



the **Divine**
Exchange



Love UnVeiled[®]
Transforming Women into God's Image of Beauty

Who do you see in the mirror?

Who or what defines your value?

*When the Child of God
Looks into the Word of God
And sees the Son of God
She is changed by the Spirit of God
Into the Image of God*

What is our Identity and Purpose:

Genesis 1:26-28. Ephesians 1:12, 1 Peter 2:9

Read: Isaiah 51:1 Isaiah 61:1-4, Luke 4:18. Psalm 30:11-12;
Psalm 126:5-6

List the aspects of Divine Exchange in these verses:

From

To

The Divine Exchange

Colossians 1:13-14, 2:13-15, Eph 2:1-10, 1 Cor 15:35-58

What do these verses tell us about our condition and position before Salvation and after Salvation

| | <u>Under Satan</u> | <u>In/With Jesus</u> |
|---------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
| Our Condition | Bondage Death | Free Life |
| Our Position | Slave | Child of God Bride |

What is your Condition and Postion?

Are you living in the freedom of the Divine Exchange? If not why not? What keeps you in bondage living like a slave?

Make Me Usable - Freedom and Power in the Spirit

We sing "*If you can use anything Lord, you can use me*" - but evangelist Reinhard Bonnke suggests a more powerful prayer - *Lord make me usable!*

Where God is calling us to minister (Isaiah 61:1-3) entering into the deep lost-ness, deception, bondage, wounding and brokenness of women's hearts, cannot be reached in our own strength or with noble desires, programs or tools. *We need a fresh invasion of the Spirit and Truth* to first fill our own hearts and minds transforming us, so that we can be vessels He can use to break strongholds, heal broken hearts and set captives free.

"Those who are actively involved in the deliverance of souls from the bondage of Satan will never go for long without themselves being attacked. For those who are to be of real spiritual help to others must be prepared for peculiar trials and tests, that the qualities of endurance and adherence to sympathy and understanding may be wrought out in them."

Asking the Lord to "*make me usable*", is far more dangerous than praying to be used. Praying to "*be used*" focuses on others, but praying "*make me useable*" invites the Holy Spirit's intervention to change me, transform me, empower me and conform me into His image and His will.

Even when I've prayed *Lord use me* the Holy Spirit seems primarily concerned with *making me usable*.

Becoming usable usually involves pain – a process of surrender, brokenness and death, molding and re-shaping me to become yielded to the Holy Spirit.

What is Brokenness?

"Whatever happens that breaks us open to a deeper invasion of God's Spirit is a blessing in disguise."

(Lloyd John Ogilvie, chaplain to the US Senate)

We may run from brokenness, think it a cruel word, or think brokenness describes only those living in grass roots or abuse – unbelievers. But brokenness often comes to those willing to be used by God to fill us with more of His Spirit and power, for when I am weak, He is strong.

- Brokenness brings me to the end of myself so that I can live freely for God.
- Brokenness delivers me from my need for glory, to become a woman who brings God glory.
- Brokenness opens the door to freedom.
- As I am emptied in brokenness it allows a *"deeper invasion of God's Spirit."*

What is Freedom?

"Freedom is an emancipated, fearless condition of our minds which is expressed in our personalities and our feelings about ourselves, others, life's challenges and opportunities, and our expectations for what the future holds." Lloyd John Ogilvy.

Freedom is found in an intimate relationship with God based on knowledge of who He is, His love and purpose towards us and trusting Him completely with all aspects of our lives.

To **KNOW** God is to love God,

To **LOVE** God and **know I AM LOVED** is to trust God,

To **TRUST** God is to live in **FREEDOM**

FREEDOM empowers me to love and **SERVE** unconditionally knowing I am freely loved.

We lose our freedom whenever anything blocks the free flowing of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

- Freedom found in brokenness brings greater intimacy and dependency on Him.
- Freedom delivers me from self-sufficiency, control and fear.
- Freedom allows me to trust in God's power alone and in His ability to lead me as I yield to Him.
- Freedom is realizing I need Jesus Himself even more than I need His help to accomplish His work.
- Freedom delivers me to love and serve others with His divine love, unconditionally, knowing that I am freely loved.

I need to be set free in:

Freedom: Exchanging Satan's Voice for God's VOICE

Jesus Plus? - *What or who do you want more than Jesus?*

Jesus the Way

Satan's voice

Sinai Old Covenant
Condemnation
Bondage

Holy Spirit' voice

Calvary New Covenant
Forgiveness
Freedom

John 10:3-5, 14-16, 27-28.

God's Voice

- Stills you
- Leads you
- Reassures you
- Enlightens you
- Encourages you
- Comforts you
- Calms you
- Convicts you

Satan's Voice

- Rushes you
- Pushes you
- Frightens you
- Confuses you
- Discourages you
- Worries you
- Obsesses you
- Condemns you

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Divine Exchange - Believe, Believe, Believe!

