and bring Him the first fruit of our resources, we are preparing for our year of victory! Remember, victory does not come without opposition, but, you must remember that you're not fighting *for* Victory, you're fighting *from* Victory!

Throughout this year, remember, no matter what it looks like, walk by faith. No matter how you feel, walk by faith. Romans 8:37 reminds us that, "Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. So, this year, if a day ever arises that would seem challenging; know that the harder the battle the sweeter the Victory! See yourself victorious!

Be Blessed,

Bishop Clarence Langston



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### The fast will begin on Sunday, January 8, 2017

Fasting brings you into a deeper, more intimate, and powerful relationship with the LORD. When you eliminate food from your diet for a number of days, your spirit becomes uncluttered by the things of this world and amazingly sensitive to the things of GOD.

### Why Do We Fast?

## To Receive Deliverance & Healing (Isaiah 58:6-9)

• "Is not this the kind of fasting I have chosen: to loose the chains of injustice and untie the cords of the yoke, to set the oppressed free and break every yoke? <sup>7</sup>Is it not to share your food with the hungry and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter— when you see the naked, to clothe them, and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood? <sup>8</sup>Then your light will break forth like the dawn, and your healing will quickly appear; then your righteousness will go before you, and the glory of the Lord will be your rear guard. <sup>9</sup>Then you will call, and the Lord will answer; you will cry for help, and he will say: Here am I.

### It Gives Us Power: (Mark 9:26-29)

• <sup>26</sup>The spirit shrieked, convulsed him violently and came out. The boy looked so much like a corpse that many said, "He's dead." <sup>27</sup>But Jesus took him by the hand and lifted him to his feet, and he stood up. <sup>28</sup>After Jesus had gone indoors, his disciples asked him privately, "Why couldn't we drive it



Word In Action 2017 Corporate Fast out?" <sup>29</sup>He replied, "This kind can come out only by prayer and fasting.

## Our Attitude Towards Fasting (Mathew 6:16-18)

• 16"When you fast, do not look somber as the hypocrites do, for they disfigure their faces to show others they are fasting. Truly I tell you, they have received their reward in full. 17 But when you fast, put oil on your head and wash your face, 18 so that it will not be obvious to others that you are fasting, but only to your Father, who is unseen; and your Father, who sees what is done in secret, will reward you.

### The Fast Is For the Body, Soul and Spirit

The Bible teaches us that we are a spirit, we have a soul and we live in a body. Fasting affects all three parts of us as we enter into a period of time for focused prayer and fasting.

- The Body Certainly our bodies are affected as our diet is changed. You may experience detoxing from caffeine, chemicals and sugar. The symptoms are most often headaches, leg cramps, and/or fatigue but subsides after the third day.
- The Soul Frequently referred to as "the flesh" in the Bible, the soul is also greatly impacted during Fasting. The soul is the seat of our emotions, intellect, personality and will. It is in the "soulish realm" where we experience cravings, frustration, anger and happiness.





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When you Fast, your soul may very well rebel against the dramatic change in your diet. Experiencing and winning this battle over the flesh is often one of the most powerful lessons when Fasting!

• The Spirit - Our spirit is that born-again part of us that surrenders to GOD. Our spirit is filled with the Holy Spirit when we yield to Him. During this Fast, we want to put our spirit in charge and in control of the other two parts of us.

### **Fast Friendly Reminders**

- Remember, to fast without prayer and meditation is just a diet. Fasting is always coupled with a spiritual goal. So during this time of fasting, focus on prayer, study and meditation.
- Bishop Clarence Langston and Word In Action Christian Center advise all discipleship and participants in this consecration/fast to consider your personal health needs and consult with your physician prior to beginning this fast.
- Remember that during this time we are dedicating the first of the month to honor GOD with prayer and our first fruits.



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## What is First Fruits and Why Is it Important?

