

* *The Bondage Breaker*
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RELEASE FROM BONDAGE

* *Charles Kraft*
 " *Defeating Dark Angels* "

Please let your ear be attentive and your eyes open that you may hear the prayer of your servant which I pray before you now, day and night, for the children of Israel your servants, and confess the sins of the children of Israel which we have sinned against you. Both my Father's house and I have sinned. (Neh 1:6)

This modification of FREEDOM IN CHRIST is designed for families. We have found it very helpful in situations where there is an unbelieving spouse or difficult parental or child relationships.

Before beginning this family inventory, pray for God's guidance and protection in the NAME OF JESUS CHRIST. We have found it to be very important to specify which Jesus. Many demonic forces claim the name of Jesus. Several cults have doctrines concerning Jesus that make him less than the Trinitarian concept of God. These cults, in many cases, are praying to and empowering a demonic spirit by the name of Jesus. Since they are demonic they cannot claim to have come from the Father, lived in the flesh, died and rose again (1John 4:1ff). We usually begin the session with a prayer that makes this clear distinction. This is especially important when praying for our families since many members may have a distorted understanding of Jesus Christ.

THIS MATERIAL IS BASED ON
 NEIL ANDERSON'S
 SEVEN STEPS TO FREEDOM IN CHRIST

STEP 1: DECEPTION VS. TRUTH

Dear Heavenly Father. We know that You desire truth in the inner self and that facing this truth is the way of liberation (John 8:32). We acknowledge that we have been deceived by the father of lies (John 8:44) and that we have deceived ourselves (1 John 1:8). We pray in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ that You, Heavenly Father, will rebuke all deceiving spirits by virtue of the shed blood and resurrection of the Lord Jesus Christ. By faith we have received You into our lives and we are now seated with Christ in the heavenlies (Eph. 2:6). We acknowledge that we have the responsibility and authority to resist the devil, and when we do, he will flee from us. We now ask the Holy Spirit to guide us into all truth (John 6:13). In Jesus' name we pray. Amen.

DOCTRINAL AFFIRMATION

We recognize that there is only one true and living God (Ex. 20:2-3) who exists as the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit and that He is worthy of all honor, praise, and glory as the Creator, Sustainer, and Beginning and End of all things (Rev. 4:11; 5:9-10; Is. 43:1,7,21).

We recognize Jesus Christ as the Messiah, the Word who became flesh and dwelt among us (John 1:1,14). We believe that He came to destroy the works of Satan (1 John 3:8), that He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public display of them, having triumphed over them (Col. 2:15).

We believe that God has proven His love for us because when we were still sinners, Christ died for us (Rom. 5:8). We believe that He delivered us from the domain of darkness and transferred us into His kingdom, and in Him we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins (Col. 1:13-14).

We believe that we are now children of God (1 John 3:1-3) and that we are seated with Christ in the heavenlies (Eph. 2:6). We believe that we were saved by the grace of God through faith, that it was a gift and not the result of any works on our part (Eph. 2:8). 10

We choose to be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might (Eph. 6:10). We put no confidence in the flesh (Phil. 3:3) for the weapons of warfare are not of the flesh (2 Cor. 10:4). We put on the whole armor of God (Eph. 6:10-20), and we resolve to stand firm in our faith and resist the evil one.

We believe that apart from Christ we can do nothing (John 15:5), so we declare ourselves dependent on Him. We choose

to abide in Christ in order to bear fruit and glorify the Lord (John 15:8). We announce to Satan that Jesus is our Lord (1 Cor. 12:3), and we reject any counterfeit gifts or works of Satan in our life.

We believe that the truth will set us free (John 8:32) and that walking in the light is the only path of fellowship (1 John 1:7). Therefore, we stand against Satan's deception by taking every thought captive in obedience to Christ (2 Cor. 10:5). We declare that the Bible is the only authoritative standard (2 Tim. 3:15-16). We choose to speak the truth in love (Eph. 4:15).

