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You may have heard of Queen Jezebel, but not all of us have heard of something known as a Jezebel spirit. Jezebel, the wicked queen, and wife to the evil King Ahab had a reputation for murder, iniquity, and sexual promiscuity. She not only served as a thorn in the side of the prophet Elijah, but she also led Israel astray in their foreign worship of idols (1 Kings 18). Jezebel took the throne with King Ahab during a time of political uncertainty in Israel. She wanted to marry Ahab, king of Israel. Largely because of her influence in seeking to combine the worship of Yahweh with the worship of Baal so thus we need to understand that this spirit is also connected to religion. Note also that she "calls herself a prophetess"

She slaughtered the Lord's prophets (1 Kings 18:4), wrongfully killed a man to take possession of his vineyard (1 Kings 21:1-22:53), threatened to kill the prophet Elijah (1 Kings 19), and murdered anyone who protested her introduction of Baal worship into the kingdom.

Jezebel meets a grisly end by being thrown from a window and trampled by horses (2 Kings 9:30-37), but not before she ruined many lives. The same seems to apply to the Jezebel spirit, that it wreaks destruction in anyone who winds up in its path.

This Jezebel spirit has been responsible for not only tearing down churches, pastors, and different ministries, but it has also been responsible for breaking up many marriages, friendships, companies, along with getting many people to commit cold-blooded murders and suicides.

Some people have called this a "master" type spirit. Not that it is a master spirit in the sense of being like God, but that it is much more intelligent and cunning than a lot of the other demons are. It keeps playing the same types of games every time it moves in on a person or a situation. If this spirit is not properly exposed and dealt with within a reasonable length of time, it can totally destroy and completely bring down a marriage, church, ministry, company, or an individual's life. The Jezebel spirit, since it is much more intelligent than some of the lower ranking demons will be, is very good at playing head games with people. It is a total control freak, and it is also very good at manipulation and getting people to do its evil bidding. This evil spirit loves to break up good and godly relationships and leading many into moral compromise.

"But I have this against you, that you tolerate that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophetess and is teaching and seducing my servants to practice sexual immorality and to eat food sacrificed to idols. I gave her time to repent, but she refuses to repent of her sexual immorality. Behold, I will throw her onto a sickbed, and those who commit adultery with her I will throw into great tribulation, unless they repent of her works, and I will strike her children dead. And all the churches will know that I am he who searches mind and heart, and I will give to each of you as your works deserve" (Rev. 2:20-23).

Note well: those whom Jesus calls "my servants" are guilty of "sexual immorality" and eating "food sacrificed to idols." I want to suggest that she possibly (probably?) came in through this alleged "prophetic" ability that Jezebel gained power and authority in the church at Thyatira and influenced a number of Christians there. It's not difficult to see how this could (and does) occur. [By the way, a man can display the characteristics of "Jezebel" no less than a woman. This is one sin that is by no means gender specific.]

I created this prayer journal because I would like you to be aware of this spirit in your own life and those of your family members.

The weapons that we fight with are not human weapons but the mighty weapons of God. It is only by using and applying His weapons that we are able to identify and overcome this spirit.

This is a seven day cycle prayer journal that you can use to work through and apply in your own life.

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Day 1 The Jezebel spirit

Ephesians 6:12

For our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against the rulers, against the authorities, against the powers of this dark world and against the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly realms.

A lot of us are familiar with spiritual warfare because of our religious background in the churches but for a moment I want you to FOCUS.

A lot of things that happens in our lives we see as an attack from the enemy and this is true BUT we have to STOP for a while and think clearly as to WHY this attack?

Ephesians 6 states that our fight is not against flesh and blood but against the principalities of the dark. I have come to the realisation that we are naïve a lot times and we are not choosing our battles with the WISDOM of God.

The wisdom of God starts with the fear of God. Do you hear this? FEAR!

In the times we are living in we are confronted with fear each and every day and I want you to see that there is "a true fear" and a "false fear".

Stick with me for a moment....

In the Bible we read of many instances where the Israelites, kings and prophets were confronted with this choice..."true fear" versus "false fear".

1 Cor 2:14

The person without the Spirit does not accept the things that come from the Spirit of God but considers them foolishness, and cannot understand them because they are discerned only through the Spirit.

Having the wisdom and seven fold Spirit of Yahweh (God) is the only answer as to discern between truth and false.

Rev 12:10

And I heard a loud voice in heaven, saying, "Now the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Christ have come, for the accuser of our brothers has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God.

Who is this accuser? Yes indeed Satan himself and the demonic forces working together with him to steel our focus daily.

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I have also thought so but listen to what the Word says in Revelation 2

Revelation 2:19

I know your deeds, your love and faith, your service and perseverance, and that you are now doing more than you did at first. Nevertheless, I have this against you: You tolerate that woman Jezebel, who calls herself a prophet. By her teaching she misleads my servants into sexual immorality and the eating of food sacrificed to idols.

Read it again...

This spirit called Jezebel is still at work even in the times we are living in currently.

Sexual immorality is not just a physical thing but definitely a spiritual thing as well.

The spirit of Jezebel brings falseness in any way possible. This I have learned to be the most prominent characteristic of this spirit. To be false or to bear a false witness is a great sin in the Body of Yeshua. This has been going on for far too long and we need to take a stand. Once we know the truth it will set us free and we can go on to live a life of prosperity and grow into the fullness of who Abba created us to be.

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The spirit of Jezebel comes from a place of wounds. It therefor needs to exalt itself to feel worthy. It also needs to dominate to feel in control. No wonder that Satan works through this spirit in many ways to defile the Bride as he himself needs to exalt himself and be in control through lies and manipulating.

Satan himself knows that we will never allow him into our hearts and lives, therefor he disguises himself as "a bit off from the truth". The moment we believe something that's a "little bit" from the truth we fall right into this spirits lies and manipulation.

I only realized this in the last month or so but I can tell you from experience that we need to be awake in our spirit to discern.

James 1:6

But when you ask, you must believe and not doubt, because the one who doubts is like a wave of the sea, blown and tossed by the wind.

This is why we are being tossed by the wind. We lack faith (Emunah). It's the work of this spirit to bring in a "false fear" because if you only feared your Elohim you will not fear anything else.

A false sense of fear brings impurity, and what is impurity other than committing adultery. I know this sounds harsh but think about this for a moment...

Read Revelations 2: 19 again...

We can be busy with all kind of good deeds but if its not interwoven in our **Emunah (faith)** that is unshakable we are confronted by Jezebel that wants us to hold unto a "false fear" that prophecies lies.

When our faith is not connected to our deeds then we are bringing forth mixed water from a stream that does not come from the Living water (word).