Seek ye first the kingdom of GOD...... (Mathew 6:33)

• It is a Scriptural fact that GOD claims the right to every first- the first of the crops, every firstborn male herds, flocks and male child. Exodus 13:11-13 says:

"After the Lord brings you into the land of the Canaanites and gives it to you, as he promised on oath to you and your ancestors, <sup>12</sup> you are to give over to the Lord the first offspring of every womb. All the firstborn males of your livestock belong to the Lord. <sup>13</sup> Redeem with a lamb every firstborn donkey, but if you do not redeem it, break its neck. Redeem every firstborn among your sons."

- Dedicating the first of the year to seek GOD's face and to bring Him the first of your increase, whether it be the first month or the first week's pay, is a kingdom principle that is done according to your faith. This kingdom principle establishes the law of firsts in your life because it activates the promise of what is to come. It positions you to receive the promises of GOD.
- The first fruits offerings signal the beginning of the harvest for GOD's people and it governs and set the pattern of what is to come. First fruits offerings are not only an offering, but also a promise of abundance. GOD gave us His first fruit when He gave us His only begotten Son that whosoever believes in Him shall not perish but shall have everlasting life. (John 3:16) In Him giving us His first fruit it is a promise of abundance.



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 As we follow the directives of the fast, seek GOD first by dedicating the first of the month to push back our plates, meet daily for prayer, feed on His Word and bring Him the first of our increase we too set up the pattern and promise for abundance.

## **GUIDELINES:**

- One hour of prayer will be held at the church from
   7:00 pm 8:00pm Monday through Friday for the duration of the fast. We strongly encourage all disciples to participate.
- 2. It will be difficult for you to consecrate yourself if you feed yourself on television and movies. During this time please refrain from television, secular radio shows and entertainment. Feed yourself spiritually by listening only to worship and teaching CD's.
- **3.** No casual conversation at work or on the telephone. Only work related conversations will be permitted.
- **4. No social media** i.e. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, YouTube, Snap Chat or Vine.
- 5. During this time FOCUS on studying the Word and related Christian books and materials. Pray 3 times a day on the daily prayer target; suggested times are 9:00 am, noon & 3:00pm. If you are unable to pray at these times, replace with a prayer time that is feasible for your schedule.
- 6. Married people are to abstain from sexual relations with consent of their partner (*Be sure to seek the consent of your spouse if your spouse is not a Word In Action Disciple and is not participating in the consecration*).

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### **EATING GUIDELINES:**

For the **duration of the fast** you will be allowed to eat one meal a day after **8:00pm**. However, please limit your beverages to water, non-caffeinated teas, V8, and 100% grape, apple, or orange juice. Throughout the fast please do **NOT** consume any sugar, sweeteners, diet pop, sweets or caffeine.

**Again**, as you plan your meals and eat your food, keep in mind that the definition of a fast is to deny food for a spiritual purpose and not as a means to lose weight.



#### PLEASE NOTE:

**Fasting and your health:** If you have concerns about your physical ability to fast, please consult a physician before beginning this fast. There are different types of fasts. Your doctor can provide advice on how you can participate on the fast in a way that is healthy for you.

Children and fasting: This fast is not intended for children under the age of 14. Teenagers between the ages of 14-18 may participate if *they and their parents* feel led to do so. If you decide not to have your children/teenager participate on the fast, some ideas for sacrifice would be to eliminate video games or cell phone usage during the fast.





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Because this is a corporate fast and to ensure that we are on one accord a guide has been provided. The guide includes daily activities, prayer targets, key scriptures, definitions and declarations. Please read the daily declarations out loud. As a suggestion it may also be beneficial for you to keep a daily prayer journal as well. Below is an overview of the daily schedule for the first week of the fast.