We choose to present our bodies as instruments of righteousness, living and holy sacrifices, and we renew our minds by the living Word of God in order that we may prove that the will of God is good, acceptable, and perfect (Rom. 6:13; 12:1-2). We put off the old self with its evil practices and put on the new self (Col. 3:9-10), and we declare ourselves to be new creatures in Christ (2 Cor. 5:17).

We ask our heavenly Father to fill us with Your Holy Spirit (Eph. 5:18), lead us into all truth (John 16:13), and empower our bodies that we may live above sin and not carry out the desires of the flesh (Gal. 5:24) and choose to walk by the Spirit.

We renounce all selfish goals and choose the ultimate goal of love (1 Tim. 1:5). We choose to obey the two greatest commandments, to love the Lord our God with all our heart, soul, and mind, and to love our neighbor as ourselves (Matt. 22:37-39).

We believe that Jesus is the head over all rule and authority in heaven and on earth (Matt 28:18; Col. 2:10). We believe that Satan and his demons are subject to us in Christ since we are members of Christ's body (Eph. 1:19-23). Therefore, we obey the command to submit to God and to resist the devil (Jas. 4:7), and we command Satan in the name of Christ to leave our presence.

STEP 2: NON-CHRISTIAN SPIRITUAL EXPERIENCE INVENTORY
 (Please check those that apply)

Lord, we confess that we may have participated in
 _____ . We ask your forgiveness, and we
 renounce it in the name of Jesus Christ.

Astral-projection	The Way International
Ouija board	Unification Church
Table Lifting	Mormonism
Dungeons and Dragons	Church of the Living
Speaking in Trance	Word
Automatic Writing	Jehovah Witness
Magic eight ball	Children of God
Telepathy	Swedenborgianism
Ghosts	Herbert W. Armstrong
Seance	Unitarianism
Materialization	Masons, Shriners, Jobs
Channeling	Daughters, Eastern
Praying to Saints	Star, De Molay
Clairvoyance	New Age
Spirit Guides	Zen Buddhism
Fortune telling	Hare Krishna
Tarot Cards	Bahaism
Palm reading	Rosicrucian
Astrology	Science of the Mind
Rod and pendulum	Science of Creative
Hypnosis	Intelligence
Mental suggestions or attempting	Transcendental
to swap minds	Meditation
Black and white magic	Hinduism
New Age medicine	Yoga
Blood pacts or cutting	Echankar
in a destructive way	Roy Masters
Fetishism or lucky charms	Silva Mind Control
Incubi & succubi spirits	Father Divine
Bloody Mary	Christian Science
Tattoos	Theosophical Society
Subliminal tapes	Unity
Unholy or Satanic music	Islam
Knights of Columbus	Black Muslim
Karate	EST
Tai Kwan Do	Lifespring
Unholy Spiritual Gifts	Other _____

Lord, we confess that we may have participated in
 _____ . We ask your forgiveness, and we renounce it
 (these things) in the name of Jesus Christ.

SPECIAL RENUNCIATIONS FOR SATANIC RITUAL INVOLVEMENT**KINGDOM OF DARKNESS**

We renounce ever signing our names over to Satan or having had our names signed over to Satan.

We renounce any ceremony where we may have been wed to Satan.

We renounce any and all covenants that we made with Satan.

We renounce all Satanic assignments for our lives, including duties, marriage and children.

We renounce all spirit guides assigned to us.

We renounce ever giving of our blood in the service of Satan.

We renounce ever eating of flesh or drinking of blood for Satanic worship.

We renounce any and all guardians and Satanist parents that were ever assigned to us.

We renounce any baptism in blood or urine whereby we are identified with Satan.

We renounce any and all sacrifices that were made by us or on our behalf in which Satan may have a hold over us.

KINGDOM OF LIGHT

We announce that our names are now written in the Lamb's Book of Life.