- *Let this mind be in you that was also in Christ Jesus*
Phil 2:5
- *Call unto Me and I will Answer you and show you great and hidden things you do not know*
Jeremiah 33:3
- *Take every thought captive*
2 Corinthians 10:3-5
- *Shine Your light and truth*
Psalms 43:3

Ask the Holy Spirit to shine His light and truth and lead us to the freedom offered at Calvary. We make our thoughts obedient to Christ every time we *choose* to think Christ's thoughts and God's word about ourselves and our situation instead of Satan's or our own thoughts.

Learning to take hold of every negative thought and replacing it with the truth of God's word will give you power over your own life, and set you free from the defeat that comes when we are led by our emotions, feelings, and Satan's lies.

Choose to believe WHO JESUS IS, what Jesus has done for you and who He says you are. Focusing on God's Word will transform your negative thinking.

- The Word of God and the power of the Holy Spirit is the power we need to heal, renew and transform our minds. **Romans 12:2 Ephesians 4:22-24**
- The only way to destroy the strong holds and lies created by Satan and our flesh-thinking is by saturating our mind with the truth of God's word,

and trusting the Holy Spirit to shine light and truth into our minds by praying God's word over our situation and feelings.

Often we spend too much time focusing on the problem rather than focusing on Jesus and the victory He has already won at the cross. **Colossians 2:13-15.** .

Take time to pray and confess thoughts which have been wrongly focused. As we confess and **yield** our thoughts, the Holy Spirit will help us focus on Jesus. Allow His power which has defeated the enemy to help you experience and live in freedom.

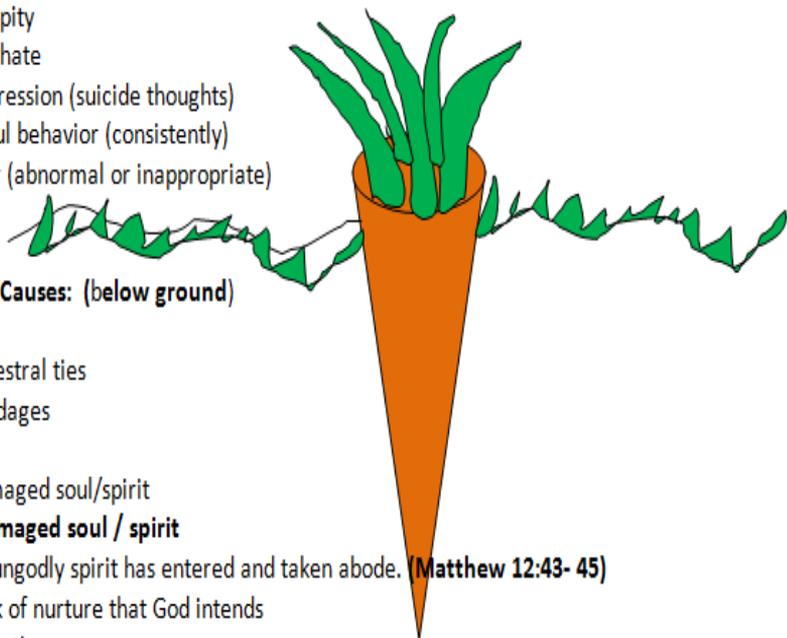
Reflection: Study the Carrot Diagram

- Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal the root of any visible negative symptoms.
- What is causing you to lose heart, or to live with anxiety, fear or shame?
- Is there is a strong hold which you are struggling with in any area of your mind?
- Is there a place where Satan has led you to believe the hurt is too deep, the offense too great, and the problem too impossible?
- Have you come to believe God has no power or ability to change your situation or your feelings?

Identifying Roots of Brokenness

Visible symptoms of hurts and sickness: (above ground)

- Sickness (physical and emotional)
- Addictions
- Anger, Pride, Bitterness
- Self pity
- Self hate
- Depression (suicide thoughts)
- Sinful behavior (consistently)
- Fear (abnormal or inappropriate)



Invisible/Root Causes: (below ground)

- Sin
- Ancestral ties
- Bondages
- Lies
- Damaged soul/spirit

Causes of a damaged soul / spirit

- An ungodly spirit has entered and taken abode. (**Matthew 12:43- 45**)
- Lack of nurture that God intends
- Rejection
- Pronouncement of curses
- Human expectations
- Abuse
- Accident and trauma
- Loss
- Bereavement
- Our own sin

Neither medication treatments in the West, nor meditation practices of the East, will heal spiritual and soul sickness.

Healing for our deep wounds and bondages is found only in Jesus Christ (**Isaiah 61:1-3**).



Pathway to Healing and Freedom

- Confess
- Repent and renounce
- Forgive
- Break soul ties
- Bless those who hurt you
- Receive His forgiveness and healing
- Transform your mind with His Truth
- Be filled and empowered with the Holy Spirit daily

Living in the Divine Exchange

- Become a worshipper who worships God in Spirit and in Truth **John 4:23-24**
- Yield to the Holy Spirit. Let Him transform, lead, guide and empower you.
- Confess quickly. Let nothing grieve or quench the Holy Spirit working in and through your life.
- Believe, Trust and Rest in His love for you!

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