#### WEEK 1

Day	Prayer Focus
Monday Day 1	• REPENTANCE
Tuesday Day 2	<ul><li>FORGIVENESS (GOD)</li><li>FORGIVENESS (SELF)</li><li>FORGIVENESS (OTHERS)</li></ul>
Wednesday Day 3	<ul> <li>LOVE FOR GOD</li> <li>LOVE FOR SELF</li> <li>LOVE FOR OTHERS</li> </ul>
Thursday Day 4	HUNGRY FOR LOST SOULS
Friday Day 5	HUNGRY FOR THE WORD

Saturday Day 6: SELF REFLECT & RECAPTURE



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#### WEEK 2

Day	Prayer Focus
Sunday Day 7	WISDOM and CLARITY
Monday Day 8	• VICTORY IN "MY LIFE"
Tuesday Day 9	VICTORY IN MY FAMILY
Wednesday Day 10	VICTORY IN MY HEALTH
Thursday Day 11	VICTORY IN MY FINANCES
Friday Day 12	VICTORY IN TIMES OF ADVERSITY

Saturday Day 13: SELF REFLECT & RECAPTURE DAYS 7-12



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#### WEEK 3

Day	Prayer Focus
Sunday Day 14	VICTORY OVER     TEMPTATION
Monday Day 15	VICTORY TO OVERCOME SET BACKS
Tuesday Day 16	VICTORY OVER FALSE ACCUSATIONS
Wednesday Day 17	<ul><li>HUNGRY FOR LOST SOULS</li><li>HUNGRY FOR THE WORD</li></ul>
Thursday Day 18	VICTORY IN BREAKING STRONGHOLDS AND HABITS
Friday Day 19	VICTORY IN PRAISE AND THANKSGIVING

## Saturday Day 20: SELF REFLECT & RECAPTURE

## SUNDAY DAY 21 AFFIRM AND CONFIRM VICTORY



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# 2017 YEAR OF VICTORY PRAYER TARGET POINTS

When you pray let's agree and thank GOD for the Victory that these things are going to happen in 2017!

- 1. For the First Family's continued manifestation of divine protection, empowerment, vision, strength, grace, wisdom, strategy and resources both spiritually and naturally in their endeavor to advance the Kingdom of GOD as well as in their business and personal lives.
- **2.** That families will be healed, whole and healthy.
- **3.** For the unity, growth, and the advancement of Word In Action Christian Center by impacting Miracle City and the nation with the Word of GOD and the love of Christ.
- **4.** The completion of our NEW sanctuary and that through its completion souls will be saved, delivered and set free from spiritual and mental bondages and limitations.
- **5.** For the deepening of our faith, clarity of thought, vision, increase and provision for our own lives, families and business endeavors.





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## 2017 YEAR OF VICTORY DECLARATIONS

When you DECLARE these declarations see yourself VICTORIOUS!

- 1. I Declare that I walk in Victory!
- **2.** I Declare that through the Victory of the Lord, Jesus Christ I will reach all my goals this year!
- **3.** I Declare that I will have the kind of Victory that turns tests into testimonies!
- **4.** I Declare that what may look like defeat will be turned into total Victory! In Jesus Name.
- **5.** I Declare that by the POWER of the Holy Ghost Victory is mine! I will **not** miss my breakthrough.
- **6.** I Declare that I am more than a conqueror through Christ Jesus who strengthens me!



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### **DAYS 1: Repentance**

**Repentance**- a change of mind; turning from one way of thinking and behavior to GOD's way. Today we are repenting for the actions in our lives that hinder our walk with GOD.

As I **Repent** I overcome everything that has seemed to hinder me from walking in total Victory. I repent for sins knowingly and unknowingly. As I repent with a true heart of repentance, I AM free from condemnation. Any opposition of sin that would block me from walking in complete Victory is removed. I receive the knowledge and freedom that true repentance brings, Lord thank you for Giving Me a Heart of Repentance. Because of my repentance I have **Victory O**ver **W**hatever comes against me!