We announce that we are the Bride of Christ.

We announce that we are partakers of the New Covenant with Christ.

We announce and commit ourselves to know and do only the will of God and accept only His guidance

We announce and accept only the leading of the Holy Spirit.

We trust only in the shed blood of our Lord Jesus Christ.

By faith, in Holy Communion, we partake of the flesh and blood of Jesus.

We announce that God is our Father and the Holy Spirit is our Guardian by which we are sealed.

We announce that we have been baptized into Christ Jesus and our identity is now in Christ.

We announce that only the sacrifice of Christ has any hold on us. We are purchased by the blood of the Lamb.

STEP 3: REBELLION VS. SUBMISSION

Dear Heavenly Father. You have said that rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft and insubordination is as iniquity and idolatry (1 Sam. 15:23). We know that in action and attitude we have sinned against You with a rebellious heart. We ask Your forgiveness for our rebellion and pray that by the shed blood of the Lord Jesus Christ all ground gained by evil spirits because of our rebelliousness will be canceled. We pray that You will shed light on all our ways that we may know the full extent of our rebelliousness. We now choose to adopt a submissive spirit and a servant's heart. In the name of Jesus Christ. Amen.

Lord, We agree and confess that we have been rebellious towards our government, parents, husbands or wives, employers, church leaders and God. We claim our forgiveness for this rebellion. We choose to be submissive and obedient to your Word. In Jesus' name, Amen.

STEP 4: PRIDE VS. HUMILITY

Dear Heavenly Father. You have said that pride goes before destruction and an arrogant spirit before stumbling (Prov. 16:18). We confess that we have lived independently and have not denied ourselves, picked up our cross daily, and followed You (Matt. 16:24). In doing so, we have given ground to the enemy in our lives. We have believed that we could be successful and live victoriously by our own strength and resources. We now confess that we have sinned against You by placing our will before Yours and by centering our lives around self instead of You. We now renounce the self-life and by doing so cancel all the ground that has been gained in our lives by the enemies of the Lord Jesus Christ. We pray that You will guide us so that we will do nothing from selfishness or empty conceit, but with humility of mind we will regard others as more important than ourselves (Phil. 2:3). Enable us through love to serve others and in honor prefer others (Rom. 12:10). We ask this in the name of Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

STEP 5: CONFESSION OF SIN

Dear Heavenly Father. You have told us to put on the Lord Jesus Christ and make no provision for the flesh in regard to it's lust (Rom. 13:14). We acknowledge that we have given in to fleshly lusts which wage war against our souls (1 Pet. 2:11). We thank You that in Christ our sins are forgiven, but we have transgressed Your holy law and given the enemy an opportunity to wage war in our bodies (Rom.

6:12-13; Eph. 4:27; Jas. 4:1; 1 Pet. 5:8). We come before Your presence to acknowledge these sins and to seek Your cleansing (1 John 1:19) that we may be freed from the bondage of sin.

SPECIAL PRAYERS FOR SPECIAL NEEDS

SEXUAL SINS

Lord, we confess and renounce all sexual uses of our bodies as instruments of unrighteousness and by doing so ask You to break all bondages Satan has brought into our lives through that involvement. We now present our bodies to You as a living sacrifice, holy and acceptable unto You, and we reserve the sexual use of our bodies only for marriage. We renounce the lie of Satan that our bodies are not clean, that they are dirty or in any way unacceptable as a result of our past sexual experiences. Lord, we thank You that You have totally cleansed and forgiven us. Therefore, we can accept ourselves and our bodies as cleansed. In Jesus' name. Amen.

HOMOSEXUALITY

Lord, we renounce the lie that You have created us or anyone else to be homosexual, and we affirm that You clearly forbid homosexual behavior. We accept ourselves as children of God and declare that You have created us as men and women. We renounce any bondages of Satan that have perverted our relationships with others. We announce that we are free to relate to the opposite sex in the way that You intended. In Jesus' name. Amen.