Day 2 The Jezebel spirit

Peace verses turmoil.

One of the most devastating characteristic of this spirit is the fact that it wants to steal you peace.

If we don't have peace in our lives and in our hearts this is the first sign that something is not as it should be.

Remember what the Word says. Our fight is not against flesh and blood but against the rules and principalities of the dark (Eph 6).

Math 26:41

"Watch and pray so that you will not fall into temptation. The spirit is willing, but the flesh is weak."

When they had asked Jesus to teach them to pray, one of the petitions He had taught them was, "Lead us not into temptation." Here again He was emphasizing the importance of praying away temptation before it lands—that either we might avoid it altogether, or we might have a better chance of resisting it when it comes to us. If we see a trap for what it is, we are less likely to stumble into it. If we are earnestly praying for God's will in our lives, then we are more unlikely to willfully disobey what He clearly wants for us.

CONSIDER:

- How often do you sincerely and fervently pray that you will not enter into temptation? How would it affect you if you did it more?
 - How well do you know the depths of your own heart? Ask the Lord to show you.

Proverbs 3:5

Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding.

Our own way of understanding is so far from His ways. Its only through His Ruach that we will be able to discern and know the truth.

The truth sets us free and with this freedom comes peace. This however is not always easy. It's a proses of digging deep and allowing Abba to reveal what is hidden.

A false sense of peace is also something we need to look at.

1 Tes 5:3

While people are saying, "Peace and safety," destruction will come on them suddenly, as labor pains on a pregnant woman, and they will not escape. But you, brothers and sisters, are not in darkness so that this day should surprise you like a thief. 5 You are all children of the light and children of the day. We do not belong to the night or to the darkness. 6 So then, let us not be like others, who are asleep, but let us be awake and sober.

This morning I posted scripture from Isaiah 54. This scripture is so powerful. It talks to Zion (Gods chosen people) and it speaks about a barren woman. Some of us feel barren. We feel empty and without purpose even though we love Yeshua and live a life of good deeds.

This however is not how Abba wants us to live. He wants us to have a life willed with peace and joy. Verse 2 says: Enlarge the place of your tent, stretch your tent curtains wide, do not hold back;

lengthen your cords, strengthen your stakes.

Verse 6: The Lord will call you back as if you were a wife deserted and distressed in spirit— a wife who married young, only to be rejected," says your God.

Do you hear this...DESERTED AND DISTRESSED IN SPIRIT. What does this mean?

Remember Joshua and Caleb could enter the land because it states that they had a DIFFERENT SPIRIT. The other 10 spies operated in a spirit of fear (no peace) and this is none other than the Jezebel spirit that overtook them at a time just before they had to enter into the promised land.

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n Isajah 54 it says the Yahweh will call you back. Do you hear that call? It's a call to let go of this thing (Spirit) that's holding you back.

Elijah also fell into her lies and also experienced a loss of peace in Yahweh when she uttered lies to Him to kill and destroy him. After a great victory he fell into her deception. Have you experienced this? After a great victory in your life something happened that stole your peace and you fell into depression. KNOW THE TRUTH MY DEAR FELLOW BELIEVER.

Yeshua said:

John 14: 27

Peace I leave with you; my peace I give you. I do not give to you as the world gives. Do not let your hearts be troubled and do not be afraid. 28 "You heard me say, 'I am going away and I am coming back to you.'

After Elijah fled he was comforted by Yahweh. He was fed with bread and water to help him on his 40 day journey to the mountan. 1 Kings 19:17

He was given a task to go back and anoint Jehu. Jehu was the man who eventually killed Jezebel.

1 Kings 19:15

The Lord said to him, "Go back the way you came, and go to the Desert of Damascus. When you get there, anoint Hazael king over Aram. 16 Also, anoint Jehu son of Nimshi king over Israel.

In Revelations we also read of the coming of the Spirit of Elijah. Elijah will prophecy on the streets and a remnant will leave this woman of Babylon and will not partake in her lies and deception.

An Elijah generation....who knows the TRUTH will expose her lies to the remnant, but only a few will listen. An Elijah generation who is anointed to anoint people in His Kingdom to stand in war against this spirit of Jezebel that entraps and kept His people in bondage for way to long.

You are this person my dear friend. Stand firm in your faith and put on your armour of war

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Wise counsel

Over the last week or so I found it very difficult to keep a clear focus when I'm surrounded by people who do not believe as I do or who speaks negatively.

This has been such a challenge personally as we tend to listen to people and then doubt starts to set in.

I was reminded this morning of Daniel and his 3 friends. After being taken into captivity by king Nebuchadnezzar. Despite the fact that the Northern house of Israel (10 tribes) were taken into captivity because of their disobedience unto Yahweh there were still people in Israel who believed in God and would not bow their knee to Baal and other idols.

Proverbs 11:14

Where there is no guidance, a people falls, but in an abundance of counsellors there is safety.

Proverbs 22:15

Without counsel plans fail, but with many advisers they succeed.

Proverbs 24:6

For by wise guidance you can wage your war, and in abundance of counsellors there is victory.

Ps 1:1-6

Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither.

I had to stop for a moment and ask myself the following question...Who is your counsel/counsellors? Upon asking this question, I must be honest with you, I had no answer as to how many of them are truly filled with Abbas wisdom.

You see there are so many people in our lives that wants to give instructions and share "wisdom" but if it is not GOOD FRUIT why do we eat from it? It then goes on to cloud our judgements and makes us doubt what Father has said from the beginning.

James 1:5

If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask God, who gives generously to all without reproach, and it will be given him.

If Abba says that He gives wisdom without reproach, why then second guess yourself after you had a dream, vision, Word and so forth.

We need to stand on what Abba has placed in our hearts and endure to the end.

We operate out of a spirit of an orphan. We need people to encourage us, uplift us, guide us and this is the OPEN DOOR I believe this spirit of Jezebel steals your joy and peace.

James 1:19

Know this, my beloved brothers: let every person be quick to hear.

We need to be like Daniel who went to his inner room and shut the door and listened to the Father. He was considered wise and never asked others for instructions except from Abba.

Abba has brought us all to that place now, a place of deeper understanding that can only be given by Him.

When on your way to work, cooking, daily activities or in your quiet time put your earphones on and listen to your audio Bible and receive revelation from the Word.

Then my dear friend we will know whether the words spoken by people close to us are truly in alignment with Abbas plans.

Choose your friends carefully and always have a good answer to give that is seasoned with salt (Truth).

Be slow to answer and do so prayerfully before you do because our words carry our character in Yeshua.

