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Weekly Encourager - 11 September 2022

**SCRIPTURAL ADVICE, HELP AND INSIGHT ON HOW TO TRUST THE LORD JESUS CHRIST TO DEFEAT SCHIZOPHRENIA FROM JAMES STACEY NOW CELEBRATING 32 YEARS OF FREEDOM FROM THE DEMONIC BONDAGE AND OVER 34 YEARS OFF ALL ANTI-PSYCHOTIC MEDICATION**

## **PUTTING ON THE WHOLE ARMOUR OF GOD BRINGS HEALING AND DELIVERANCE OVER SCHIZOPHRENIA WITHIN YOUR GRASP!**

**This week's Bible reading is from Ephesians Chapter 6 verses 10-19: The Armour of God:**

Finally, be strong in the Lord and in his mighty power. Put on the full armour of God so that you take your stand against the devil's schemes. For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms. Therefore put on the full armour of God, so that when the day of evil comes, you may be able to stand your ground, and after you have done everything, to stand. Stand firm then, with the belt of truth buckled round your waist, with the breastplate of righteousness in place, and with your feet fitted with the readiness that comes from the gospel of peace. In addition to all this, take up the shield of faith, with which you can extinguish all the flaming arrows of the evil one. Take the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which is the word of God. And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the saints. Pray also for me, that whenever I open my mouth, words may be given me so that I will fearlessly make known the mystery of the gospel, for which I am an ambassador in chains. Pray that I may declare it fearlessly, as I should.



Defeating schizophrenia is normally a hard struggle – particularly if you are fighting for freedom on your own, but take great encouragement and strength in knowing that the abiding presence of God lives in you to overcome.

Have you ever tried to reach the depths of the words of Jesus when he promised: **“Whoever believes in me, as the Scripture has said, streams of living water will flow from within him.”** (John 7:38).

Give some thought to the greatness of this promise of Jesus who has put within you His life-giving Holy Spirit described as “the kingdom of God within you”.

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**A believer in Jesus has no other refuge to fly to the moment his mind is aware of an invasion of a personality totally opposed to the presence of Jesus. Few Christians have any idea what really happens when the bondage of schizophrenia strikes a fellow Christian and all-out war has been commenced in the mind.**

This week, I retraced the might of such a spiritual force working inside me at a time when the whole area of my mind was imprisoned by an evil spirit of schizophrenia. Praise God for the supply of His grace and power to fight a battle which knew no sign of relenting until all the darkness was cast out.

Just think to start with that when Jesus puts his Holy Spirit in you, the blessed presence of God brings his voice into your whole being. So when you perceive that another voice has suddenly entered your head of a totally different nature to the voice of the Lord, you rally to fight for its removal.

The way to conquer schizophrenia is NOT to allow your mind and whole being to become totally passive as evil spirits unleash all kinds of voice manifestations into your head – but to oppose them through the power flowing from the river of life within your spirit.

Also, it is important to assert protection over the whole of your head. With conscious, living and active faith in Jesus rising from your heart, place your hands over every part of your head and claim the protection of the blood of Jesus over your mind.

Because in Jesus are hid all the treasures of wisdom and knowledge, the insight and knowledge springing from the supply of living water in your heart will fire you up to battle for complete freedom in your mind. Your mind is often a veritable battle-field of the Holy Spirit versus the powers of darkness contending for ownership of your mind, but the power and fire of God dwelling in your spirit enables you to fight every battle!

The presence of an evil spirit of schizophrenia in your mind is a stronghold, make no mistake, but knowing Jesus as Lord equips you with all the light and truth you need to drive it out through the spirit of prayer as you boldly proclaim who is the One who owns your life.

The one thing to remember as you wrestle in prayer is that the Lord of Glory lives in your spirit. The King of kings is in residence in your heart and no-one can dethrone Him, overcome him, and he remains stronger than any opposing voice you face in the whole of the world.

St. Paul put it like this: “What, then, shall we say in response to this? If God is for us, who can be against us? He who did not spare his own Son, but gave him up for us all – how will he not also, along with him, graciously give us all things? Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies. Who is he that condemns? Christ Jesus, who died – more than that, who was raised to life – is at the right hand of God and is also interceding for us. Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword? As it is written:

“For your sake we face death all day long: we are considered as sheep to be slaughtered.”

No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us. For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.” (Romans 8: 31-39).

