# Word of His Glory



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### Destiny Under Attack – Part 2

You can be provoked out of your destiny. You can be troubled out of it. It can be incited against you

e started to look at the topic Destiny Under Attack last month. "Sometimes, people forget that God created us to excel. You were not created a failure, but the enemy of God and the enemy of His people raises so much opposition that a lot of people get confused in their destinies."

We saw how God set in place a divine plan for the lives of Esau, Jacob, and Jeremiah, even before they were born. We also considered God's definite plan for the life of Paul the Apostle.

We then considered the meaning of Destiny and looked at situations that bring destinies under attack. Destinies can come under attack at the point of destiny announcement, when authority is given to you, or by your accomplishments. We will now continue from where we stopped.

Let us look at 1 Samuel 18:6-8, "Now it had happened as they were coming home, when David was returning from the slaughter of the Philistine, that the women had come out of all the cities of Israel, singing and dancing, to meet King Saul, with tambourines, with joy, and with musical instruments. So the women sang as they danced, and said: "Saul has slain his thousands, And David his ten



thousands." Then Saul was very angry, and the saying displeased him; and he said, "They have ascribed to David ten thousands, and to me they have ascribed only thousands. Now what more can he have but the kingdom?""

Did David ask those people to sing those words? No. It was his accomplishment that announced him. Sometimes, what a person accomplishes can bring the destiny of that person under attack if people begin to talk about it. Do you know why some people emigrate to another country from their countries of origin and still cannot make headway? It is because the people they left back home become envious after hearing the person travelled abroad. They do not know if he is washing toilets or doing some other menial job. They say, "Were we not all eating peanuts here

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together? Okay, we will see what he will achieve."

Meanwhile. the person who emigrated begins to act as if he and the people in the new country are in the same category. You ask him to pray, but he will not pray, not knowing that his destiny is under attack from home. This is why you see some people get packaged like trash and are deported. You wonder what they did wrong because they love the Lord. Some others are not deported but things do not just work for them.

## WHAT ARE THE SATANIC STYLES OF ATTACK?

This list is not by any means exhaustive, but we will look at a few.

1. Seduction. There is no man or woman on earth whose destiny will not pass through seduction. Seduction is an overwhelming for something craving someone. In other words. Seduction is lust. If you study the word of God very carefully, you will find that immediately a person falls into lust, the person automatically comes into either idolatry or immorality. The moment you begin to lust after that car that your paycheck cannot maintain or that shoe your mates are wearing that is going to put a hole in your bank account, you are practicing idolatry.

When you lust after another human being's body, whether the opposite sex or the same sex, it is immorality. You look at a woman and think, "Where were you when I was getting married to this sluggish and useless person? I would have married you." And then you do not move on, but you go to the person and say, "I love your dress. Anytime I see you, my heart beats fast." Your destiny is under attack. This is what wrecked the life of David. He saw Beersheba, he could not take his eyes off her, and he brought untold trouble upon himself

Some people are seduced by position and authority. Some people want to live in gated communities in the city that they cannot afford. Whereas, if they had continued to rent, their lives would have been okay, and their destinies would not have been under attack. But the day

they buy their house in a gated community, they realize that their car is rickety. "Look at all my friends here. They don't drive Mercedes-Benz. They drive Bentleys and Ferraris." He then becomes a night wanderer. He will sneak in at night and go out before daybreak. He no longer enjoys the house. The house now rules him. The destiny has been put under attack.

2. Confusion of Mind. King Saul came into terrible confusion. The living God gave him specific instructions by the prophet Samuel in 1 Samuel 15:3. "Now go and attack Amalek, and utterly destroy all that they have, and do not spare them. But kill both man and woman, infant and nursing child, ox and sheep, camel and donkey.'""

If you study the word of God very carefully, you will find that immediately a person falls into lust, the person automatically comes into either idolatry or immorality The instruction was straightforward enough. But look at what happened in verse 7-9, "And Saul attacked the Amalekites, from Havilah all the way to Shur, which is east of Eavpt. He also took Agaa king of the Amalekites alive. utterly destroyed all the people with the edge of the sword. But Saul and the people spared Agag and the best of the sheep, the oxen, the fatlings, the lambs, and all that was good, and were unwilling to utterly destroy them. But everything despised and worthless, that they utterly destroyed."

So, he was selective in obeying God. Look at what followed in verse 21-23, "But the people took of the plunder, sheep and oxen, the best of the things which should have been utterly destroyed, to sacrifice to the Lord your God in Gilgal." So Samuel said: "Has the Lord as great delight in burnt offerings and sacrifices, As in obeying the voice of the Lord? Behold, to obey is better than sacrifice, And to heed than the fat of rams. For rebellion is as the sin of witchcraft, And stubbornness is as iniquity and idolatry.