## Key Scripture: Acts 3:19 and 2 Chronicle 7:14

- Repent therefore and be converted, that your sins may be blotted out, so that times of refreshing may come from the presence of the Lord (Acts 3:19)
- If My people who are called by My name will humble themselves, and pray and seek My face, and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin and heal their land. (2 Chronicle 7:14)



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### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

Ezekiel 14:6-8, Isaiah 43:25, Isaiah 55:7, 2 Peter 3:9,

#### **Action:**

Today look at your life and repent. Go before the Lord, asking Him to help you. Dear GOD, I am repenting for the lack of reading your word, the lack of prayer and fasting and putting any idols before you. Lord please forgive me for not presenting my life totally to You.

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### DAYS 2: Forgiveness Towards GOD, Self and Others

**Forgiveness:** to grant pardon for or remission of (an offense, debt, etc.); absolve. Today we are asking GOD for forgiveness from our hearts, for the actions in our lives that have displeased Him as well as for the things that we have done to others.

In order to be victorious we must always have an attitude of FORGIVENESS. Satan is the accuser of the brethren. He stands before GOD telling Him our sins, our faults, and our shortcomings. He also puts you on a guilt trip for things that you may have done. It is imperative that we do not condemn ourselves, but that we forgive ourselves for our shortcomings because GOD HAS ALREADY FORGIVEN US; He doesn't hold our sins against us when we have truly repented.

Father, I understand that if I am to walk in Victory I must forgive. Today I acknowledge that I have not always done what is right. Lord, I thank you for **FORGIVING ME FOR THINGS PVE DONE TOWARDS YOU** and Others. As I have asked You for forgiveness. I know that I am forgiven and because You have forgiven me, I forgive myself and others. I Am forgiven! I will not go back to an old way of thinking! I will not look back and pick up old habits! I am moving forward with all that God has for me!

## Key Scripture: Psalms 32:5 and Matthew 6:14-15

 I acknowledged my sin to You, And my iniquity I have not hidden. I said, "I will confess my



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- transgressions to the LORD," And You forgave the iniquity of my sin. Selah
- For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your Heavenly Father will also forgive you: But if ye forgive not men their trespasses, neither will your Father forgive your trespasses.

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• 1 John 1:6-10, Psalms 51 (whole chapter), Isaiah 1:18, John 8:4-11

#### **Action:**

Say a prayer for your enemies. No matter how badly they may have hurt you, you must ask GOD to help you forgive them. Declare that Today, as You, Father GOD have forgiven me, I FORGIVE myself and others.

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## Day 3 Love for GOD, Self and Others

**Love-** unselfish loyal and benevolent concern for the good of another: **2:** A deep, tender, ineffable feeling of affection and solicitude toward a person, such as that arising from kinship, recognition of attractive qualities, or a sense of underlying oneness.: a person's adoration of GOD

Lord Give Me More LOVE FOR YOU, MYSELF AND OTHERS! Fill me with so much of your agape love that I exude your love to every person I come in contact with. When I love you more I can love and see everything and everyone through your Love! Lord as I love I have victory over hate!

### Key Scripture: Mark 12:30-31 and 1 John 4:20

- Love the Lord your GOD with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength. The second is this: Love your neighbor as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these. (Mark 12:30-31)
- If anyone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen. (1 John 4:20)

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• Deuteronomy 6:4-5, Deut.10:12, Psalm 8:4-9, Jeremiah 29:11, John 13:34-35, I John 3:16

Fill your environment from the time you wake up until the time you go to sleep with your love for God through praise



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and worship. This can be done by listening to your favorite worship cd's at home, work and during your commute.

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Meditate on PS.139:14-18 on how much the Lord loves you and how special you are to Him. Then tell the Lord that you have Him on today. As in Song of Solomon, write a love letter to the Lord.							
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## **Day 4 Lost Souls**

Hunger- a strong or compelling desire or craving

**Evangelism-** the practice of sharing the love and giving information about Jesus Christ to others

Today we are focusing on defeating the enemy's camp and claiming Victory for the Kingdom of GOD by winning souls by any means necessary. Souls are the heartbeat of GOD. GOD's concern for the souls of men is SO important that He sent His only Son to die so that ALL could have an opportunity to receive His salvation and to be saved from the reality of living throughout eternity without Him. GOD has sent you and I to witness His Love to Lost souls so that they can be saved and come into a fulfilling relationship with Him.