All glory goes to the Lord Jesus Christ that he has the power to hold you together during the difficult times when you feel that your mind is being taken over. What mighty resurrection power issues from your heart as you hold on to God whenever a Satanic enemy seeks to drive you to distraction and destruction. Jesus holds on to you and will never let you go - though the battle may be heated and long!

To the Christian who is suffering with schizophrenia and has made up his or her mind to persevere and endure until the breakthrough into freedom comes, nothing will deter them from

the prize. Every effort is exerted in the fight to overcome an enemy who you only know how to fight because of the presence of the living water of the Holy Spirit within you.

You remember the time when you came to know Jesus as Lord? Life changed forever the moment you realised that Jesus died for you and you received his salvation and the free gift of eternal life. If, like myself, you walked and talked in fellowship with Jesus for some years before schizophrenia appeared, you had developed a relationship with Christ your Saviour which was a tremendous advantage in being able to discern the voices of evil spirits.

“Being strengthened with all power according to his glorious might” you have only been able to hold on to Christ because He has been holding on to you. The defeat of schizophrenia is a triumph for the Name of Jesus Christ. Only he has the victory over such a foe.

As you take hold of the life of the Spirit of God, and keep believing for all the resources you need, you will be able to use the sword of the Spirit – the word of God – and pray in the Spirit “on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests” (Ephesians 6:18).

**YOU WILL SURROUND YOUR MIND BY PUTTING ON IN FAITH THE HELMET OF SALVATION AS AN ADEQUATE PROTECTION AND COVERING. BY SO DOING YOU WILL WEAKEN THE SPIRIT OF SCHIZOPHRENIA WHO WILL KNOW YOU ARE SERIOUS IN DRIVING IT OUT AND GAINING YOUR FREEDOM SO DEARLY PURCHASED BY JESUS CHRIST, YOUR SAVIOUR.**

**DECLARE TO THE SPIRIT OF SCHIZOPHRENIA THAT IT HAS NO LEGAL RIGHT TO REMAIN IN YOUR MIND AND PROCEED TO BIND IT UP IN THE NAME OF JESUS, AND START COMMANDING IT TO LEAVE YOUR LIFE WHICH NOW BELONGS TOTALLY TO JESUS. KEEP PRESSING IN WITH THE POWER OF FAITH AND NEVER LOSE AN INCH OF THE GROUND YOU ARE TAKING.**

**THE WARFARE IS OFTEN WEARYING BUT, REMEMBER THIS, YOU CANNOT REST IN YOUR SPIRIT UNTIL YOU ARE COMPLETELY SET FREE AND HAVE BROKEN THROUGH INTO THE VICTORY YOU ARE BELIEVING FOR IN THE MIGHTY NAME OF JESUS!!**

### **COLOSSIANS CHAPTER 1: vv15-23 - The Supremacy of Christ:**

He is the image of the invisible God, the firstborn over all creation. For by him all things were created: things in heaven and on earth, visible and invisible, whether thrones or powers or rulers or authorities; all things were created by him and for him. He is before all things, and in him all things hold together. And he is the head of the body, the church, he is the beginning and the firstborn from among the dead, so that in everything he might have the supremacy. For God was pleased to have all his fullness dwell in him, and through him to reconcile to himself all things, whether things on earth or things in heaven, by making peace through his blood, shed on the cross. Once you were alienated from God and were enemies in your minds because of your evil behaviour. But now he has reconciled you by Christ’s physical body through death to present you holy in his sight, without blemish and free from accusation – if you continue in your faith, established and firm, not moved from the hope held out in the gospel. This is the gospel that you heard and that has been proclaimed to every creature under heaven, and of which I, Paul, have become a servant.

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**The purpose of bringing out a Weekly Encourager is to highlight the promised hope there is in the Lord Jesus Christ defeating schizophrenia. Our Archive file copies contain scriptural advice, insight and help designed to give encouragement to those like yourself struggling for long sought-after freedom – so do make use of the facility provided, asking God to reveal His truth to you from the various messages. May He richly provide all you need to bring you out of the prison house of schizophrenia into His most glorious freedom! HE IS ABLE!**

Let me no more my comfort draw,  
From my frail hold of Thee.  
In this alone rejoice with awe,  
THY MIGHTY GRASP OF ME!

*John Campbell Sharp (1819-1885)*

And every virtue we possess,  
And every conquest won,  
And every thought of holiness,  
ARE HIS ALONE.

