

## Unsheathing the Sword of the Spirit—Praying the Word of God!

And He withdrew himself into the wilderness, and prayed. Luke 5:16. The word, withdraw, in a certain context means “to unsheathe the sword.” The Dancing Father, by Rev. Brian Kinsey.

■ **Matthew 6: 9 Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy name. 10 Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.**

■ Psalm 118:24 This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it.

■ Psalms 141:2 Let my prayer be set forth before Thee as incense; and the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice.

■ Jeremiah 32:17 Ah Lord God! behold, Thou hast made the heaven and the earth by Thy great power and stretched out arm, and there is nothing too hard for Thee:

■ Psalms 130:6 My soul waiteth for the Lord more than they that watch for the morning:

■ 1 Peter 5:7 Casting all your care upon Him; for He careth for you.

■ Psalms 27:1 The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?

■ Psalm 46:1 God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble.

■ 1 Chronicles 16:34 O give thanks unto the Lord; for He is good; for His mercy endureth for ever.

■ Ephesians 6:10 Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His might...13 Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.14 Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; 15 And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; 16 Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.17 And take the helmet of salvation, and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God:18 Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints;

■ Jeremiah 17:14 Heal me, O Lord, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved: for thou art my praise.

■ 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 we are healed.

■ Jeremiah 30:17 For I will restore health unto thee, and I will heal thee of thy wounds, saith the Lord;

■ Psalms 103 Bless the Lord, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless His holy name. 2 Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits: 3 Who forgiveth all thine iniquities; who healeth all thy diseases;

■ Psalm 34:1 I will bless the Lord at all times: His praise shall continually be in my mouth.

■ II Peter 1:4 Whereby are given unto us exceeding great and precious promises: that by these ye might be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

■ **Matthew 6:11 Give us this day our daily bread. (Prayer for our personal need and prayer for the ministry who “serve the Word of God, the living Bread.”)**

■ John 6:35 And Jesus said unto them, “I am the Bread of Life. John 6:51 I am the living bread which came down from heaven: if any man eat of this bread, he shall live for ever:

Each scripture is a potential “launching pad” for praying in the Spirit!

■ Psalm 119:17 Deal bountifully with Thy servant, that I may live, and keep Thy word.

■ II Peter 1:3 According as his divine power hath given unto us all things that pertain unto life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him that hath called us to glory and virtue:

■ Psalm 84:11 For the Lord God is a sun and shield: the Lord will give grace and glory: no good thing will He withhold from them that walk uprightly.

■ **Matthew 6:12 And forgive us our debts...**

■ Psalm 139:23 Search me, O God, and know my heart: try me, and know my thoughts: 24 And see if there be any wicked way in me, and lead me in the way everlasting.

■ Psalm 51:10 Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me.

■ Hebrews 12:1 ...Let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us,

■ Psalm 25:21 Let integrity and uprightness preserve me; for I wait on Thee.

■ Psalm 19:14 Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in Thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer.

■ Philippians 4:8 Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.

■ **Matthew 6:12 ... as we forgive our debtors.**

■ Luke 11:4 And forgive us our sins; for we also forgive every one that is indebted to us.

■ Luke 6:37 Judge not, and ye shall not be judged: condemn not, and ye shall not be condemned: forgive, and ye shall be forgiven:

■ Ephesians 4:32 And be ye kind one to another, tenderhearted, forgiving one another, even as God for Christ's sake hath forgiven you.

■ **Matthew 6:13a And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil:**

■ Romans 6:12 Let not sin therefore reign in your mortal body...

■ Psalm 119:11 Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against Thee.

■ I Thessalonians 5:22 Abstain from all appearance of evil.

■ Psalm 101:3 I will set no wicked thing before mine eyes:

■ Psalm 119:133 Order my steps in Thy word: and let not any iniquity have dominion over me.

■ Psalms 119:18 Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of Thy law.

■ I John 2:15 Love not the world, neither the things that are in the world. If any man love the world, the love of the Father is not in him.

■ Luke 21:36 Watch ye therefore, and pray always, that ye may be accounted worthy to escape all these things that shall come to pass, and to stand before the Son of man.

■ Psalm 119:105 Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.

■ Psalm 119:130 The entrance of Thy words giveth light;

■ Colossians 1:9-11 9 ...that ye might be filled with the knowledge of His will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding; 10 That ye might walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; 11 Strengthened with all might, according to His glorious power, unto all patience and longsuffering with joyfulness;

- Proverbs 3:6 *In all thy ways acknowledge Him, and He shall direct thy paths.*
- Psalm 141:3 *Set a watch, O Lord, before my mouth; keep the door of my lips.*
- Philippians 4:13 *I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me.*
- Ill John 1:4 *I have no greater joy than to hear that my children walk in truth.*
- Isaiah 49:25 *But thus saith the Lord...for I will contend with him that contendeth with thee, and I will save thy children.*
- Psalms 119:162 *I rejoice at Thy Word, as one that findeth great spoil.*
- I Timothy 2:1-2 *I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, be made for all men; 2 For kings, and for all that are in authority; that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty.*
- Joel 2:17 *...Spare thy people, O Lord, and give not Thine heritage to reproach...*
- Psalm 122:6 *Pray for the peace of Jerusalem: they shall prosper that love thee.*
- **Romans 8:31 *If God be for us, who can be against us?***
- Psalm 118:6 *The Lord is on my side; I will not fear: what can man do unto me?*
- Psalms 67:1 *God be merciful unto us, and bless us; and cause His face to shine upon us; Selah.*
- Jude 1:24 *Now unto Him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy, To the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen.*
- **Matthew 6:13b *For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. Amen.***
- Revelation 4:11 *Thou art worthy, O Lord, to receive glory and honour and power: for Thou hast created all things, and for Thy pleasure they are and were created.*
- Psalms 57:5 *Be thou exalted, O God, above the heavens; let thy glory be above all the earth.*
- **Revelation 4:8b... *Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come.***
- I Timothy 1:17 *Now unto the King eternal, immortal, invisible, the only wise God, be honour and glory for ever and ever. Amen.*
- I Chronicles 29:11 *Thine, O Lord is the greatness, and the power, and the glory, and the victory, and the majesty: for all that is in the heaven and in the earth is Thine; Thine is the kingdom, O Lord, and Thou art exalted as head above all. 12 Both riches and honour come of Thee, and Thou reignest over all; and in Thine hand is power and might; and in Thine hand it is to make great, and to give strength unto all. 13 Now therefore, our God, we thank Thee, and praise Thy glorious Name.*
- Revelations 5:13B *Blessing, and honour, and glory, and power, be unto Him that sitteth upon the throne, and unto the Lamb for ever and ever.*

*In Jesus' Name! Amen.*

# Praying the Word!

## *Unsheathing the Sword*

For the Word of God is quick, and powerful,  
and sharper than any twoedged sword,  
Hebrews 4:12



And take the helmet of salvation, and  
**The Sword of the Spirit,**  
which is

*The Word of God:*

**Praying...in the Spirit.**

Ephesians 6