### **2025 FEBRUARY PRAYERS**

### 2025: MY YEAR OF UNSTOPPABLE ADVANCEMENT

### Gen. 24:56

This year 2025 anchor is curled out from the mouth of a man brought up by a Father of FAITH in the house of faith but a slave that kept the promises given to the children of faith and it walked out well for him. What about you a son of FAITH of whom all promises and covenant belong to.

A person who wholly follows the Lord is the one who believes that the promises of God are trustworthy, that He is with His people, and that they are well able to overcome every obstacle. I pray for you, as this slave man (Eliazar) overcame every problem on his way that year, you will never be stopped by any obstacle this year but overcome all the obstacles that will advance you to a greater height in Jesus' name.

There are lots of impediments that can stop people of God apart from sinful lifestyles, so be ye Holy and perfect as your heavenly Father is ... (Matt. 5:48)

Some of these obstacles, though overcame already by His blood are:

- Fear I Sam. 17:23-24
- Intimidation by senior colleagues I Sam. 18:7-9
- Sin Joshua 7:1.

Others are faithlessness, indolence, procrastination and the likes.

Living a life of faith means learning to trust God for where you are being led. Some days perhaps, you question where your life is going and you wonder if God is still guiding you. Other times you might even think why is God so silent at all your quest; and you don't realize that He is always around to take care of you and provide for all your needs.

Without any doubt there are also spiritual forces waging war against God's elects and his goal is to wreak havoc in our lives, however be of good cheer! Our master Jesus had won all the battles and given us victory, unknown to Satan.

The biggest need of the elects are met by His UNSTOPPABLE promises. I therefore decree and declare to your life that you mount up like eagle this year for a greater unstoppable advancement beyond your imagination in Jesus' name!!!

Remain blessed. Your servant, Pastor S. Olumide Orekoya

### PRAYER FOR UNSTOPPABLE ADVANCEMENT SPIRITUALLY

*Introduction:* It is God's desire that we make progress in our Christian lives and journey. Rebecca would have been hindered by family ties to go and meet her God's chosen husband (Isaac) if she had not been resolute in her decision (Gen. 24:55-58). In the same vein, we also need not to be hindered by whatever in our Christian life and journey. There are a lot of things that hinders spiritual growth that we need to pray against during this prayer periods such as:

- Indifference to spiritual growth
- Unsubdued corruption of our nature
- Besetting sin
- Unsuitable companionship
- Taste for worldly amusement, etc.

You need to identify obstacles in your Christian journey. Who hinders you? What hinders you? You must examine what it is that arrests you in your course and take it away. May you be restored, renewed and revived again.

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# Day 1 Topic: SPIRITUAL DECLENSION

**Text:** Psalms 92:12-15

### Introduction

The scriptures often depict a believer's life as that of growth and progress. However, the same scriptures warn us of the reality that believers could wane cold and decay spiritually. This is what you should guide against as a Christian (Rev. 3:1-2). The church of Sardis depicted a pathetic example of spiritual decay: they thought they were alive but in reality they were spiritually dead. Does this describe your own situation also? Like they were admonished, you also need to wake up and strengthen what remains and are about to die in your spiritual life.

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. **Exodus 33:18:** Pray that God would rekindle His love in your heart and restore your fellowship with Him.
- 2. **I John 3:3**: Ask the Lord to search your heart and purge you of any attitude, mindset, behaviour or character that does not represent Him in your life.
- 3. **Leviticus 6:12-13:** Let us pray to God to keep us burning and never to lose our fire for Him.
- 4. **Ephesians 5:18; II Tim. 1:6; Matt. 3:11:** Ask God to continually fill you with the Holy Spirit for His fire to burn in you and through you.

### Day 2

### Topic: CONTENDING FOR THE FAITH

**Texts:** Jude 1:3; I Tim. 6:11-21; I Cor. 9:24-27

### Introduction

As we are now at the close of the age and the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ is fast approaching, there is need for us to contend or defend our Christian faith which includes our beliefs, our Christian lifestyle and Christian hope. To contend implies to fight (I Tim. 6:12), to run (I Cor. 9:24-27) and to strive (II Tim. 2:5). Satan, sin, self, worldly influences, ungodly association, evil allegiance and false teachings will contend vehemently against our faith, but we must not succumb to them.

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. **Jude 1:3:** Pray to God to strengthen you to contend for your Christian faith.
- 2. James 4:7: God grant me the grace to resist Satan at all times.
- 3. **Romans 6:6-18; Hebrews 12:1**: Ask God to deliver you from the power of sin that has enslaved you.
- 4. **Eph. 6:18:** Pray to God to fill you with the Holy Spirit which will enable you to contend in your Christian journey.
- 5. **II Cor. 13:5:** Pray that God will keep you in His perfect love.
- 6. **Titus 2:13; II Tim. 1:18:** Ask God to prepare you for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ and remove whatever in your life that will not allow you to be rapturable.