*Harriet Auber (1773-1862)*

***Not to us, O LORD, not to us but to your name be the glory,  
because of your love and faithfulness.***

***Psalm 115, verse 1***

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*IF YOU HAVE NEVER INVITED JESUS CHRIST INTO YOUR LIFE, AND WISH TO, DO PRAY THE FOLLOWING PRAYER WITH ALL YOUR HEART: "Lord God Almighty, I approach you in the name of your Son, Jesus Christ. I know I have sinned in my thoughts, words and actions. There are so many good things I have not done. There are so many sinful things I have done. I am truly sorry for the sinfulness in my life, but most of all I acknowledge the sin that separates me from you. I accept the death of Jesus on the Cross to redeem me and extend the gift of eternal life. Gratefully, I give my life back to you as I now ask you to come into my life. Come in as my Saviour and Lord and cleanse me. Come in as my Lord to control me. Come with the strength of your grace and the power of your Spirit to defeat the evil spirit of schizophrenia that troubles me. Now you have set my spirit free, pour your delivering and healing power into my life as I take authority in the name of Jesus through the power of his blood over the intruding force. I assert your ownership of my life and resist any legal right that the devil seeks to hold over my life and bind up and expel any evil presence. I believe that my mind can be completely set free and my whole life enjoy the total freedom of Jesus. Amen.*

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**FOR FURTHER READING: SEE WEEKLY ENCOURAGER ARCHIVE FILE**

**2021** 4 July – Never Minimise The Prayers Of Others Helping You Defeat Schizophrenia

**2020** 18 October – Praising God Is A Mighty Weapon In Defeating Schizophrenia

**2019** 23 June – How Fasting Added To Prayer Aids The Breakthrough To Freedom From Schizophrenia

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**PROCLAMATION**  
TO OVERCOME THE DEVIL

I testify to Satan personally as to what the **word** says the **blood** does for me: <sup>1</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, I am redeemed out of the hand of the devil. <sup>2</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, all my sins are forgiven. <sup>2a</sup>

The blood of Jesus Christ, God's Son, continually cleanses me from all sin. <sup>3</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, I am justified, made righteous, *just-as-if-I'd* never sinned. <sup>4</sup>

Through the blood of Jesus, I am sanctified, made holy, set apart to God. <sup>5</sup>

My body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, redeemed, cleansed, by the blood of Jesus. <sup>6</sup>

**Satan has no place in me, no power over me, through the blood of Jesus.**

—by Derek Prince

<sup>1</sup> Revelation 12:11  
"And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb [Jesus Christ], and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death." [That is, they testified to what the Word of God says about the **blood of Jesus.**]

<sup>2</sup> Ephesians 1:7  
In Him we have **redemption** through his **blood, the forgiveness of sins**, according to the riches of his grace . . .

<sup>2a</sup> Psalm 107:2  
Let the redeemed of the Lord say so, Whom He has redeemed from the hand of the enemy . . .

<sup>3</sup> 1 John 1:7  
But if we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship with one another, and the blood of Jesus Christ His Son cleanses us from all sin.

<sup>4</sup> Romans 5:9  
Much more then, having now been **justified** by His **blood**, we shall be saved from wrath through Him.

<sup>5</sup> Hebrews 13:12  
Therefore Jesus also, that He might sanctify the people with His own **blood**, suffered outside the gate.

<sup>6</sup> 1 Corinthians 6:19-20  
Or do you not know that your **body** is the temple of the Holy Spirit who is in you, whom you have from God, and you are not your own? For you were bought at a price; therefore glorify God in your body and in your spirit, which are God's.

**WEEKLY ENCOURAGER 18 SEPTEMBER 2022**

**HOW GOD ARRANGED A LASTING LOVE MATCH STRONG ENOUGH TO DESTROY 26 YEARS OF SCHIZOPHRENIA**

***The Vine and the Branches: special words from Jesus in John Chapter 15, vv 1 - 17***

*"I am the true vine, and my Father is the gardener. He cuts off every branch in me that bears no fruit, while every branch that does bear fruit he prunes so that it will be even more fruitful. You are already clean because of the word I have spoken to you. Remain in me, as I also remain in you. No branch can bear fruit by itself; it must remain in the vine. Neither can you bear fruit unless you remain in me.*