Day 6 The Jezebel spirit

We perish because of Lack of Discipline

In Part 4 Charmaine mentions that one of the traits of the Jezebel spirit is lack of discipline, when I read that, the Holy Spirit began to speak to me because if I must be honest this is an area that I struggle with and it is an area that I tend to break myself down alot. Lack of discipline is something that we do not like to admit that we struggle with because we all want to believe that we are very disciplined in every area of our lives and that we have everything under control.

What we don't realise is that lack of discipline opens many doors for the enemy to come into our lives and cause havoc.

Let's look at a couple of examples and I think there might be a few ladies that will resonate with this one, me being one of them.

The infamous "I need to lose weight, I need to start exercising, I WILL START ON MONDAY" Monday comes and Monday goes and when we look again it is Friday and we start all over again and before we know it one year has passed and we are still trying to start on Monday. The problem with not taking action once and for all by actually starting on Monday or whichever day you feel necessary is that the voices of condemnation begin to set in like "I am such a failure" "I cant do anything" "I look terrible" "I am never going to lose weight" "I am such a bad example to my children" "Why am I so weak?" and the thoughts rage on in our minds which we are trying to take captive but a whole different scenario is playing out. Family and friends don't take you seriously anymore because they have heard the same story over and over again so when you say I am going to start getting healthy from Monday, they look at you with rolling eyes or they even laugh which makes you angry but how can you get angry when deep down inside you know why they don't believe you anymore.

Not being on time is also a sign of lack of discipline, eventually friends and family will label you by saying "She is probably going to be late again" "Why bother even giving her a time if she is always late" People begin to lose trust in you, your children feel disappointed because you are never on time for a sports event or when they have something important going on, you are also not setting a good example for your children. Not being on time can cost you the perfect job opportunity because you are late for the interview. If you are late with a valid reason then it is ok but when you are late because it is just a bad habit then it becomes an issue that needs to be dealt with. People might stop inviting you or stop asking you for a favour because they cant rely on someone that is not punctual. If you want to be known as someone that is reliable then you need to be on time.

Or let's say you keep being taken advantage of by a specific person and then you say " that is it, I am not going to help them again" but then when they call for help, you are the first one to say yes. What ends up happening is frustration, hopelessness, anger, resentment ect begins to take over and there is no one to blame but yourself. It is Ok to say No without having to feel like you are a bad person. Let your Yes be your Yes and your No be your No. Not being disciplined enough to leave a toxic relationship or friendship will eventually destroy you, there is a very good saying " You can take a horse to the water but you cant make them drink". You can give all the advise in the world to a person that is in need but if they do not start being disciplined enough in their own life to make the changes then all that will start happening is that they will drown you. I am not saying that we must not help people and go the extra mile but sometimes we walk a couple of miles and the person still does not change. Pray for them and give it over to the Lord, He is the only one that can change any situation around.

Another example of lack of discipline is not being true to your word, when you don't do what you say you are going to do. People will begin to lose trust in you, rather be honest when you cant do something instead of saying you can do it and then cancelling last minute. I know sometimes things will be out of your control but once again if this becomes a recurring habit then it needs to be addressed. How many times have people sent out a prayer request and then we are very quick to say "Yes, of course I will pray for you" and then we don't. They might not know that you have not kept your word but the Lord sure does. Abba spoke to me about this and now I really try to make a point of it that if someone asks for prayer to pray immediately because I know how busy the day can get and then I will forget which means I have not kept my word which means I lied which is not honouring to Abba.

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We live in a society who is drowning in debt because they are not disciplined with their finances, we buy things we don't need with money that we don't have, we take out loans, get credit cards and max out those credit cards buying things that we can do without and then we cry and pray to Yahweh to deliver us from this bondage that is destroying our lives. Sometimes He will be merciful enough to help and other times we will reap the fruit of the seeds we have sown. Lack of wisdom and discipline with your finances will lead you down a very destructive path. When you pick up something to buy it, no matter how big or how small, ask yourself "Do I really need this right now or can I rather take this R50 and pay it towards my loan, or pray and ask the Lord how can you multiply the R50" Debt caused by lack of discipline and wisdom will only lead to hopelessness, stress, anxiety, depression and even suicide. Debt ruins families, it ruins businesses, it ruins marriages, it ruins friendships but you have to ask yourself what is the root cause of the situation that you are in and I truly believe it starts with lack of discipline and wisdom. The Lord has blessed me with wisdom to invest some of my money into platforms that are giving me excellent returns but something I found very disturbing is that when I speak to people about the platforms to start building a nest egg for their families, they shut me down but when I look again they have spent R500 on a pair of shoes. This is lack of wisdom, I am still learning and growing but I am so grateful that the Lord is opening my eyes.

Another discipline that is lacking in most Christians is the discipline of spending quality and quantity time with Yahweh each day. I see this picture of Yeshua so super excited, waiting for us to wake up so that He can spend time with us, so that He can tell us what is on His heart but then He is disappointed when we wake up and our focus is on everything else but Him for that day, we wake up late or go to bed late so we try to squeeze in 5 to 10 minutes reading the bible and praying and then we just rush away without giving the Lord time to speak and then we think we have done the Lord a favour by giving Him 10 minutes.

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Please don't get me wrong, it is not that spending 10 minutes with Yahweh is wrong but how can we only give the Lord 10 minutes but give the television 4 hours watching series after series or movie after movie. Quiet time and prayer needs to become a lifestyle, a part of us, we should be more excited to spend time with the Lord than what is happening in the next episode of Days of our lives or Bold and the Beautiful. I don't know about you but guilt begins to consume me when I don't set time aside to spend quality time with the Lord. I just feel like I am letting Him down. This is not the way the Lord wants us to feel, guilt and condemnation is not from Him. The beautiful thing about spending time with Abba is it renews our minds and refreshes our souls and it builds our relationship with our King.

Spending consistent, quality time with God is where it all begins.

Besides the physical aspect, we need to realise that there is a demonic spirit operating behind lack of discipline and we have been given the power to rebuke this spirit but you cant just rebuke, you need to make the decision to no longer live an undisciplined life, to change your mindset, to make the changes NOW and not on Monday.

The Lord is more concerned about our characters than our comfortability, when we cancel last minute or we are not on time or we don't discipline our children or we don't spend enough time with the Lord it might make our lives more comfortable but what does it say about our character?

You know what they say, Rome was not built in one day so the most important thing is to make one small change at a time but consistency is key, set your alarm for 10 minutes earlier than usual, leave your house half and hour before you need to meet someone, let your no be your no and your yes be your yes, put up a time schedule and try to stick to that schedule as much as possible. The book of Proverbs is an awesome place to start reading on wisdom and discipline. Put up sticky notes in your house or at the office with verses or inspirational quotes to remind you daily about living a disciplined life.

