

## LIVE A CONSECRATED LIFE

*“But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation,  
a people for his own possession,  
that you may proclaim the excellencies  
of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.*

1 Peter 2:9

### Why Live a Consecrated Life?

- ◆ It lays the groundwork for receiving anointings for being able to heal the sick, deliver from demons, raise the dead — do the greater works!
- ◆ It enables you to receive more grace and fulfill your God destiny.
- ◆ It establishes "Christ in you, the hope of glory"<sup>1</sup>, made in the image of God.
- ◆ You become a living testimony, your very being evangelizes and draws people to Lord Jesus Christ.
- ◆ You are anchored in the Shalom of God, peace in the storm, abiding joy of the Lord.

### To Consecrate:

“To make or declare sacred; set apart or dedicate to the service of God; to devote or dedicate to some purpose.”<sup>2</sup>

*“Consecrate yourselves, therefore, and be holy, for I am the Lord your God.”*

Leviticus 20:7

### READ: Hebrews Chapter 10, 1 Timothy Chapter 2

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*“For by one offering He has perfected for all time  
those who are sanctified.”*

Hebrews 10:14

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<sup>1</sup> Colossians 1:27

<sup>2</sup> Dictionary.com

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### Coming Before Lord God Adonai

Dear Heavenly Father, I come before You today that You may bear witness to my commitment to living a consecrated life. I understand that this is actually returning to what and how You created me to be. According to Romans 12:1-2, I present my body as a living and holy sacrifice, acceptable to You Lord God, which is my spiritual service of worship. I shall not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of my mind, so that I may prove what is Your will, that which is good and acceptable and perfect. I commit to living a consecrated life, so that I may proclaim the excellencies of Him, Jesus Christ Yeshua, who called me out of darkness into His marvelous light, according to 1 Peter 2:9. I present myself now as a slave to righteousness, leading to sanctification, according to Romans 6:19.

### ***A Sanctified Life Comes from Resting in the Lord***

- ◆ Dear Abba Father God, your Sabbath is a part and sign of sanctification; a day and people set apart for You, a day to rest in You and restore our spirit. I re-commit to honoring the Sabbath 100% as You want me to do so. I understand this will deepen and strengthen my sanctification in You.
- ◆ Genesis 2:3 reveals that sanctification requires Sabbath rest in the Lord and that the Sabbath is sanctified: *“Then God blessed the seventh day and sanctified it, because in it He rested from all His work which God had created and made.”*
- ◆ Exodus 31:13-15 confirms the Sabbath as a sign and means of strengthening my relationship with you: *“Surely My Sabbaths you shall keep, for it is a sign between Me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I am the Lord who sanctifies you. You shall keep the Sabbath, therefore, for it is holy to you. Everyone who profanes it shall surely be put to death; for whoever does any work on it, that person shall be cut off from among his people. Work shall be done for six days, but the seventh is the Sabbath of rest, holy to the Lord.”*
- ◆ Indeed, the Sabbath is so sacred that the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of Man, is Lord of the Sabbath. (Matthew 12:8)

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### ***Sacrifice for Consecration***

- ◆ Heavenly Father, I understand that sacrifice is a part of consecration. Reveal to me the sacrifices You desire of me as part of my personal consecration to You and to living a consecrated life.
- ◆ For Psalm 51:17 says: *“The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit; a broken and a contrite heart, God, You will not despise.”* Lord God, I offer to You my spirit, broken of its own self-will and desires.
- ◆ Truly Lord God, *I am crucified with Christ. It is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me. And the life I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me*”, according to Galatians 2:20.
- ◆ Heavenly Father, I enjoin myself to Lord Jesus Christ because *“the one who joins himself to the Lord is one spirit with Him”*, according to 1 Corinthians 6:17.