*"I am the vine; you are the branches. If you remain in me and I in you, you will bear much fruit; apart from me you can do nothing. If you do not remain in me, you are like a branch that is thrown away and withers; such branches are picked up, thrown into the fire and burned. If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you. This is to my Father's glory, that you bear much fruit, showing yourselves to be my disciples.*

*"As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love. If you keep my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have kept my Father's commands and remain in his love. I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this: to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command. I no longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you so that you might go and bear fruit—fruit that will last—and so that whatever you ask in my name the Father will give you. This is my command: Love each other.*

## **"LORD, I AM GOING NO FURTHER THAN BIRMINGHAM"**

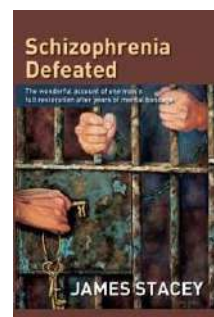
### **Chapter 6 of "Schizophrenia Defeated"**

*Within a year, I was beginning to notice a vast improvement in my condition through working at Sheffield. Philip, now 16, was pressing me to take him on holiday to Majorca in the summer of 1987. I couldn't really afford it without taking out a £300 loan from Girobank, but I felt it was right for us to make the trip.*

*A few weeks before going, I decided to reduce the frequency of taking injections. It would be no use being on holiday and unable to join him in doing things. Injections sometimes made me feel tired and I didn't want to spoil the break for him by sleeping half the time.*

*I was pleasantly surprised that the staggering of the injections from every fortnight to three weeks, and then to a month, in the weeks leading up to going did not have an adverse effect. I was thrilled I had the energy to do things in his company. The excitement of driving him on a scooter around the island was a great experience, to say nothing of beating him at tennis!*

*Returning from the holiday feeling greatly strengthened, I decided to try again with Christian Friendship Fellowship. Pam had lovingly and wisely told me the night before she passed away that I ought to marry again for my sake and for the children's.*



*Tina and James in love  
with each other*



*Tina's father and stepmother, with James:  
Their faithful, unfailing prayers helped me through  
to freedom and sustained Tina in her amazing  
ministry of the love of Jesus Christ to me.*

*Perhaps now was the right time after six years to make another overture. In a short but pointed prayer, I told God one day about the decision, saying, "I'll try again Lord, but I'm going no further than Birmingham." God certainly heard my cry. For it was from Birmingham that He was going to provide help with a deliverance ministry on the pathway to freedom and healing.*

*I selected Tina's name from an old list which stated her interest in meeting someone with a "regular prayer life". She later told me that during her days of leading the dating agency's group in the Halesowen area of the West Midlands she had met many males who, though interested in a relationship, seemed to lack that requirement. Her few clearly stated lines were meant to ward off anyone less dedicated than that!*

*The details which appeared on the quarterly handout captured my attention. They said something to the effect: "Christina Winterburn, d.o.b. 1944, born-again Christian, interested in friendship, companionship, possibly marriage, likes cooking, travel, embroidery, Bible study. Requirements: someone with a regular prayer life."*

*She had relinquished the job of leader of the Halesowen group as she was being swamped by many "agony aunt" calls from women desperate to find someone. She had cancelled her membership altogether and was just another name among many that I had kept from previous years of handouts. She was surprised to receive a call from someone desiring a meeting.*

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**A PRAYER OF HOPE FOR THOSE SUFFERING WITH SCHIZOPHRENIA:** "Lord God Almighty, will you hear my prayer and make the sacrifice of your Son, Jesus Christ real to me. Wipe away my sins that were atoned for on the Cross of Calvary by Jesus in order that I might not have to die eternally. I believe that Jesus took all my sins and my sorrows and made them His very own and after three days He rose again from the dead and now makes intercession for me. By the power of His shed blood, I believe I am now set free and opened up to all the resources of His grace and power. I am looking forward to the day – why not today – when the evil bondage of schizophrenia surrounding my mind is totally defeated. I ask You, Heavenly Father, to help me drive out the dark, spiritual presence by the light and power of your conquering Holy Spirit's presence. I want to know the reality of the promise Jesus made that whoever follows him will not walk in darkness but will have the Light of Life. Make it happen for me, as I pray in the Mighty Name of Jesus, Amen."

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**GOOD NEWS!**

THE GOOD NEWS IS THAT THE LORD JESUS CHRIST IS GOING TO RETURN TO EARTH TO SET UP HIS OWN KINGDOM AND WILL REIGN WITH RIGHTEOUSNESS AND JUSTICE!