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### Day 3

**Topic: BEWARE OF UNGODLY ASSOCIATION** 

**Text:** Deut. 7:1-26; II Cor. 6:14-18

### Introduction

In the first Bible text above, God was warning the Israelites against associating or intermingling with ungodly nations. If they make covenant with them or get any alliance with them, they will prevent them from serving God and hinder their spiritual progress in obeying God's commandments and following His ways. This is a great warning to us as Christians. We need to avoid ungodly alliance with the ungodly people of the world who do not have heaven as their focus. Failure to obey God in this regard will bring severe punishment and God's judgement upon us.

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. <u>II Cor. 6:14-18</u> Pray to God to be separated from idolatry, occultism, every form of darkness and unrighteous living.
- 2. <u>Deut. 7:3-4</u> As a youth seeking for a marriage partner or a Christian seeking to remarry after the loss of a wife or husband, pray that you will not be yoked with a wife or husband that will ruin your happiness or lead you away from God.
- 3. <u>II Chron. 18; II Chron. 19:1-2</u> Pray against ungodly alliance that can affect your Christian life, journey and the future generation.
- 4. <u>Psalms 129:4</u> Ask God to wash away all defiling spiritual residues from your life with the blood of Jesus Christ.

### Day 4

### Topic: RUNNING THE CHRISTIAN RACE AND FINISHING WELL

**Text:** I Cor. 9:24-27

### Introduction

The Christian race begins when you accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Saviour and repent from sinful life and renounce all evil ways. That is the starting point, but the ultimate of the race is finishing mark (heaven). However, there are hindrances, obstacles and huddles on the way such as distractions, discouragements, disappointments and many failures. If you mean to finish your Christian journey or race very well, all the above should not perturb you. Remember the word of Jesus Christ "But the one who endures to the end, shall be saved".

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. <u>Judges 8:4</u> Ask God to help you to run your Christian race inspite of challenges you might be facing in life.
- 2. <u>Heb. 12:1-2</u> Pray and ask God to help you lay aside every weight of sin slowing you down in your Christian walk and grant you grace to walk in victory over sin every day of your life.
- 3. <u>II Tim. 2:4</u> Father, grant me the grace to run this race according to your rules and regulations. Let me never cut corners, that I may not be disqualified.
- 4. <u>Heb. 12:2</u> Beseech God to help you always to look unto Jesus, the author and finisher of your faith and not your problems.
- 5. <u>Isaiah 40:29-31</u> Ask God to give you power and renew your strength to mount up like eagles and fly in your Christian race.

## Day 5 Topic: DRAWING CLOSER TO GOD

**Text:** James 4:8-10

### Introduction

In order to move with God unhindered in this present world, we need to draw closer to Him. There are conditions we need to meet in order to draw closer to God. These are:

- (a) Finding time for Him Hosea 6:1-3
- (b) Separating ourselves from iniquities II Tim. 2:19
- (c) Meditating in His written word (The Bible) daily Psalms 119:47-48
- (d) Praying consistently I Thess. 5:17

As we discipline ourselves on the above, we would experience renewed spiritual strength (Isaiah 40:31), victory over enemies (Hosea 8:3) and fresh anointing (Acts 4:31)

### **Prayer Points**

 Hosea 6:1-3 – Ask God to help you to follow Him unhindered all the days of your life.

- 2. <u>II Tim. 2:19</u> Pray to God to be delivered from that particular sin that has enslaved you.
- 3. <u>Psalms 119:5, 9, 33, 105</u> Pray to God to guide and direct your paths in life as you daily meditate in His words.
- 4. <u>Luke 18:1-18</u> Ask God to renew your prayer life and enable you to be disciplined in this aspect.
- 5. <u>James 4:8-10</u> Ask God to draw nearer to you and never cast His eyes away from you.

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## Day 6 Topic: THE NEED FOR SPIRITUAL AWAKENING

Text: Zachariah 10:1-12.

### Introduction

Spiritual awakening is when God begins to manifest Himself afresh to us as His people. It is when God begins to make an outpouring of His Spirit upon His people (Joel 2:28). Spiritual awakening is when people of God begins to have feelings about their spiritual conditions and as a result begins to draw closer to God. There could be spiritual dearth or spiritual awakening. The church of this end time is having the experience of Laodicean church, which are:

- Neither cold nor hot
- Worldly minded
- Spiritual complacency
- · Lack of zeal
- Spiritual blindness

Does these describe your life as Christian? Does these describe the position of our churches and ministry? We need to awake spiritually.