Lord give me a heart for winning S**OULS** so that the Victory I walk in others may do so also!

## **Key Scripture: Matthew 9:37-38**

• ... Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. <sup>38</sup>Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• John 21:16, Proverbs 11:30, John 12:32, Mathew 28:19, Ezekiel 37:1-14

**Action:** Witness and invite 5 or more people to church.



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### Day 5 Hunger for the WORD

Jesus said in Matthew 4:4, "It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of GOD". We must feed on GOD's word daily so we can grow and develop into mature Christians. As natural food provides and supplies nutrients for us to grow physically, so ideally an intake of GOD's Word causes us to grow spiritually.

### **Key Scripture: I Peter 2:2**

• "As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:"

## **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• Psalms 119:9-11, Psalms 119:89, Psalms 119:105,

### **Action:**

Make a daily commitment and set aside a time that you will feed on GOD's Word. Commit to this time daily even after the fast is over.



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## Day 6 SELF Reflect and Recapture Days 1-5

Today review Days 1-5 which focused on the following:

- Repentance
- Forgiveness
- Love
- Compassion for Lost Souls
- Thirst for the Word of GOD

Read the scriptures that were listed for each day as well as journal or recapture the daily activities for days 1-5.



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### **Day 7 WISDOM and Clarity**

Wisdom- knowing how to apply knowledge

**Clarity-** the ability to see things clearly as to perception or understanding;

Lord, so many times I act without wisdom and it has caused me to experience some hardships that I would not have had to go through had I been led by your guide, Holy Spirit. I understand that as I act with your wisdom I AM acknowledging you, because I AM not leaning to my own understanding. I want to walk in Victory and lead others to you so that they may walk in Victory so, Lord Give Me WISDOM AND CLARITY!

### **Key Scriptures: Proverbs 1:7 and James 1:5**

- The fear of the LORD is the beginning of knowledge, but fools despise wisdom and instruction. (Proverbs 1:7)
- If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask GOD, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him. (James 1:5)

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• Proverbs 3:13-26, Proverbs 4:5-12, 1 Kings 3:1-15

**Action:** Pray James 1:5. Ask GOD for Wisdom. Meditate on areas in your life that you need GOD to give you wisdom in.



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## Day 8 VICTORY in My Life

**Steadfastness-** fixed in direction; steadily directed: firm in purpose, resolution, faith, attachment; unwavering, firmly fixed in place or position

Today Lord, I confess boldly that it is Your will that I prosper. It says in Your Word that You delight Yourself in the prosperity of Your servant. I will not look or place myself in a stance of defeat. I am prospering in everything that I do. As I acknowledge that for me there is no other way I will walk in the **VICTORY** that you have for **My Life**!

### **Key Scriptures: Deuteronomy 28: 11-13**

• And the Lord will grant you plenty of goods, in the fruit of your body, in the increase of your livestock, and in the produce of your ground, in the land of which the Lord swore to your fathers to give you. The Lord will open to you His good treasure, the heavens, to give the rain to your land in its season, and to bless all the work of your hand. You shall lend to many nations, but you shall not borrow. And the Lord will make you the head and not the tail; you shall be above only, and not be beneath, if you heed the commandments of the Lord your God, which I command you today, and are careful to observe them. (Deuteronomy 28:11-13)

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• Deuteronomy 29, Ephesians 6:10-20

**Action:** Write the vision that you have for your life. Create a vision board being descriptive in detailing how you plan to achieve your goals.