GOD WANTS US TO BE READY FOR HIS COMING AND YOU CAN BE PART OF THAT KINGDOM WHEN YOU ASK JESUS CHRIST, GOD'S ETERNAL SON, TO FORGIVE YOU OF YOUR SIN, WHICH IS PRIDE AND REBELLION AGAINST GOD.

ACKNOWLEDGE HIM AS YOUR SAVIOUR AND LORD. THE DAY YOU ACCEPT HIM INTO YOUR LIFE HE GIVES THE FREE GIFT OF ETERNAL LIFE AND HIS EVERLASTING PEACE!

WHAT NEXT? BUY A BIBLE FROM ANY BOOKSTORE AND SEARCH THE TRUTH FOR YOURSELF. THE BIBLE IS GOD'S WORD FOR US!

**DON'T DELAY!  
GO FOR IT!**

## WHAT IS HAPPENING IN THE WORLD AT PRESENT?

1. Violence and knife crime is on the increase, particularly in the west.
2. Family breakdown. Civil, ethnic and political unrest.
3. Deception - growing confusion, regarding beliefs and gender identity.
4. Growing belief in Universalism - all religions lead to God and no-one has the monopoly of TRUTH. A move to a one world religion.
5. People are sold into the lie of not giving offence to others, rather than upholding what they believe as truth, hence the rise of Political Correctness.
6. A move towards a One World government. The emergence of 'Deep State' with powerful secret societies, such as 'The Illuminati', manoeuvring across the world stage. Leaders in some secret societies dictate to country leaders who to put in power. Globalism is being promoted - through the irradiation of country borders and nationhood.



7. Federal Reserve. This is a private bank and is not monitored. These bankers want to help control the world and the finance system. They originally took gold from the Americas into the Federal Reserve for safe keeping but never returned it.
8. Famines and unprecedented migration. Earthquakes - more in the 20th century than in the previous 19 centuries. Many wars across every continent with thousands of innocent people and children killed.
9. Climate change involvement is becoming completely dominant in people's hearts and minds. Some theological students in New York are confessing their sins to plants! A generation is emerging that is worshipping creation rather than God the creator!

## WHAT DOES JESUS CHRIST, GOD'S SON, HAVE TO SAY ABOUT ALL THIS? QUITE A LOT!

Jesus Christ's first coming was prophesied around 137 times in the Old Testament of the Bible hundreds of years before He was born in Bethlehem. There are over 200 prophecies regarding His Second Coming in both the Old and New Testaments.

Jesus lived for around 33 years, was then falsely accused and suffered by dying on the Cross outside Jerusalem around 2,000 years ago. There He died for you and me and God's anger for our sin was placed on Him. After Jesus died, He was placed in a tomb and three days later came back to life. He went back to heaven but promised to return to earth to take those who love Him to be with Him forever.

Jesus said in Matthew's gospel, Chapter 24, that the following would take place before He returns to the earth:-

1. False Christs and false prophets will appear.
2. Wars and rumours of wars.
3. Famines and earthquakes which will be like the beginning of labour pains.
4. Those who are followers of Jesus Christ will be hated and even put to death.

5. An increase in wickedness across the earth.
6. Many will turn away from the truth and betray each other.
7. Great distress - unequalled from the beginning of the world until now - will occur. Jesus, speaking of Himself, said, "the sun will be darkened, the moon will not give its light; the stars will fall from the sky, and the heavenly bodies will be shaken." At that time the sign of the Son of Man will appear in the sky, and all the nations of the earth will mourn because of Him. They will see the Son of Man coming on the clouds of the sky, with power and great glory. And he will send his angels with a loud trumpet call, and they will gather his elect from the four winds, from one end of the heavens to the other." (Matthew's gospel, Chapter 24:29-30). Why did they mourn? Because they were not prepared for His Coming!
8. Jesus warned His disciples to "keep watch" and to be aware of the times in which we live. He said: "No-one knows about that day or hour, not even the angels in heaven, nor the Son but only the Father. As it was in the days of Noah, so it will be at the coming of the Son of Man." What was characteristic of those days? Violence and wickedness was rife and present in everyone's mind was only evil all the time.