### ***I Set Myself Apart***

- ◆ Dear Father God, I commit to continually setting myself apart, however that looks day-to-day, moment-to-moment; be it in the body, mind or spirit. As 2 Timothy 2:4 instructs: *“No soldier in active service entangles himself in the affairs of everyday life, so that he may please the one who enlisted him.”* As an active soldier in Your army, I separate myself from the mindset, values and rituals of the secular culture.
- ◆ Father God, as a member in His Body, I submit and enjoin myself with Lord Jesus Christ, the Head of the Church; for 1 Corinthians 6: 15 & 17 say: *“Do you not know that your bodies are parts of Christ? But the one who joins himself to the Lord is one spirit with Him.”*

### ***I Relinquish ...***

- ◆ Heavenly Father, I relinquish bad habits that compromise my consecration and take I hold of 2 Timothy 2:16, that I shall avoid worldly and empty chatter, for it will lead to further ungodliness.
- ◆ Lord God, I relinquish foolish and ignorant speculations, knowing that they produce quarrels. For surely as your bond-servant I must not be quarrelsome, but be kind to

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all, skillful in teaching, patient when wronged, with gentleness correcting those who are in opposition, according to 2 Timothy 2:23-25.

- ◆ Lord God, I relinquish thinking more highly of myself than I ought to think; so to have sound judgment, as You God have allotted to each a measure of faith, according to Romans 12:3.
- ◆ Lord God, I relinquish hypocrisy, because love must be free of hypocrisy, according to Romans 12:9.
- ◆ Lord God, I relinquish being wise in my own estimation, according to Romans 12:16.
- ◆ Heavenly Father, as I put off the old self with its practices, I relinquish and put to death what is earthly in me: sexual and ALL immorality, impurity, passion, evil desire, and covetousness, which is idolatry; anger, wrath, malice, slander, and obscene talk from my mouth, according to Colossians 3:5-8.

### ***I Separate Myself***

- ◆ Heavenly Father, for the purpose of living a consecrated life, I separate myself from all that stands between You and me; including lures and lies of the adversary about what is important and a priority above You. I give You full permission to separate me from all that stands between You and me, and my ability to live Your heart's desires through me.
- ◆ I separate myself from spiritually unhealthy company, individuals who do not share my devotion and commitment to Your heart and ways, who call me to activities, values and information that pulls me out of connection with You, or who are living out of integrity with You. I do not have perfect judgement and discernment Lord God; therefore, I give You full permission to gently and lovingly remove them from my life, and ask You to bless them and help them on their path.
- ◆ I separate myself from habits, foods, activities, entertainment that allows principalities of this world to get a foothold in my psyche and life, including leviathan and jezebel.
- ◆ I declare and take hold of Your instruction in 2 Corinthians 6:17-18, I shall therefore, come out from their midst and be separate, and shall not touch what is unclean;

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and I pray Lord God that You will welcome me. And will be a father to me, and I shall be your son/daughter.

### ***Sanctified for You Lord God***

- ◆ Heavenly Father, the purpose of living a consecrated, sanctified life is to be in complete union with you and the Chief Shepherd, Jesus Yeshua. Accordingly, I commit to being, as 2 Timothy 2:21 puts it, *“an implement for honor, sanctified, useful to the Master, prepared for every good work.”*
- ◆ Lord God, as part of consecrating myself for You, I take hold of Isaiah 1:16-17 and commit to washing myself, making myself clean; removing the evil of my own deeds from before Your eyes; ceasing to do evil, learning to do good; seeking justice, correcting oppression; bringing justice to the fatherless, pleading the widow's cause.
- ◆ Beloved Abba, be gracious to me, God, according to Your faithfulness; according to the greatness of Your compassion, wipe out my wrongdoings. Wash me thoroughly from my guilt and cleanse me from my sin; according to Psalm 51:1-2, that I am sanctified, purified for You and for a consecrated life in You.
- ◆ Lord God, I declare that the old in me has passed away and the new has come. Receive me Holy Father as a new creation in Christ Jesus, with a circumcised heart, a purified mind, heart, soul and body; according to 2 Corinthians 5:17.