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## **Day 9 VICTORY in My Family**

**Family-** all those persons considered as descendants of a common progenitor; a group of persons who form a household under one head, including parents, and children

Today, I confess that every day I am becoming a better (Parent, Son or, Daughter). I give thanks for my wonderful family. I spend quality time doing things that will enrich my family lives. My family responds to each other with patience, love and understanding. We help and assist one another to reach our goals. We are a healthy and happy! My FAMILY is walking in VICTORY!

## **Key Scriptures: Ephesians 6:1-4**

• Children, obey your parents in the Lord, for this is right. 2 "Honor your father and mother," which is the first commandment with promise: "that it may be well with you and you may live long on the earth And you, fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord. (Ephesians 6:1-4)

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• 1<sup>st</sup> Timothy 5:8, Deuteronomy 28:11-13, Proverbs 22:6

**Action:** Include a family time for prayer, devotion and study together.



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## Day 10 VICTORY in My Health

**Health-** the general condition of the body or mind with reference to soundness and vigor: freedom from disease or ailment; vitality

Lord, I know that you can restore what is broken and heal whatever is ailing me spiritually, mentally and physically! Heal me Lord and I shall be healed! Your wish for me above all things is that I prosper and be in good health even as my soul prospers. I thank you for **VICTORY** in My **Health!** 

## **Key Scriptures: Isaiah 53:4-5 and Exodus 15:25-26**

- Surely He has borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows; Yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, and by His stripes we are healed. (Isaiah 53:4-5)
- There He made a statute and an ordinance for them, and there He tested them, and said, "If you diligently heed the voice of the Lord your God and do what is right in His sight, give ear to His commandments and keep all His statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you which I have brought on the Egyptians. For I am the Lord who heals you." (Exodus 15:25-26)

## **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• 3<sup>rd</sup> John 1:2, Jeremiah 17:14, Psalm 103



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## **Day 11 VICTORY in My Finances**

**Finances-** the management of revenues; the conduct or transaction of any circulating medium of exchange, including coins, paper money, and demand deposits; measure of wealth, or means of payment

Lord, I REPENT for the times that I have not brought you YOUR tithe! I acknowledge that Your WORD says in Proverbs 3:9-10 that if I honor you with my possessions and the first of my increase then you will increase me with plenty. I thank YOU that as I do what you have commanded money will come to me easily! I AM a money magnet and prosperity is drawn to me! I move from poverty thinking to abundance thinking! I AM open and receptive to all the wealth life offers me! I thank you for **VICTORY** in **My FINANCES**!

### **Key Scriptures: Malachi 3:10-12**

• Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be food in My house, and try Me now in this," Says the Lord of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven and pour out for you such blessing That there will not be room enough to receive it. "And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, So that he will not destroy the fruit of your ground, Nor shall the vine fail to bear fruit for you in the field," Says the Lord of hosts; "And all nations will call you blessed, For you will be a delightful land,"

**Suggested Scripture Reading:** Matthew 6:33-34, Luke 6:38, Deuteronomy 28



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## Day 12 VICTORY in Times of Adversity

**Adversity-** adverse or unfavorable fortune or fate; a condition marked by misfortune, calamity, or distress: opposing winds in a contrary direction in one's interest or desire; an unfortunate event or circumstance:

With each challenge I face I grow and learn from it. I AM able to overcome adversity and as a result I become a stronger person. My strength does not come from the adversity. It comes from how I handle it! I AM more than a conqueror through Christ Jesus who strengthens me! Therefore, I walk in authority and power and I have **VICTORY** in times of **ADVERSITY!** 

# **Key Scriptures: 2 Corinthians 2:14 and Philippians 4:13**

- But thanks be to God, who always leads us in triumph in Christ, and manifests through us the sweet aroma of the knowledge of Him in every place. (2 Corinthians 2:14)
- I can do all things through Him who strengthens me. (*Philippians 4:13*)

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• Isaiah 40:31, Isaiah 43:1-6, Proverbs 18:10, Joshua 1:9



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## Day 13 SELF Reflect and Recapture Days 7-12

Today review Days 7-12 which focused on the following:

- WISDOM and Clarity
- VICTORY in My Life
- VICTORY in My Family
- VICTORY in My Health
- VICTORY in My Finances
- VICTORY in Times of Adversity

Read the scriptures that were listed for each day as well as journal or recapture the daily activities for days 7-12.