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Because you have rejected the word of the Lord, He also has rejected you from being king.""

Saul was confused because his destiny was under attack. The people confused him. He did what he did so that the people would stay with him, but he forgot that it is God that matters. It is confusion that makes a man take sides with when God's side abandoned. The fear of man and the fear of oppression. When you pay attention to the anger of oppressors, they intimidate your heart, and your life comes under attack.

3. Blindness. Satan blinds people so that they will not see the glory of the gospel of the Lord Jesus Christ. That is what was said in Galatians **"**0 foolish 3:1. Galatians! Who has bewitched you that you should not obey the truth, before whose eyes Christ clearly Jesus was portrayed amona vou crucified?" The devil some people and they do not even know what is going on until they have finished destroying themselves. A lot of people are not enlightened on how to fulfill their destiny. This is because they have been blinded.

Some years ago, a wonderful sister had a lot of divine promises on her life. She could pray fervently, and she could prophesy. Then she met a so-called man of God. The man could actually see what God had deposited in the life of this sister and that she was a special bank of treasure for heaven. So, he said, "I will groom you so that you can become even more." In the process of "grooming" her,

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he made her his second wife. The man did not let her know that he was already married. He just said, "You know, for me to groom you properly I have to marry you. Because I cannot be constantly seen with you if there is nothing between us. So let us marry."

He did all the necessary things and married her. The sister did not know that she was marrying a deficit. It was after the sister gave birth to two children that she got to know that the man had another wife. She said. "Where do I start from?" At the time she started sleeping with the man, heaven had closed shop and did not reveal anything her anymore. She said. "Where do I go with these two children now?" The man said, "Listen, if you want to go, you can go. But leave my children." So, the sister was tied down, and her destiny was perverted.

4. Sifting. Look at what the Lord Jesus Christ revealed to Peter in Luke 22:31, "And the Lord said, "Simon, Simon! Indeed, Satan has asked for you, that he may sift you as wheat." There are some people who the devil is sifting and moving from side to side. They get tired of doing God's work, and before you know it, instead of standing up for God, they now sit for God. They think they are sitting, but they have been sifted.

5. Delay of the Manifestation of Destiny. This can come by your own desire. Jacob was told clearly by the living God through his mother before he was born at all, that he was preferred will rule over his brother. But himself and his mother decided to deceive his father and Jacob had away from home. to run Vagabond spirits did not come upon Jacob. He brought the situation upon himself. God did not plan that Jacob should go to Laban, God wanted to bless him where he was.

How do we know? Let us look at Genesis 28:10-15. "Now Jacob went out from Beersheba and went toward Haran. So he came to a certain place and stayed there all night, because the sun had set. And he took one of the stones of that place and put it at his head, and he lay down in that place to sleep. Then he dreamed, and behold, a ladder

was set up on the earth, and its top reached to heaven; and there the angels of God were ascending and descending on it.

"And behold, the Lord stood above it and said: "I am the Lord God of Abraham vour father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to vou and vour descendants. Also vour descendants shall be as the dust of the earth; you shall spread abroad to the west and the east, to the north and the south; and in you and in your seed all the families of the earth shall be blessed. Behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go, and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave vou until I have done what I have spoken to you.""

The land on which Jacob lay, was the one that God promised him. He did not connect to the and life that purpose promised to Abraham and Isaac until he came back to Bethel. A lot of people are running away Bethel from the of fulfillment of their destiny. So, the period Jacob went away was a period of delay. When he came back, he came back with a large

company, but to connect to his manifestation, he had to separate himself from everything he had acquired.

This shows you that God did not really need him to go away. But since he decided to go. God said. "I will be with you, and I will bring you back here because my covenant is not in Haran. It is here. I took your father out of Haran. But you want to go back there? Okay." That is why Abraham was very definite when he told Eliezer not take his son. Isaac, back there to marry a wife. But Jacob decided to go back to the place Abraham knew that Isaac should not back to, and it led to a delay.

6. The devil can provoke you out of your destiny. There is a story in 1 Chronicles 21. David provoked by the devil to number Israel. He thought it was his own decision. We read verse 1-3. "Now Satan stood up against Israel, and moved David to number Israel. So David said to Joab and to the leaders of the people, "Go, number Israel from Beersheba to Dan, and bring the number of them to me that I it." And may know Joab answered, "May the Lord make His people a hundred times more than they are. But, my lord the king, are they not all my lord's servants? Why then does my lord require this thing? Why should he be a cause of guilt in Israel?""

Joab knew what was going to happen, but David was provoked to the point that he said, "No, I'm your commanding officer, go and do it." And when he did, it brought trouble on his destiny. You can be provoked out of your destiny. You can be troubled out of it. It can be incited against you.