### ***Heavenly Father and Lord Jesus, I Trust in You***

- ◆ Dear Lord God, I understand that a consecrated life is a life that is anchored to Your ways, Your sources and means for provision, Your will for my life, every area of my life. As such, I trust in Thee. I trust in Jesus Christ Yeshua. I commit to every day proclaiming: Jesus, I trust in You. God, I trust in You. I surrender all my concerns, fears and needs to You and trust You to guide and provide to me YOUR way; as I listen to your voice in doing 100% your will in my life.
- ◆ For Psalm 40:4 proclaims: *“How blessed is the man who has made the Lord his trust, and has not turned to the proud, nor to those who become involved in falsehood.”*

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- ◆ Heavenly Father, I now understand that total consecration to You means trusting You to provide for me YOUR way. Genesis 28:20-22 makes this clear: *"Then Jacob made a vow, saying, 'If God will be with me and will keep me in this way that I go, and will give me bread to eat and clothing to wear, so that I come again to my father's house in peace, then the Lord shall be my God, and this stone, which I have set up for a pillar, shall be God's house. And of all that you give me I will give a full tenth to you.'"* I too Lord God, also commit to giving my one tenth tithe to You as part of trusting in You in full consecration to You.
- ◆ Lord God, *"When I am afraid, I put my trust in you. In God, whose word I praise, in God I trust; I shall not be afraid"*, I declare according Psalm 56:3-4.

### ***I Consecrate All of Me to You Lord God***

- ◆ Dear Heavenly Father Abba, I consecrate to you ALL of me — my thoughts, words and deeds, my works, my schedule and time, my relationships and family, my body, heart and soul. Help and guide me to release, relinquish ALL that stands in the way of consecrating ALL of me to You.
- ◆ As Psalm 40:7-8 declares: *"Then I said, 'Behold, I have come; It is written of me in the scroll of the book. I delight to do Your will, my God; Your Law is within my heart.'"* I do indeed Lord God, delight to do Your will!
- ◆ I consecrate myself now, so that tomorrow You Lord God will do wonders amongst us, according to Joshua 3:5.

### ***Consecrate Me Lord God***

- ◆ Heavenly Father God, *purify me with hyssop, and I will be clean; cleanse me, and I will be whiter than snow. Let me hear joy and gladness, let the bones You have broken rejoice. Hide Your face from my sins and wipe out all my guilty deeds. Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me,* according to Psalm 51:7-10.
- ◆ May the God of peace himself sanctify me completely, and may my whole spirit and soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, according to 1 Thessalonians 5:23.

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- ◆ Consecrate me Lord God Heavenly Abba, for You have not called us for impurity, but in holiness, according to 1 Thessalonians 4:7.

### ***My Consecration to You Lord God***

- ◆ Heavenly Father, I consecrate myself to you according to Colossians 3:12-17, “So, *as those who have been chosen of God, holy and beloved, I put on a heart of compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness, and patience; bearing with one another, and forgiving each other, whoever has a complaint against anyone; just as the Lord forgave you, so must you do also. In addition to all these things put on love, which is the perfect bond of unity. Let the peace of Christ, to which you were indeed called in one body, rule in your hearts; and be thankful. Let the word of Christ richly dwell within you, with all wisdom teaching and admonishing one another with psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs, singing with thankfulness in your hearts to God. Whatever you do in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks through Him to God the Father.*”

### **Sealing Prayer: A New and Living Way**

*"Therefore, brothers and sisters,  
since we have confidence to enter the holy place by the blood of Jesus,  
by a new and living way which He inaugurated for us through the veil,  
that is, through His flesh,  
and since we have a great priest over the house of God,  
let's approach God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith,  
having our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience  
and our bodies washed with pure water.  
Let's hold firmly to the confession of our hope without wavering,  
for He who promised is faithful;  
and let's consider how to encourage one another in love and good deeds,  
not abandoning our own meeting together, as is the habit of some people,  
but encouraging one another;  
and all the more as you see the day drawing near."*

Hebrews 10:19-25

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