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### **Day 14 VICTORY over Temptation**

**Temptation-** the act of tempting; enticement or allurement to do something often regarded as unwise, wrong, or immoral; the fact or state of being tempted, especially to evil

Lord, it is comforting to know that temptations are small in relation to Your power. I AM Christ centered. Therefore, any and all temptation has lost its power over me. I will never allow temptation to rob me of my future, my family and my faith. When I am tempted to sin, I will lift up the standard of GOD! I do not give in to temptation! I overcome temptation! I have VICTORY over Temptation!

### **Key Scriptures: 1 Corinthians 10:12-13**

• Therefore, let him who thinks he stands take heed lest he fall. No temptation has overtaken you except such as is common to man; but God is faithful, who will not allow you to be tempted beyond what you are able, but with the temptation will also make the way of escape, that you may be able to bear it.(1 Corinthians 10:12-13)

## **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• 1<sup>st</sup> Corinthians 10, Mathew 4: 1-11, Hebrews 4:15



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### Day 15 VICTORY to Overcome Setbacks

**Overcomer-** to get the better of in a struggle or conflict; conquer; defeat; to prevail over opposition or temptations; to surmount: to gain the victory; win; conquer:

I AM an Overcomer! I prevail over opposition! Failure is not an option and success is mine! Through Jesus Christ I gain victory after victory after victory! My victories are insurmountable. As I stay steadfast in the things of GOD I have the VICTORY to OVERCOME any SET BACK!

### **Key Scriptures: Romans 8:31-37**

• What then shall we say to these things? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare His own Son, but delivered Him up for us all, how shall He not with Him also freely give us all things? Who shall bring a charge against God's elect? It is God who justifies. Who is he who condemns? It is Christ who died, and furthermore is also risen, who is even at the right hand of God, who also makes intercession for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword? As it is written: "For Your sake we are killed all day long; We are accounted as sheep for the slaughter. Yet in all these things we are more than conquerors through Him who loved us. (Romans 8:31-37)

**Suggested Scripture Reading:** Romans 8:31-39, Revelations 3:21, John 16:33, Hebrews 4:15, 1 John 5:4-5, 1 John 4:4



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### Day 16 VICTORY to Over FALSE Accusations

Satan is the accuser of the brethren. He stands before GOD telling Him our sins, our faults, and our shortcomings. When you are accused of something that is false it has no validity. Where is no validity the truth will bear witness for you. It may look like the lie is winning, but a lie will die out and all that will remain is the truth. Walk in truth and you will have **VICTORY Over FALSE Accusations!** 

# **Key Scriptures: Revelations 12:10-11 and Matthew 5:10-12**

- Then I heard a loud voice saying in heaven, "Now salvation, and strength, and the kingdom of our God, and the power of His Christ have come, for the accuser of our brethren, who accused them before our God day and night, has been cast down. And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death. (Revelations 12:10-11)
- Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, For theirs is the kingdom of heaven "Blessed are you when they revile and persecute you, and say all kinds of evil against you falsely for My sake. Rejoice and be exceedingly glad, for great is your reward in heaven, for so they persecuted the prophets who were before you. (Matthew 5:10-12)

## **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• 1st Corinthians 15:57, 1st Peter 4:14, Isaiah 54:17, Isaiah 53:7



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## Day 17 Hunger for Lost Souls and the WORD

**Hunger-** a strong or compelling desire or craving

**Evangelism-** the practice of sharing the love and giving information about Jesus Christ to others

Today we are focusing on defeating the enemy's camp and claiming Victory for the Kingdom of GOD by winning souls by any means necessary. Souls are the heartbeat of GOD. GOD's concern for the souls of men is SO important that He sent His only Son to die so that ALL could have an opportunity to receive His salvation and to be saved from the reality of living throughout eternity without Him. GOD has sent you and I to witness His Love to Lost souls so that they can be saved and come into a fulfilling relationship with Him.