ABORTION

Lord, we confess that we did not assume stewardship of the life or lives you entrusted to us. We choose to accept your forgiveness by forgiving ourselves, and we now commit those children to You for Your care in eternity. In Jesus' name. Amen.

SUICIDAL TENDENCIES

We renounce the lie that we can find our purpose in Christ by taking our own life. Satan is a thief, and he comes to steal, kill, and destroy. We choose life in Christ who said He came to give us life and to give it abundantly.

EATING DISORDERS, OR CUTTING ON YOURSELF

We renounce the lie that our worthiness is dependent upon our appearance or performance. We renounce cutting ourselves, over consuming, purging, or defecating as a means of cleansing ourselves of evil, and we announce that only the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ can cleanse us from our sin. We accept the reality that there may be sin present in us because of the lies we have believed and the wrongful use of our bodies, but we renounce the lie that we are evil or that any part of our bodies is evil. We

announce the truth that we are totally accepted by Christ just as we are.

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Lord, we confess that we have misused substances (alcohol, tobacco, food, prescription or street drugs) for the purpose of pleasure, to escape reality, or to cope with difficult situations, resulting in the abuse of our bodies, the harmful programming of our minds, and the quenching of the Holy Spirit. We claim Your forgiveness, and we renounce any Satanic connection or influence in our lives through our misuse of chemicals or food. We cast our anxiety onto Christ who loves us, and we commit ourselves to no longer yield to substance abuse but to the Holy Spirit. We ask You, Heavenly Father, to fill us with Your Holy Spirit. In Jesus' name. Amen.

STEP 6: REMOVING CURSES FROM ANCESTRAL SIN

Father in heaven through our Lord Jesus Christ we confess any and all sins of our ancestors and renounce all of those sins, known and unknown. (Neh 1:6,7) We confess any idols. We renounce any false gods of our ancestors and here and now reject and disown any and all curses that may have been directed against our families because of these sins. As families who have been delivered from the power of darkness and translated into the kingdom of God's dear Son, we cancel out all demonic working that has been passed on to us from our ancestors. We have been crucified and raised with Jesus Christ and sit with Him in heavenly places, we renounce all Satanic assignments that are directed toward us and our ministries, and we cancel every curse that Satan and his workers have put on us. We announce to Satan and all his forces that Christ received every curse directed at us when he died on the cross. (Gal 3:13) We reject any and every way in which Satan may try to claim ownership of us. We declare our families to be eternally and completely signed over and committed to the Lord Jesus Christ. By the authority that we have in Jesus Christ, we now command every familiar or unclean spirit and every other enemy of the Lord Jesus Christ that is in or around us to leave our presence forever. We commit ourselves to our Heavenly Father to do His will from this day forward. In Jesus name we pray. Amen.

STEP 7: BITTERNESS VS. FORGIVENESS

Dear Heavenly Father. We thank You for the riches of Your kindness, forbearance, and patience knowing that Your kindness has led us to repentance (Rom. 2:4). We confess that we have not extended that same patience and kindness

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toward others who have offended us, but instead we have harbored bitterness and resentment. We pray that during this time of self-examination You would bring to our minds those people that we have not forgiven in order that we may do so (Matt. 18:35). We ask this in the precious name of Jesus. Amen.

In the name of Jesus Christ we choose to forgive

PRAYER FOR FILLING WITH THE HOLY SPIRIT

Dear Heavenly Father. We come to You as Your children purchased by the blood of the Lord Jesus Christ. You are the Lord of the universe and the Lord of our lives. We submit our bodies to You as an instruments of righteousness, living sacrifices, that we may glorify You in our bodies. We now ask You to fill us with Your Holy Spirit. We commit ourselves to the renewing of our mind in order to prove that Your will is good, perfect, and acceptable for us. All this we do in the name and authority of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

AFTER CARE

DAILY PRAYER

Dear Heavenly Father. I honor You as my sovereign Lord, I acknowledge that You are always present with me. You are the only all powerful and only wise God. You are kind and loving in all Your ways. I love You and I thank You that I am united with Christ and spiritually alive in Him. I choose not to love the world, and I crucify the flesh and all it's passions.