You will begin to reap the good fruit of the seeds that you begin to sow. Ask the Lord, which area of your life needs to be addressed so that you can begin to walk a blessed, disciplined, fruitful life.

I pray this has blessed you

Proverbs 10:17 - Whoever heeds discipline shows the way to life, but whoever ignores correction leads others astray.

Proverbs 13:24 - Whoever spares the rod hates their children, but the one who loves their children is careful to discipline them

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Job 5:17-18 - "Blessed is the one whom God corrects; so do not despise the discipline of the Almighty. 18 For he wounds, but he also binds up; he injures, but his hands also heal. Psalm 94:12-14 - Blessed is the one you discipline, LORD, the one you teach from your law; 13 you grant them relief from days of trouble, till a pit is dug for the wicked. 14 For the LORD will not reject his people; he will never forsake his inheritance.

Hebrews 12:11 - For the moment all discipline seems painful rather than pleasant, but later it yields the peaceful fruit of righteousness to those who have been trained by it.

Proverbs 25:28 - A man without self-control is like a city broken into and left without walls.

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Too busy

The subject that I want share on today I believe is very important to understand.

This morning I woke up from a dream and I'd like to share it with you.

I was at work and life was very busy as usual. I was standing on a field and looking around at everything talking and children running around. A very busy scene. I then closed my eyes.

When I opened my eyes I was in a second scene where I was in a room where a lady said that a this is a room of hiding and she showed me how to cover the window with a second layer of blue cloth for protection against the flash of the lightning storm that's on its way.

In the third scene I was walking along the shoreline with Abba walking next to me. He held me very tight under a warm coat that was big enough for me and Him to walk under. He asked me... Where do you want to go? I replied with the words: Somewhere quiet, please just somewhere quiet!

I was just overwhelmed by the peace I felt, there underneath His garment. The question this morning is: WHERE DO YOU WANT TO GO?

O, so many times I hear this. I'm so busy. I don't have time. I fell asleep. I can't seem to wake up earlier to do Bible study or pray.

Now my question is...Where do you want to go?

It's time to awake!!

Yes, I ask you also, true companion, help these women, who have labored side by side with me in the gospel together with Clement and the rest of my fellow workers, whose names are in the book of life. Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, rejoice. Let your reasonableness be known to everyone. The Lord is at hand; do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to Yahuweh. And the peace of Abba, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Yeshua. What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me-practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you. I know how to be brought low, and I know how to abound. In any and every circumstance, I have learned the secret of facing plenty and hunger, abundance and need. Not that I seek the gift, but I seek the fruit that increases to your credit. Philippians 4:3-7, 9, 12, 17 ESV

"Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price. Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread, and your labor for that which does not satisfy? Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good, and delight yourselves in rich food. Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David. "Seek Yahuweh while he may be found; call upon him while he is near; let the wicked forsake his way, and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to your Elohim, that he may have compassion on him, and to our God, for he will abundantly pardon. For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares Yahuweh.

"For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

Isaiah 55:1-3, 6-8, 10-11

Hear Bride of Yeshua! Hear and incline your ear. Why do you spend your time and money on things that has no worth! Listen to Yahuweh and incline your ear to Him and eat from the BREAD OF LIFE so that your soul may find rest and peace be your portion for ever more.

Don't listen to the lies of this Jezebel spirit that makes you passive and non-productive. You have SO MUCH TO GIVE UNTO YAHUWEH FLOCK!! YOU DON'T REALIZE WHAT HE HAS IN STORE FOR YOUR LIFE TO BLESS HIS PEOPLE.

ENOUGH IS ENOUGH!! AWAKE O DAUGHTERS OF ZION AND TAKE YOUR POSITION IN HIS KINGDOM. TAKE HIS YOKE UPON YOU AND LEARN FROM HIM SO THAT YOU MAY LIVE! SEEK HIM WHILE HE IS STILL TO BE FOUND. START TODAY!! Seek not only the gift but the fruit!!



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True fear versus false fear

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Thank you Abba that we can come to you just as we are and that we know You are our provider. Philippians 4:19. "And my God will supply all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus.

You are the One that protects us.

Psalm 23:1

1 The Lord is my shepherd, I lack nothing.

Abba we just want to say thank you that You have called us with a destiny and a purpose. Abba the enemy is trying to distract us from the purpose and the calling that You have for our lives.

Help us and guide us and open our spiritual eyes and ears so that we will hear and see what You want us to hear and see.

Ephesians 1:11

In whom also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestinated according to the purpose of him who worketh all things after the counsel of his own will.

2 Kings 6:17

Then Elisha prayed and said, "O Lord, I pray, open his eyes that he may see." And the Lord opened the servant's eyes and he saw; and behold, the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha.

Isaiah 35: 5

Then the eyes of the blind will be opened And the ears of the deaf will be unstopped.

Father we just desperately need to be set free from the bondages and the chains that has been keeping us in a certain area. Abba we need Your help and revelation. We desperately need your deliverance.

Psalm 107:6

Then they cried to the Lord in their trouble, and he delivered them from their distress. Psalm 34:4

I sought the Lord, and he answered me and delivered me from all my fears.

We repent of fear that we kept in our hearts for so long. We want to ask that Your Ruach will reveal to us where the fear has a root and that You will uproot this tree and replace it with Your seed and that Your seed will grow and bear much fruit in our lives.

Psalm 43:7

The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear him, and he delivers them. 8 Taste and see that the Lord is good; blessed is the one who takes refuge in him. 9 Fear the Lord, you his holy people, for those who fear him lack nothing

Abba You are like a roaring lion and we want to ask that You will roar over our lives. We pray Abba that Your voice will be louder than the voice of the enemy. We want to repent of pride where we are so prideful and we want to do our own thing. We repent of wanting to do our own thing and help us to fear You. Place a fear in our hearts for You.

Hosea 5:14

For I will be like a lion to Ephraim, and like a young lion to the house of Judah

Thank you Abba that You comfort us and call us Your children. Thank you that we will not die in the dungeons and that we will not lack bread.

Isaiah 51:14

They will not die in their dungeon, nor will they lack bread.

Jer 31:3

The Lord appeared from of old to me [Israel], saying, Yes, I have loved you with an everlasting love; therefore with loving-kindness have I drawn you and continued My faithfulness to you.

We ask Abba that You will give us our daily bread. Reveal to us what areas in our lives still needs repentance and where this spirit of Jezebel still lies dormant that You will reveal it and that we will be set free.