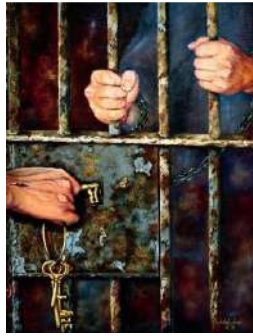


See below in the pictures **BEFORE AND AFTER** deliverance and healing, the visible difference made by the power of the Holy Spirit on my great day of freedom in May 1990.



**BEFORE DELIVERANCE AND HEALING**

showing the "gates of brass and bars of iron" around my mind requiring the power of Jesus to shatter once and for all.



**THE GATES OF HELL SHALL NOT PREVAIL**

by Rebekah Laue of Pagosa Springs, Colorado, U.S.A.



**AFTER DELIVERANCE AND HEALING**

picture taken at 6.15 a.m. at Derby Railway Station five days after Jesus set me free, on my way to show Tina "her new man"

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**PROCLAMATION FOR GOD'S PROTECTION by Derek Prince**

**NO WEAPON** that is formed against me shall prosper and every tongue which rises against me in judgement I do condemn. This is my heritage as a servant of the Lord and my righteousness is from You, O Lord of Hosts. If there are those who have been speaking or praying against me, or seeking harm or evil to me, or who have rejected me, I forgive them. Having forgiven them, I bless them in the name of the Lord." \*

**NOW I DECLARE**, O Lord, that You and You alone are my God, and besides You there is no other – a just God and a Saviour, the Father, the Son and the Spirit – and I worship You!

**I SUBMIT** myself afresh to You in unreserved obedience. Having submitted to You, Lord, I do as Your Word directs. I resist the devil: all his pressures, his attacks, his deceptions, every instrument or agent he would seek to use against me. I do not submit! I resist him, drive him from me and exclude him from me in the Name of Jesus. Specifically I reject and repel: infirmity, pain, infection, inflammation, malignancies, allergies, viruses, and every form of witchcraft.

**FINALLY, LORD**, I thank You that through the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross, I have passed out from under the curse and entered into the blessing of Abraham whom You blessed in all things:\*\* exaltation, health, reproductiveness, prosperity, victory and God's favour. AMEN

\*see Matthew 5: 43-45; Romans 12:14

\*\*see Galatians 3:13-14; Genesis 24:1

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We are continuing to insert in the Weekly Encourager some powerful Scriptures to read, memorise and meditate on for USE in your prayer battle to drive out the demon of schizophrenia. By so doing your confidence in the LORD JESUS CHRIST will grow because the words will impart "spirit and life" into your spirit, and so equip you in your fight for freedom to know the deliverance and healing of JESUS CHRIST.

I delight greatly in the LORD; my soul rejoices in my God. For he has clothed me with garments of salvation and arrayed me in a robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom adorns his head like a priest, and as a bride adorns herself with her jewels. Isaiah 61: 10

Jesus answered, "Everyone who drinks this water will be thirsty again, but whoever drinks the water I give him will never thirst. Indeed, the water I give him will become in him a spring of water welling up to eternal life." John 4: 13-14

May the God of peace, who through the blood of the eternal covenant brought back from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great Shepherd of the sheep, equip you with everything good for doing his will, and may he work in us what is pleasing to him, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen.

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You may be reading the Weekly Encourager for the first time and have stumbled across our website in a desperate search to break free of schizophrenia. Or every week you visit W.E. for encouragement and help to overcome this “monster” of mental illnesses and have been given REAL HOPE that the Lord Jesus is the only One to open the prison door to freedom in your life once and for all time. We encourage you to keep logging into the site as often as you can for scriptural advice as we continue to point to Jesus who is well-trying and tested in the area of setting captives free from a bondage that no-one else can conquer. Our website [www.schizophreniadefeated.com](http://www.schizophreniadefeated.com) seeks to magnify the dear Son of God who left the courts of heaven to come to our world and die for you and me on the Cross at a place called Calvary just outside Jerusalem over 2,000 years ago. In that sacrifice, he paid the punishment and penalty of your sin and mine and on the third day rose again as “The Resurrection and the Life”. He releases TODAY into your life and to anyone accepting his sacrifice, the same victorious life that brought him back from the dead, in the person of the Holy Spirit. Why not invite him into your life right now? It’s a life-transforming experience that you CAN REALLY KNOW – which is well able to defeat and conquer the hell of schizophrenia you struggle with, for good!



*"I will proclaim your mighty acts, O sovereign Lord" Psalm 71: 16*

*James Stacey, Pray Until Schizophrenia Heals*