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. **Psalm 119:156** Pray for the revival of your soul.
- 2. <u>II Tim. 2:4; Colossians 3:1</u> Pray to God to deliver you from every entanglement of this world and make you to be heavenly minded.
- 3. Acts 26:18 Pray to God to open your spiritual eyes and turn them from darkness to light from the power of Satan unto God.
- 4. **Eph. 5:14** O Lord, awake me from every slumber in the name of Jesus and restore to me what belongs to me that has been taken during my time of slumber.
- 5. **Romans 12:11** Pray to God to restore your zeal for spiritual matters and give you the heart to serve the Lord.
- 6. Let us pray for revival in our churches and ministries at large.

## Day 7 Topic: STRENGTH FOR THE WEARY

Text: Isaiah 40:29-31

### Introduction

In our Christian journey, we may experience tiredness and weariness due to challenges we are facing or for certain reasons we do not understand. However, we need to remember that God does not faint or grow weary (Isaiah 40:28). All we need to do in our weariness is to go to Him (Matt. 11:28). It does not matter our status or age; young or old. "Those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength. They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint".

Elijah the prophet became wearied as a result of Jezebel threatenings but God strengthened him (I Kings 19:1-8). God will renew your strength. You are unstoppable until you will fulfill God's purpose for you on earth and at the end go to your eternal home in heaven.

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. <u>Isaiah 40:22-31; Psalms 37:23-24</u> Ask God to strengthen you in your weariness and helplessness.
- 2. <u>Matt. 25:12; Psalms 133</u> Pray for unity in your family because lack of unity devoid families of God's blessings. Ask that God bless your family with unity and give every member of your family the heart of forgiveness.
- 3. **Exodus 23:25** Ask God to heal your family physically and spiritually and open doors of breakthroughs for every member of your family.
- 4. **Exodus 19:4; Deut. 32:11-14** Oh Lord, give me the wings of eagle to soar into my land of opportunities. Pray for grace to live like eagle and grace to give in all it takes to succeed in the land of the living.

### Day 8

Topic: BUT AS FOR ME AND MY HOUSE, WE WILL SERVE THE LORD

**Text:** Joshua 24:15-27.

#### Introduction

The family unit has been an object of great attack by Satan from beginning of creation. Satan caused the fall of Adam and Eve by making them to disobey the command of God in the garden of Eden (Gen. 2:16-17; 3:1-24). When God instructed Moses to appear before Pharaoh in order to be released to go and serve the Lord, Pharaoh was hesitant in releasing every member of the household to go. The same attack is still being launched on families today. But like Joshua of old, we must be resolute in serving the Lord with every member of our household.

### **Prayer Points**

1. **Gen. 18:17-19** – Let every father pray for the grace to be trusted by God in guiding our household in the ways of God.

- 2. <u>II Tim. 2:1-5; Prov. 22:6</u> Let every mother and grandmother ask God to help them in bringing their children and grandchildren up in the way of the Lord.
- 3. **Ephesians 6:4** Let both fathers and mothers pray to God that their attitudes would not discourage and drive away their children from serving the Lord.
- 4. <u>Eccl. 12:14; Eph. 6:1-2; Deut. 27:16; II Tim. 3:2</u> Let all children and youths pray against the spirit of rebellion and disobedience to God and their parents.
- 5. <u>I Kings 18:30; Hosea 10:12</u> Pray that God will rekindle His love in our hearts and repair our broken altars of devotion, dedication and obedience to His commandments.

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# Day 9 Topic: WORK WHILE IT IS DAY

**Text:** John 9:1-7

### Introduction

As Christians, we do not own our lives, neither are we in this world forever. It thus become imperative upon us to do God's will unhindered. This is the time we should do those things we are always willing to do for God because a time is coming when we would not have that ability and strength we use to have.

A man of God said, "I worked for God as if Jesus was crucified yesterday, resurrected today and coming back tomorrow". What are those hindrances preventing you from serving the Lord? You must deal with them during this period of prayer.

### **Prayer Points**

- 1. <u>Romans 12:11</u> Pray to God to remove the spirit of slothfulness from you, make you fervent in your spirit to serve the Lord.
- 2. <u>John 9:4; John 15:16</u> Ask God to grant us the grace to be obedient to Him and His commandments.
- 3. <u>Eccl. 9:10</u> Pray against time wasters (sin, pleasures, associations, etc.) that are hindering and preventing you from living and serving your Lord.
- 4. <u>Eccl. 12:1-14; James 4:13-17</u> Pray as a youth for enablement to know Jesus and live for Him before death comes.
- 5. <u>Matthew 20:1-6</u> Let us pray against idleness and spirit of procrastination to the things of God in our lives.

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