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Those who seek You will find you and we are seeking You desperately. Reveal to us what it is that You want us to do.

Jeremiah 29:13

You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.

Help us that our love will not grow cold. We ask You Abba for Your forgiveness where our love grows cold. Help us Abba to focus on You and help us to forget about the things of the world that's not important to Your heart.

Stir up a love in our hearts for You and Your kingdom and lead us to walk in the destiny You have planned for us.

We pray Abba for the same spirit of Joshua and Caleb who saw the giants and said even though there are giants the land is ours to take.

Numbers 14:24

But My servant Caleb, because he has a different spirit in him and has followed Me fully, I will bring into the land where he went, and his descendants shall inherit it.

Fill us with love, faith and truth. Help us to be set free form the lies that keeps our mind, health and our bodies in bondage. Reveal to us where we need to repent of things that's not from You.

Amen

Written by Charmaine Snyman

Day 2 of The Jezebel spirit

In part 2 I wrote about the presence of fear and how the spirit of Jezebel steals our peace. We all long for peace and a safe place to lay our head. This is our prayer this morning. We pray that we will submit ourselves therefore to You Yahweh and that we will resist the devil, and that he will flee from us.

James 4:7 ESV

We want to come before You and repent where we were fighting our battles in pride. We ask Your forgiveness. We want to pray that we will not fall into temptation but that You will deliver us.

We ask Father that just like Moses Father we will use what we have in our hand. We surrender what we have to You. We ask Father that You will help us to recognize what we do have and enlighten us to use it. We repent of unbelieve in our self because it's not about us but about what you can do through us. We pray that we will stand in the authority that You give us when we truly repent of our unbelieve in Your power.

The Lord said to him, (Moses) "What is that in your hand?" He said, "A staff. Exodus 4:2 ESV

We ask Abba that You will give us a spirit of love, power and a sound mind. for God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control. We repent of a spirit of pride where we fought battles for selfish reasons and we ask for Your forgiveness.

2 Timothy 1:7

We ask Abba that You will be our shield and lift our head to look unto You and Your mighty power to save. We repent of self and taking glory for ourselves.

But you, O Lord, are a shield about me, my glory, and the lifter of my head. Psalm 3:3 ESV We ask Abba that You will deliver us from the snare of the fowler and from deadly pestilence and cover us under Your wing. We pray and ask for Your faithfulness and that we will fear no evil or men's opinion. We ask that You will make us to dwell in Your dwelling place. Mount Zion where there is comfort and protection. We pray Abba that we will hold fast to Your love and let go of fear.

For He will deliver you from the snare of the fowler and from the deadly pestilence. He will cover you with his pinions, and under His wings you will find refuge; His faithfulness is a shield and buckler. You will not fear the terror of the night, nor the arrow that flies by day, nor the pestilence that stalks in darkness, nor the destruction that wastes at noonday. Because you have made the Lord your dwelling place— the Most High, who is my refuge— no evil shall be allowed to befall you, no plague come near your tent. You will tread on the lion and the adder; the young lion and the serpent you will trample underfoot. "Because he holds fast to me in love, I will deliver him; I will protect him, because he knows My name. YAHWEH Psalm 91:3-6, 9-10, 13-14 ESV

Abba Your hand is not too short that You cannot save us and Your ear is not dull that You do not hear us. Forgive us our unbelieve Abba. Reveal to us the sins that are hidden so that there will be no more separation between us and You. We pray that as we Shema that our families will see the change and that light will be restored unto them as well. Help us to see the faults in our own lives first before we judge. Forgive us where we did not trust You do be our shield and we repent of looking to men for a solution to our problems.

Behold, the Lord 's hand is not shortened, that it cannot save, or his ear dull, that it cannot hear; but your iniquities have made a separation between you and your God, and your sins have hidden his face from you so that he does not hear.

Isaiah 59:1-2 ESV

We pray that You Abba will protect our marriages, and our loved ones and families. Let our marriage be strong in You, by declaring Your words day and night. Forgive us where we have fought with a Jezebel spirit. Forgive us where we took the position to be a leader in our homes where we had to submit to our husbands and Father You are the only one who can change our husbands and children's hearts to return to You. Help us to change our way of operating by listening to Your voice. Help us to look at our own ways and change. We repent of pride.

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You shall teach them to your children, talking of them when you are sitting in your house, and when you are walking by the way, and when you lie down, and when you rise. You shall write them on the doorposts of your house and on your gates, that your days and the days of your children may be multiplied in the land that the Lord swore to your fathers to give them, as long as the heavens are above the earth. Deuteronomy 11:19-21 ESV)

We ask that we will be alert at all times to stand with the full armour that You give us against the evil plans of the enemy. We pray that You will take us out of the Babylonian system and reunite us with You on Your mountain. We repent of using man made weapons to fight our battles.

Then I heard another voice from heaven saying, "Come out of her, my people, lest you take part in her sins, lest you share in her plagues; for her sins are heaped high as heaven, and God has remembered her iniquities.

Revelation 18:4-5 ESV

For Your Word is sharper than a two edged sword and we ask that You will bring division between our soul and spirit so that our Spirit will align with Your Spirit to do and say what You want us to do and say. We ask Abba help us to Shema.

For the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing to the division of soul and of spirit, of joints and of marrow, and discerning the thoughts and intentions of the heart. Hebrews 4:12 ESV

Abba help us to fear only You. Help us to drink from Your fountain. We repent of fear of men and the world system.

In the fear of the Lord one has strong confidence, and his children will have a refuge. The fear of the Lord is a fountain of life, that one may turn away from the snares of death.

Proverbs 14:26-27 ESV

Father Your Ruach is everywhere. We ask desperately that Your Spirit leads us. Help us to live in the freedom you give us each day.

Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. 2 Corinthians

Father we desperately need to get rid of this Jezebel spirit that worked under cover for far too long. Dismantle the power this spirit had in our lives for far too long. Help us to stand in humidity and bear fruit that will last. Help us to seek Your kingdom first. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. Keep our eyes fixed on You and come and change our thought and emotions and let it be led by Your Word.

Write Your Word on our hearts, this is the New covenant in Yeshua. Help us to turn to You wholeheartedly. We know that in the last days the spirit of Elijah will return and we pray and ask Abba that you will encourage and raise us up to be the Elijah generation that will not tolerate this spirit of Jezebel that brings division and confusion. Expose the false teachings and idols in our lives and false doctrine that has been taught to us and raise us up to stand firm without fear to face this Jezebel spirit without fear. We pray that we will stand for truth and nothing less. Forgive us and write your Torah (Word) on our hearts and teach us through Your Ruach.

