



# RCCG OCEANIA

Faith & Trust

## GOD'S DELIVERANCE FROM BONDAGE

### AT A GLANCE

#### BIG IDEA

Bondage is a significant hindrance to fulfilling God's purpose in our lives. However, God, as a man of war, promises to deliver us and contend with those who oppose us. Through prayer, holiness, and submission to God, we can experience His mighty deliverance and protection.

#### PRIMARY PASSAGES

[Exodus 3:15](#)

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[Genesis 12:1-3](#)

[Isaiah 49:24-26](#)

[Joshua 10:10-11](#)

## KEY TAKEAWAYS

- Bondage is a major obstacle to fulfilling God's purpose.
- God promises to handle those who curse His people.
- Holiness and submission to God are essential to resist the devil.
- God is a warrior who defends His people.
- Prayer and faith in God's power lead to deliverance.

## INTRODUCTION

Throughout history, God's people have faced various forms of bondage, hindering their ability to fulfill divine purposes. Yet, God consistently demonstrates His power to deliver and protect those who trust in Him. This study explores how God, as a warrior, promises deliverance and how we can align ourselves with His will to experience freedom and protection.

## SCRIPTURE READING

- **Exodus 3:15** — Emphasizes God's eternal name and His promise to deliver from bondage.
- **Exodus 15:3** — Describes God as a warrior who fights for His people.
- **Genesis 12:1-3** — God's promise to bless and protect Abraham's descendants.
- **Isaiah 49:24-26** — God's assurance to contend with those who oppose His people.
- **Joshua 10:10-11** — Illustrates God's direct intervention to protect His people.

## KEY POINTS

**1. UNDERSTANDING BONDAGE** — Bondage is a significant hindrance to fulfilling God's purpose in our lives. It is one of the greatest enemies we face, preventing us from achieving our divine destiny. Bondage can take many forms, including spiritual, emotional, or physical constraints. Recognizing these forms is the first step toward seeking God's deliverance.

- Identify areas of bondage in your life that hinder your spiritual growth.
- Pray for God's guidance to overcome these obstacles.
- Seek accountability and support from fellow believers.

Scripture: Exodus 3:15

**2. GOD'S PROMISE OF PROTECTION** — God assures us that He will deal with those who curse His people. We are called to leave vengeance to God, trusting in His promise to bless and protect us. This assurance allows us to focus on our relationship with God, knowing that He is our defender.

- Trust in God's promise to protect you from those who oppose you.
- Release any desire for personal vengeance and leave justice to God.
- Reflect on God's past faithfulness in your life as a source of encouragement.

Scripture: Genesis 12:1-3

**3. THE WARRIOR GOD** — God is described as a man of war, ready to defend His people against their enemies. His power is unmatched, and He fights for those who belong to Him. This imagery of God as a warrior provides comfort and assurance of His active involvement in our battles.

- Meditate on the image of God as a warrior who fights for you.
- Thank God for His protection and deliverance in your life.
- Share testimonies of God's intervention with others to encourage their faith.

Scripture: Exodus 15:3

## KEY POINTS (CONT.)

- 4. HOLINESS AND RESISTANCE** — Holiness is crucial in resisting the devil. By submitting ourselves to God, we gain the strength to stand against evil and experience His deliverance. A life of holiness aligns us with God's will and opens the door for His power to work in us.
- Commit to a lifestyle of holiness and obedience to God.
  - Regularly examine your life for areas that need alignment with God's standards.
  - Seek God's strength to resist temptation and stand firm in faith.

Scripture: Romans 12:14      Proverbs 25:21-22

- 5. PRAYER AND DELIVERANCE** — Prayer is a powerful tool in seeking God's deliverance. Like warriors, we must pray fervently, trusting in God's ability to save and protect us. Through prayer, we invite God's intervention and align ourselves with His purposes.
- Develop a consistent prayer life focused on seeking God's deliverance.
  - Pray specifically for areas where you need God's intervention.
  - Join with others in prayer for mutual encouragement and support.

Scripture: Philippians 2:9-11

## GROUP DISCUSSION

Tip: Use these questions to guide the group from seeing → understanding → applying.

### OBSERVATION

- What forms of bondage are mentioned in the Scriptures?
- How does God describe Himself in Exodus 15:3?
- What promises does God make to Abraham in Genesis 12:1-3?
- How does God intervene in Joshua 10:10-11?

## **INTERPRETATION**

- Why is bondage such a significant hindrance to fulfilling God's purpose?
- What does it mean for God to be a 'man of war'?
- How does God's promise of protection impact our daily lives?
- In what ways does holiness help us resist the devil?

## **APPLICATION**

- How can you identify and address areas of bondage in your life?
- What steps can you take to trust in God's protection more fully?
- How can you incorporate prayer into your daily routine to seek deliverance?
- What practical actions can you take to live a life of holiness?

## **PRAYER FOCUS**

- Pray for God's guidance to identify and overcome areas of bondage.
- Ask for strength to trust in God's protection and release personal vengeance.
- Seek a deeper commitment to holiness and obedience to God's will.
- Pray for a consistent and fervent prayer life to invite God's intervention.

## **NEXT STEP**

Reflect on areas of bondage in your life and seek God's deliverance through prayer and holiness.

## **CONCLUSION**

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God's deliverance from bondage is a powerful testament to His love and commitment to His people. By understanding the nature of bondage, trusting in God's promises, and living a life of holiness and prayer, we can experience His mighty deliverance and protection. Let us continue to seek God's intervention and align ourselves with His purposes, knowing that He is a warrior who fights for us.