The enemy can destroy destinies 7. completely. Look at what was written about Judas Iscariot in ""Men 1:16-20. brethren, this Scripture had to be fulfilled, which the Holy Spirit spoke before by the mouth of David concerning Judas, who became a guide to those who arrested Jesus; for he was numbered with us and obtained in this part ministry." (Now this man purchased a field with the wages of iniquity; and falling headlong, he burst open in the

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middle and all his entrails gushed out. And it became known to all those dwelling in Jerusalem; so that field is called in their own language, Akel Dama, that is, Field of Blood.) "For it is written in the Book of Psalms: 'Let his dwelling place be desolate, And let no one live in it'; and, 'Let another take his office.'"

This was meant to destroy Judas because satan entered into him completely while he was still moving with Jesus Christ. Luke 22:3-4 reads. "Then Satan entered Judas. surnamed Iscariot, who was numbered among the twelve. So he went his way and conferred with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray Him to them." Satan was the one that made Judas do what he did. The devil comes to steal to kill and to destroy. He destroyed Judas Iscariot.

A man of God said something about Judas Iscariot. He said, "With his eyes he saw clearest evidence, with his ears he heard the finest teaching, with his feet he followed the greatest example, yet his dwelling place

was desolated." He did not know because his destiny was under attack

What must we do to survive destiny attack?

- Repent and forsake the way of sin and all ungodliness.
- 2. Walk uprightly.
- 3. Work righteousness.
- Speak the truth in your heart always. This means meditating on the truth always. Out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaketh.
- Watch over your tongue. Whatever you say is a seed and will reap an harvest.
- Honor God with all that you have. Do not say God cannot have anything that is in your life. Give it to Him joyfully if he wants it. Your time, skill, and money.
- Submit to God. James 4:7 reads, "Therefore submit to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you."
- Deal with the devil. The scripture says you should submit yourself unto God and resist the devil.
- Obey God's instructions.
   Obeying God's instructions is what saved Joseph. Joseph had the opportunity to commit sin.
   The scripture says we are to flee

from all appearance of evil. When the woman said, "You must lie with me..." He realized that he could not speak in tongues to confront the woman. So, he decided to run. While he was running, he had it at the back of his mind that he would not do any unrighteousness against God and against his master.

Do you want to survive destiny attacks? Then take God seriously.

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#### **Prayer Points**

- Powers saying that the living God will not be sufficient for me, your time is up, die, in the name of lesus.
- Powers making my life difficult, swell up, burst, die, in the name of Jesus.
- Power of generational demotion that will not let me go, I am tired of you, die, in the name of Jesus.

- 4. Power of environmental shame, I am no longer your portion, die, in the name of Jesus.
- Wicked elders that are angry at my goodness, O God my Father, consume them, in the name of Jesus.
- Powers writing down my name for evil, O God arise, consume them and their writing, in the name of Jesus.
- 7. Powers hindering my forward movement, by fire, by force, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 8. Lord of hosts, arise, move my enemies from tragedy to tragedy, in the name of Jesus.
- Powers working hard that good people should forget me, O God my Father, make them mad, in the name of Jesus.
- 10. Holy Ghost, roll away my reproach, in the name of Jesus.
- Holy Ghost, defend Your interest in my life and make me a testimony, in the name of Jesus.
- 12. Powers attacking my destiny, hear the word of the Lord, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 13. Authority of darkness surrounding my destiny, scatter, in the name of Jesus.
- Satanic powers attacking my life from afar, die, in the name of Jesus.

- 15. [Make this declaration] Father in the name of Jesus Christ, I submit my spirit, soul, body, and destiny to the authority of the blood that was shed on the cross of Calvary. As I call on the name of Jesus, let the power, let the force, and let the name speak good things into my destiny and speak hell and destruction to my enemies. Thank you, Jesus. Thank you, Holy Spirit. In Jesus name I have declared.
- Powers saying that I will be a failure in my destiny, you are not my God, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 17. Every arrow of Hell Fire fired to seduce my destiny, go back to your senders, in the name of Jesus.
- 18. Voices of confusion assigned against my destiny, I arrest you now, die, in the name of Jesus.
- Voices of confusion speaking into my destiny, I arrest you now, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 20. Every spiritual blindfold on the eyes of my destiny, catch fire, in the name of Jesus.
- 21. Every situation set by the devil to trouble my destiny, O God my Father, settle them now, in the name of Jesus.

- Every satanic agent troubling my destiny, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 23. My destiny, what are you doing in the slaughterhouse of witchcraft? Come out, in the name of Jesus.
- 24. Powers from my place of birth that are not happy with my progress, I extend your sorrow, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 25. Powers from my place of birth that are cursing my achievements, enough is enough, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 26. Any power anywhere that is saying this country will be my cauldron, you are a liar, die, in the name of Jesus.
- 27. Glory of my destiny, arise, shine, in the name of Jesus.





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