Amen

Written by Marie Calitz and Charmaine Snyman

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Isaiah 30:8-33, Isaiah 33:13-24 (Please read this at your own time)

Father today we want to focus on You and keep our eyes fixed on You and Your ways. Father Your Word says that the eyes of the blind shall open and see and therefore we ask Abba, that You will open our eyes so that we will see Your truth. We pray for deeper understanding and revelation to the truths on Your Word. We ask Abba that You will forgive our iniquities and be gracious unto us and unto our families. In Your Word you say that Your sheep knows You and follow Your voice (John 10:27). Abba open our ears to hear Your voice.

Abba Your Word is good, and truth. We pray Abba that we will use it as it is and not take anything away from it or add anything to it. We repent of where we took Your Word for selfish reasons and twisted it to suit our own need. We ask Father that You will reveal Your hidden truths and that Your Word will be a delight for us and that we will grow a love for Your instructions and we repent where we rejected Your Word. Break the strongholds and lies of this Jezebel spirit to conceal Your mysteries to us. We repent of listening to this spirits lies when it comes to Your Torah. Write it on our hearts and let us never forget Your Word. Let it be so for our generations to come, to know Your truth.

All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, that the man of God may be complete, equipped for every good work.

2 Timothy 3:16-17 ESV

My son, do not forget my teaching, but let your heart keep my commandments, for length of days and years of life and peace they will add to you. Let not steadfast love and faithfulness forsake you; bind them around your neck; write them on the tablet of your heart. So you will find favour and good success in the sight of God and man. Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make straight your paths.

Proverbs 3:1-6 ESV

We pray and ask that the meditation of our mind and the intentions of our hearts will be in line with Your will. If we ask anything Abba that it will be according to Your will and that we will find peace in knowing, You are in control.

And this is the confidence that we have toward him, that if we ask anything according to his will he hears us.

1 John 5:14 ESV

Abba we ask that we will choose to obey Your will and Your ways. Your Word is a fence that protects us and keeps us save and we repent of generations in our bloodline that have not been obedient to Your ways and fell into the deception of the enemy and this spirit of Jezebel. We ask desperately that You will teach us to walk wholeheartedly in Your commandments and keep us on the right path. Break the strongholds of deception Abba and bring us into covenant with You and a live of blessings.

"See, I am setting before you today a blessing and a curse: the blessing, if you obey the commandments of the Lord your God, which I command you today, and the curse, if you do not obey the commandments of the Lord your God, but turn aside from the way that I am commanding you today, to go after other gods that you have not known.

Deuteronomy 11:26-28 ESV

Abba help us not to be proud full and forgive us where we are proudly in our hearts, relationship and our faith. Uproot and consume this root of pride so that we will be able to hear Your voice and receive favour from You.

Toward the scorners he is scornful, but to the humble he gives favour.

Proverbs 3:34 ESV

Abba Hosea 2 says that we will no more call You Baal but that You will be to us like a husband to His wife. Abba help us to get rid of Baal in our lives. Teach us who You truly are. We repent of false doctrine and the false identity that we believed about who You are. We ask Abba that we will turn from these lies and run into Your arms. For You made us and You call us back to covenant relationship with You. Thank You for redeeming us. Help us to know who You truly are.

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For your Maker is your husband, the Lord of hosts is his name; and the Holy One of Israel is your Redeemer, the God of the whole earth he is called. For the Lord has called you like a wife deserted and grieved in spirit, like a wife of youth when she is cast off, says your God. For a brief moment I deserted you, but with great compassion I will gather you. In overflowing anger for a moment I hid my face from you, but with everlasting love I will have compassion on you," says the Lord, your Redeemer. "This is like the days of Noah to me: as I swore that the waters of Noah should no more go over the earth, so I have sworn that I will not be angry with you, and will not rebuke you. For the mountains may depart and the hills be removed, but my steadfast love shall not depart from you, and my covenant of peace shall not be removed," says the Lord, who has compassion on you.

Isaiah 54:5-10 ESV

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord , plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

Jeremiah 29:11 ESV

Abba we pray and sincerely ask that we will not listen to everything that sounds good to our ears. We pray and ask that we will not be a people who would have itching ears and only listen to teachers that will teach us after our own lusts. We repent of a live stile of doing this and we turn to Your truths and Your Word. We pray and ask Abba that You will give us friends with wise counsel who delight in Your law. We repent of putting our trust in men to teach us when Your Spirit lives in us. We repent of rejection Your knowledge (Hosea 4) and being stubborn (Hosea 4). Uproot the tree of Jezebel that we ate of and replace it with Your truth. Lead us on the ancient paths.

2 Tim 4:3

For the time will come when they will not endure the sound doctrine; but, having itching ears, will heap to themselves teachers after their own lusts;

The Lord is on my side; I will not fear. What can man do to me? It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in man. It is better to take refuge in the Lord than to trust in princes.

Psalm 118:6, 8-9 ESV

Blessed is the man who walks not in the counsel of the wicked, nor stands in the way of sinners, nor sits in the seat of scoffers; but his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on his law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water that yields its fruit in its season, and its leaf does not wither. In all that he does, he prospers.

Psalm 1:1-3 ESV

Abba You want us to be set free completely, and live life abundantly. Help us to abide in Your Word even if it means to stand alone. Help us to see the truth and be set free. Guide us to return upwards and restore us to whom You created us to be. Uproot all seed of Jezebel and burn away the lies and confusion this spirit sowed in our religion to distraught Your image. Reveal unto us who You are in our lives and bring us back to covenant with You our husband and creator.

So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, "If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free."

John 8:31-32 ESV

Abba help us not only to hear, but to do. Help us to change. Open our eyes and set us free from this Spirit of religion called Jezebel that sows so many seeds in our lives. Bring true revelation to our soul, mind, body and spirit. Bind up our wounds emotionally, spiritually and physically. If You set us free, we will be free indeed.

Amen

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Father Yahweh, this morning the prayer request and repentance we want to do goes so deep. We are all guilty of this. We have all fallen into this trap. A trap that the enemy placed in the church and so it has become part of our generations of old. Abba just like in the Wilderness when the Israelites build a Golden Calf, so we have done that as well.

We have forgotten our Elohim and worshiped an image of You, but knowing who You are and still am to us today, we have no idea.

We repent of the ideas and doctrine of man. We ask Abba that You will teach us who You truly are. We ask Father that we will be born of the Spirit (Your Ruach). Wash us with Your water (Word) and let us drink from Your fountain that brings life. We repent of our fleshly desires, big flashing lights, pastors we clung to, a feel good moment and we ask Father that we will seek You in our inner room, there where no one knows or sees.

