

Prayer Study #50

“Some things the Lord Wants to Free You From”

And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free. – John 8:32

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me. – John 14:6

Stand fast, therefore, in the liberty with which Christ hath made us free, and be not entangled again with the yoke of bondage. – Galatians 5:1

He Came To Set Us Free From:

1. SIN: *Then being made free from sin, ye become the servants of righteousness. Romans 6:18*

The sin cycle: Pleasures of sin = Sin = Guilt and Condemnation = Seek Wrong Relief = Pleasures of Sin

2: FEAR OF DEATH: *For the law of the Spirit of live in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death. Romans 8:2*

Who hath saved us, and called us with a holy calling, not according to our works, but according to his own purpose and grace, which was given to us in Christ Jesus before the world began, but is now made manifest by the appearing of our Savior, Jesus Christ, who hath abolished death and hath brought life and immortality to light through the Gospel. 1st Timothy 1:9-10

Forasmuch, then as the children are partakers of flesh and blood, He also Himself likewise took part of the same, that through death, He might destroy him that had the power of death, this is the devil, and deliver them who through the fear of death were all their lifetime subject to bondage. Hebrews 2:14-15

3. SOULISH RELIGION: Are you more interested in a feeling than in serving God? The soul is the mind, will, and emotions. When you are a Christian, but in improper alignment, you let your soul dominate over your spirit.

For to be carnally minded is death, but to be spiritually minded is life and peace. Because the carnal mind is enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, neither, indeed, can be so then, they that are in the flesh cannot please God. Romans 8:8

And be not conformed to this world, but be ye transformed by the renewing of your mind, that ye may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God. Romans 12:2

Wherefor, grid up your loins of your mind, be sober, and hope to the end for the grace that is to be brought unto you at the revelation of Jesus Christ. 1st Peter 1:13

4. DEMONIC OPPRESSION (taken from *How to Try a Spirit* by Mary Garrison)

- a. Spirit of Bondage – Romans 8:15
- b. Spirit of Fear – 2nd Timothy 1:7
- c. Dumb and Deaf Spirit – Mark 9:25, 26
- d. Spirit of Heaviness – Isaiah 61:3
- e. Spirit of Infirmity – Luke 13:11
- f. Spirit of Jealousy – Numbers 5:14
- g. Perverse Spirit – Isaiah 19:14
- h. Spirit of Divination & Familiar Spirit – 1st Samuel 28:3-9
- i. Spirit of Whoredoms – Hosea 4:12
- j. Spirit of Haughtiness – Proverbs 16:18, 19
- k. Lying Spirit – 2nd Chronicles 18:22
- l. Antichrist Spirit – 1st John 4:3

5. PHOBIAS (taken from *Guidelines to Deliverance* by Dr. Paul Cox)

“We have found that you can trace the root of phobias back in the generational line. Many have been cursed of phobias by doing this. Following is a testimony of one young woman who had a fear of taking a shower:

I had always been afraid of rushing water. I would take baths instead of showers, and when I was in a hurry and had to take a shower, I would make sure that someone was either in the bathroom with me, or right outside the door. Family vacations on cruises and to Niagara Falls were scary. We would canoe in the summers in large lakes, and I would feel fine. I enjoyed swimming in pools, but taking walks in shallow creeks was horrendous. I was under the impression that this was a quirk of mine (in the same way that some people don't like strawberries or people touching their feet...) Anyway, someone mentioned to me that this might be a generational curse, and the next day I met with Paul. We found out that my Swedish ancestors had tied people to the bows of ships and had tortured them by the rushing water that would smash into their victims. This curse had been carried down to me since the 1400's. I renounced the curse and repented for the actions of my ancestors. The next day I could feel the change that had occurred in my life, and the freedom that came with it. Since my generational deliverance, I have had no fear of rushing waters. This change is amazing! I am able to take showers when I am alone in my house, and the nightmares about drowning and being terrified in the water have ceased. This issue was very embarrassing to deal with, and I thought that there was nothing that could be done about it. Praise the Lord for delivering me from this curse.

LIST OF COMMON PHOBIAS

Acrophobia: fear of heights	Pnigophioba: fear of choking
Aerophobia: fear of flying	Pyrophobia: fear of fire
Agoraphobia: fear of open spaces	Scholionophobia: fear of school
Ailurophobia: fear of cats	Scopophobia: fear of being stared at
Alektorophobia: fear of chickens	Thanatophobia: fear of death
Amathophobia: fear of dust	Triskaidekaphoiba: fear of thirteen
Androphobia: fear of man	Xenophobia: fear of strangers
Anemophobia: fear of wind	Zenophobia: fear of foreigners
Anthrophobia: fear of people	Zoophobia: fear of animals
Apiphobia: fear of bees	
Arachnophobia: fear of spiders	
Astraphobia: fear of lightning	
Atelophobia: fear of imperfection	
Automysophobia: fear of being dirty	
Autophobia: fear of being alone	
Bibliophobia: fear of books	
Brontophobia: fear of thunder	
Claustrophobia: fear of enclosed spaces	
Demonphobia: fear of demons	
Ecclesiaphobia: fear of churches	
Gephyrophobia: fear of crossing bridges	
Gynophobia: fear of women	
Halophobia: fear of speaking	
Haphophobia: fear of being touched	
Heiminthophobia: fear of worms	
Hydrophobia: fear of water	
Hypengyophobia: fear of responsibility	
Kakorrhaphiophobia: fear of failure	
Katagelophobia: fear of ridicule	
Kenophobia: fear of empty rooms	
Maieusiophobia: fear of pregnancy	
Merinthophobia: fear of being bound	
Mictophobia: fear of germs	
Musophobia: fear of mice	
Necrophobia: fear of corpses	
Nyctophobia: fear of darkness	
Ochlophobia: fear of crowds	
Ophidiophobia: fear of snakes	
Ornithophobia: fear of birds	
Peniaphobia: fear of poverty	
Phasmophobia: fear of ghosts	