I thank You for the life that I now have in Christ, and I ask You to fill me with Your Holy Spirit that I may live my life free from sin. I declare my dependence upon You, and I take my stand against Satan and all his lying ways. I choose to believe the truth, and I refuse to be discouraged. You are the God of all hope, and I am confident that You will meet my needs as I seek to live according to Your Word. I express with confidence that I can live a responsible life through Christ who strengthens me.

I now take my stand against Satan and command him and all his evil spirits to depart from me. I put on the whole armor of God. I submit my body as a living sacrifice and renew my mind by the living Word of God in order that I may prove that the will of God is good, acceptable, and perfect. I ask these things in the precious name of my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Amen.

***PUT ON THE ARMOR**

Daytime

*Bedtime***BEDTIME PRAYER**

Thank You, Lord, that You have brought me into Your family and blessed me with every spiritual blessing in the heavenly realms in Christ. Thank You for providing this time of renewal through sleep. I accept it as part of Your perfect plan for Your children, and I trust You to guard my mind and my body during my sleep. As I have meditated on You and Your truth during this day, I choose to let these thoughts continue in my mind while I am asleep. I commit myself to You for Your protection from every attempt of Satan or his emissaries to attack me during sleep. I commit myself to You as my rock, my fortress, and my resting place. I pray in the strong name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

CLEANSING HOME / APARTMENT

Heavenly Father. We acknowledge that You are Lord of heaven and earth. In Your sovereign power and love, You have given us all things richly to enjoy. Thank You for this place to live. We claim this home for our family as a place of spiritual safety and protection from all the attacks of the enemy. As children of God seated with Christ in the heavenly realm, we command every evil spirit, claiming ground in the structures and furnishings of this place based on the activities of previous occupants, to leave and never to return. We renounce all curses and spells utilized against this place. We ask You, Heavenly Father, to post guardian angels around this home (apartment, condo, room, etc.) to guard it from attempts of the enemy to enter and disturb Your purposes for us. We thank You, Lord, for doing this, and pray in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

LIVING IN A NON-CHRISTIAN ENVIRONMENT

Thank You, Heavenly Father, for my place to live and to be renewed by sleep. I ask You to set aside my room (portion of my room) as a place of spiritual safety for me. I renounce any allegiance given to false gods or spirits by other occupants, and I renounce any claim to this room (space) by Satan based on activities of past occupants or myself. On the basis of my position as a child of God and a joint-heir with Christ who has all authority in heaven and on earth, I command all evil spirits to leave this place and never to return. I ask You, Heavenly Father, to appoint guardian angels to protect me while I live here. I pray this in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

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Hi George,

I just sent you the link on the one about the difference between Catholic and Christian exorcisms.

PLEASE READ THIS SITE--I JUST READ IT AGAIN AND IT SPEAKS ABOUT SOME REALLY IMPORTANT THINGS LIKE the exorcist should say "The LORD rebuke you" NOT "I" rebuke you. That way the demon must answer to the Lord Jesus Christ and NOT the person doing the exorcism. Just some GOOD things to know while you are looking for the proper person. This is a good site. Also they list a phone number:

I called them at 1-877-566-7264 and left a message to please call you to give us a contact person here in southern california they they could recommend. but if you don't hear from them by tomorrow, call them again. They sound like they really know their stuff--hopefully they can tell us someone like them here in our area. - they are in florida, but if they could refer you to someone that has the same type of ministry, I think it would be good. Won't hurt to call them. They sound like they really know what they are doing and it sounds like there are a lot of people (and Christians) out there who don't.

here's his website again: http://www.logoschristian.org/malachi_martin/christian.html

-Monique

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