Jesus answered, "Truly, truly, I say to you, unless one is born of water and the Spirit, he cannot enter the kingdom of God. That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit.

John 3:5-6 ESV

Father Yahweh, we now know that You do not want us to worship You as the world does and how the world worships their gods. Help us to know the difference and place a desire in us to seek for You and Your truths. That we will worship You in Spirit and truth. We desperately need Your Spirit of discernment and we don't want to be destroyed for a lack of knowledge as Your Word says. Please be gracious to us and break this stronghold of the Jezebel spirit where this spirit introduced false doctrine and our generations went after idolatry and turned from Your ancient paths.

But the hour is coming, and is now here, when the true worshipers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for the Father is seeking such people to worship him.

John 4:23 ESV

Yeshua You are the only way, the truth and the light. We want to enter through You. You have come to set us free and lead us back. You died because this was the only way a Bride could return to her Bridegroom because we received a divorce from You because of our adultery and idol worship. Thank You Abba that we have a way now to return to You.

Jesus said to him, "I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.

John 14:6 ESV

Abba we pray that we will be a first fruit of Your creation acceptable to You. Of his own will he brought us forth by the word of truth, that we should be a kind of first fruits of his creatures.

James 1:18 ESV

Yeshua so many times You warned us in Your Word that there will be wolves clothed in sheep's clothing. That They would be the false teachers and prophets of the last days. We know this, but help us to see with wisdom who they really are. Help us to discern and not trust every teacher, pastor and prophet who "sounds "wonderful, but help us to discern by teaching us Your truth and loosen and break the bondage of false and untrue religion in our lives and let us be the generation that turns from the strongholds of this Jezebel spirit and turn back to You. We repent of times we only honoured You with our lips but our hearts were far from You.

Look out for the dogs, look out for the evildoers, look out for those who mutilate the flesh. For we are the circumcision, who worship by the Spirit of God and glory in Christ Jesus and put no confidence in the flesh—

Philippians 3:2-3 ESV

You hypocrites! Well did Isaiah prophesy of you, when he said: "'This people honours me with their lips, but their heart is far from me; in vain do they worship me, teaching as doctrines the commandments of men.'"

Matthew 15:7-9 ESV

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take care that you be not enshared to follow them, after they have been destroyed before you, and that you do not inquire about their gods, saying, 'How did these nations serve their gods?—that I also may do the same.' You shall not worship the Lord your God in that way, for every abominable thing that the Lord hates they have done for their gods, for they even burn their sons and their daughters in the fire to their gods.

Deuteronomy 12:30-31 ESV

"Why do you call me 'Lord, Lord,' and not do what I tell you? Everyone who comes to me and hears my words and does them, I will show you what he is like: he is like a man building a house, who dug deep and laid the foundation on the rock. And when a flood arose, the stream broke against that house and could not shake it, because it had been well built. But the one who hears and does not do them is like a man who built a house on the ground without a foundation. When the stream broke against it, immediately it fell, and the ruin of that house was great."

Luke 6:46-49 ESV

Today Father we ask again that You put a fear for You in our hearts. We repent of rebellion. Your Word says that rebellion is the same as witchcraft in Your eyes. Forgive us of our rebellion against You. All the false doctrine that has been built on idols of old, we know Abba that You see it as days of old because You do not change. We want to say thank you that You are gracious to us to show us and reveal these false worship ideas and doctrine so that we will be healed physically, spiritually and emotionally.

If you will fear the Lord and serve him and obey his voice and not rebel against the commandment of the Lord, and if both you and the king who reigns over you will follow the Lord your God, it will be well. But if you will not obey the voice of the Lord, but rebel against the commandment of the Lord, then the hand of the Lord will be against you and your king.

1 Samuel 12:14-15 ESV

But they rebelled against me and were not willing to listen to me. None of them cast away the detestable things their eyes feasted on, nor did they forsake the idols of Egypt. "Then I said I would pour out my wrath upon them and spend my anger against them in the midst of the land of Egypt.

Ezekiel 20:8 ESV

If we listen and obey You, Your commandment and statutes, it will go well with us. We will eat the good of the land. We repent, Abba please forgive us and open our eyes.

If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land; but if you refuse and rebel, you shall be eaten by the sword; for the mouth of the Lord has spoken."

Isaiah 1:19-20 ESV

Your love endures forever and You Abba remove our sins as far as the East is from the West. You have drawn us with Your everlasting love and long to gather us under Your wing. The Northern house of Israel must return because that is what Your Word says. Abba we pray that we will return wholeheartedly to Your commandments, statutes and instructions and that we will teach our children to walk in these ways. We ask Abba for Your blessing, love and mercy on Our lives. We repent of rebellion Abba and we know You will forgive us if we honour You with our lives.

Amen

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Father for a very long time we have been operation through of a spirit of orphan hood because we did know the great I AM that You are. You are

- Jehovah Nissi The Lord my banner
- Jehovah Rahh The Lord my Shepard
- Jehovah Rapha The Lord my healer
- Jehovah Shemmah The Lord is here
- Jehovah Tsdkenu The Lord our righteousness
- Jehovah Jireh The Lord will supply
- Jehovah sabaoth The Lord of hosts
- Jehovah Shalom The Lord is my peace and so much more

When we cry out to You, You help us and deliver us out of our trouble. You are near the broken hearted and Abba we all know how it feels to have a broken heart. Abba we bring our brokenness to You and ask You to heal it and make us whole in You.

When the righteous cry for help, the Lord hears and delivers them out of all their troubles. The Lord is near to the broken-hearted and saves the crushed in spirit.

Psalm 34:17-18 ESV

This morning we need to forgive those who trespassed against us. Abba its not easy. We bring them before You and we ask Abba that You will break the strongholds between us and them. We pray and ask that You will help us to forgive them and show us what true forgiveness is. We ask that our heart will be sincere and that You will cleanse us of the sin of forgiveness. Uproot this forgiveness and replace it with Your mercy and grace. Help us to leave judgement to You and forgive us where we judged others that trespassed against us. Your mercies are new everyday.

Have mercy on me, O God, according to your steadfast love; according to your abundant mercy blot out my transgressions. Wash me thoroughly from my iniquity, and cleanse me from my sin! Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.

Psalm 51:1-2, 10 ESV

from the end of the earth I call to you when my heart is faint. Lead me to the rock that is higher than I, for you have been my refuge, a strong tower against the enemy.

Psalm 61:2-3 ESV

Yeshua thank You for Your love and mercy and salvation that You gave us. Thank You that You say that You came for the sick and the broken hearted. We ask that You will heal our hearts where bad council have hurt us deeply.

May all who seek you rejoice and be glad in you! May those who love your salvation say evermore, "God is great!"