Lord give me a heart for winning SOULS and a HUNGER for YOUR WORD so that the Victory I walk in others may do so also!

### **Key Scripture: Matthew 9:37-38**

• ... Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. <sup>38</sup>Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field."

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• John 21:16, Proverbs 11:30, John 12:32, Mathew 28:19, Ezekiel 37:1-14



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# Day 18 VICTORY in Breaking Strongholds and Habits

**Strongholds-** a well-fortified place; fortress.

### The only stronghold that we want in our lives is Jesus Christ.

Therefore, declare Psalm 18:2 over your life: Lord You are my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; Father GOD You are my rock, in whom I take refuge. You alone are my shield and the horn of my salvation. You are my stronghold! Father I denounce the world and all that it has. Your Son Jesus Christ overcame the world and because greater is HE that is in me then he that is in the world I have **VICTORY** in **Breaking Strongholds and Habits!** 

## **Key Scriptures: 2nd Corinthians 10:3-6**

• For though we walk in the flesh, we do not war according to the flesh. For the weapons of our warfare are not carnal but mighty in God for pulling down strongholds, casting down arguments and every high thing that exalts itself against the knowledge of God, bringing every thought into captivity to the obedience of Christ, and being ready to punish all disobedience when your obedience is fulfilled. (2nd Corinthians 10:3-6)

## **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

Ephesians 6:10-20, Romans 16:20, 1<sup>st</sup> Peter 5:8-9,
 Galatians 6:9, Ephesians 4:22-24, Romans 12:2,
 James 1:22-25, 1 John 1:9, Philippians 4:8-9



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## Day 19 VICTORY in Praise and Thanksgiving

Praise and Thanksgiving go hand in hand. They are used as weapons of warfare. The enemy can't stand your praise. Make up in your mind that you will praise GOD and thank Him in everything you do and for everything that He has done. There is always **VICTORY** in **Praise and Thanksgiving!** 

### Key Scriptures: Psalms 100 and Joshua 6:15-16

- Make a joyful shout to the Lord, all you lands! Serve the Lord with gladness; Come before His presence with singing. Know that the Lord, He is God; It is He who has made us, and not we ourselves; We are His people and the sheep of His pasture. Enter into His gates with thanksgiving, And into His courts with praise. Be thankful to Him, and bless His name. For the Lord is good; His mercy is everlasting, And His truth endures to all generations. (Psalms 100)
- But it came to pass on the seventh day that they rose early, about the dawning of the day, and marched around the city seven times in the same manner. On that day only they marched around the city seven times. 16 And the seventh time it happened, when the priests blew the trumpets, that Joshua said to the people: "Shout, for the Lord has given you the city! (Joshua 6:15-16)

### **Suggested Scripture Reading:**

• 1<sup>st</sup> Thessalonians 5:16-18, Psalms 34:1-4, Colossians 4:2, Philippians 4:6, Joshua 6



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### Day 20 SELF Reflect and Recapture Days 14-19

Today review Days 14-19 which focused on the following:

- VICTORY Over Temptation
- VICTORY to Overcome Set Backs
- VICTORY Over FALSE Accusations
- Compassion for Lost Souls and the WORD
- VICTORY in Breaking Strongholds and Habits
- VICTORY in Praise and Thanksgiving

Read the scriptures that were listed for each day as well as journal or recapture the daily activities for days 14-19.



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## 2017 PILLARS FOR VICTORY



- Repentance
- Forgiveness
- Love
- Compassion for Lost Souls
- Thirst for the Word of GOD
- Wisdom and Clarity
- Stewardship



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