Psalm 70:4 ESV

Keep our heart clean, my heart belong to You only...let it not incline to any evil. Forgive us where we listened to evil advice and where we partook in bad council. We repent of this. Do not let my heart incline to any evil, to busy myself with wicked deeds in company with men who work iniquity, and let me not eat of their delicacies!

Psalm 141:4 ESV

Abba lead us in Your will and ways. Keep our hand ever in Your righteous right hand. I set You ever before me on my right side, there I shall not be moved. If You are for me, who can be against me.

Teach me to do your will, for you are my God! Let your good Spirit lead me on level ground! Psalm 143:10 ESV

Father help us to ne righteous to the people we know. Help us not to go astray in our words and deeds. Help us to think twice before we speak. Forgive us where we operated in pride. Where we spoke in pride and did not put a watch before our mouths. We speak so easily Abba and we ask that You will help us to be slow to give opinions.

One who is righteous is a guide to his neighbour, but the way of the wicked leads them astray. Whoever is slothful will not roast his game, but the diligent man will get precious wealth. Proverbs 12:26-27 ESV

Abba surround us with wise counsel please and place righteous people in our midst. Help us to choose council with Your discernment. Break any stronghold Abba that people spoke over our lives that were not from You.

"Bad company ruins good morals."

1 Corinthians 15:32-33 ESV

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Father You say that You open doors that no man can shut and therefore we pray that You will open doors for us where people tried to close doors for us. We pray that You will be our peace and we reject this spirit of orphan hood. Uproot this root and replace it with Your seed.

Forgive us where we did not speak according to Your Word.

This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success.

Joshua 1:8 ESV

Help us not to feel exhausted by what people say. Help us not to listen to mortal men. Help us to trust in You. We repent of entertaining people's opinions for far too long. Abba uproot and break the feeling of pleasing others.

Abba give me the strength and courage to wait on You only. Help me not to get weary and tired like the world... but to press in and press on for the highest price...Yeshua.

Even youths shall faint and be weary, and young men shall fall exhausted; but they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings like eagles; they shall run and not be weary; they shall walk and not faint.

Isaiah 40:30-31 ESV

Father help us to see the plan of the enemy. Help us to discern when people speak. Abba, help me to always act in love towards everyone that crosses my ways. To stand firm on Your truths. Make my faith even stronger. You are my refuge place. A place of ever rest under Your wings.

Be watchful, stand firm in the faith, act like men, be strong. Let all that you do be done in love.

1 Corinthians 16:13-14 ESV

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Day 6 of The Jezebel spirit

This morning I want to take a brief look at Jezebel part 6 - We perish because of lack of discipline.

As I was going through all the points that were discussed on how Jezebel creeps in via lack of Discipline, Holy spirit showed me that one of the points that was not mentioned is that it takes discipline to have consistent Faith. I look at the two above verses 2 Timothy 4 v 7, can you just imagine the discipline it must have taken for Paul to continue walking in His calling and having that level of consistent Faith even though he suffered immense persecution.

Hebrews 11 v 6 states it is impossible to please Yahweh without Faith, which hit me quite hard because if my lack of Faith does not please Yahweh then it is definitely pleasing the spirit operating behind the lack of Faith Which Is believed to be Jezebel. We can have Faith but discipline is an essential ingredient that can be obtained through minimising external distractions and staying consistent. Our Faith can't be tossed to and fro like the waves in the ocean.

The Lord's discipline strengthens us and grows our faith. It takes discipline to continue having faith even when it feels like you are praying and praying and trusting and nothing seems to be happening but the Lord will always bless or come through at the right time, His time, so it doesn't matter the length of time, what matters most is that you keep putting your faith into right source. How do we acquire this kind of Faith, discipline your mind and emotions, take your thoughts captive, when the adversary comes with his lies, make the choice like Paul to stand in faith on Yahweh's word and promises believing that He is not a Father that should lie. Faith is what move mountains, it is what gives us hope, don't allow the enemy to rob you by attacking your Faith. Let us pray.

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Day 7 of The Jezebel spirit

Too busy

Why does it seem that this word has become so embedded in our vocabulary? When you ask someone how their day, week or month was, it always start with "It's been busy", it doesn't matter what they do for a living, whether they work in an office or shop or they are at home with the kids, Life is Busy.

Charmaine brought up the question from her dream " Where do you want to go? I would like to ask " What are you busy with?

I know life is life and there are specific responsibilities that we cannot steer from but sometimes I find myself having to take a step back and asking myself "What am I busy with? Jezebel wants to distract you and veer you off the path by being busy with things that you are not meant to be busy with. This week I felt like I was busy but not productive. We take on projects that we never consulted the Lord about, we enrol our kids or even ourselves into extra activities that we never prayed about, we start businesses that was never a God idea, we get involved in all sorts of outreaches because we feel that as Christians we need to help but did we ask the Lord to lead us to the right one.

Charmaine mentioned that in her dream she wanted to go somewhere quiet, and my eyes just welled up because I could almost feel from all the busyness that I wanted to go somewhere quiet too. Jesus said that He has already given us his peace but we are the ones who have to take a step back and ask "What am I busy with? "Do I feel at peace with what I am doing?" "Has the Lord said it's Good". I know we can't run from life and yes things do get busy but we need to make the time to just like Mary sit at Yeshua's feet.

If we are constantly busy, we will eventually burn out , feel overwhelmed, emotionally, spiritually, mentally and physically exhausted. Jesus said come to me all those who are burdened and I will give you Rest. Just close your eyes and imagine you lying in the arms of Jesus in that quiet place, that is the kind of rest He has given us. About a year or two ago we attended a feast of tabernacles gathering and we could go stand underneath the Chuppah during worship, the Holy Spirit was so so tangible, I had never felt a surge of peace overcome me like that in my life, I actually did not want to leave.

I longed so much to just stay in that peace. In that moment I truly understood the peace that Yeshua is offering and a glimpse of what eternity would be like, but we need to choose.

I truly want to encourage you to start seeking the true peace not what the world offers, if it means you need to give up something that you love, then do it. If it means you have to say no to a couple of people, then do it. Seek the Lord with every decision you make, the enemy might dangle a diamond infront of you but in the end it ends up being a rock and his only intention was to keep you busy. Sometimes we also just need to take a day and say today I am switching off my phone, I am not touching social media, I am not going to do any work today, I am just going to REST.

Busy is the enemy of peace. Busy steals precious time. Busy robs you of your blessings. Ask the Lord to help you give up a life of unbridled busyness and to show you how to achieve balance between worshiping Yahweh, family and work. Let us pray

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