



DEVOTIONAL
for Musicians

5 day devotional to get away with God

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PURPOSE

The purpose of this devotional is to inspire and equip worshiping musicians to deepen their relationship with God through their music. It aims to encourage them to see their musical gifts not just as talents, but as tools for ministry, anointed by God to bring others into His presence. Through these daily reflections, musicians are reminded of the spiritual impact of their worship, encouraging them to play with intention, purpose, and a heart fully surrendered to God.

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Special Thanks to All the Musicians

I want to express my deepest gratitude to each of you who have dedicated your gifts and talents to the Lord. Your commitment to leading others into worship through your music is invaluable. Thank you for the countless hours you've spent honing your craft, and for the sacrifices you've made to serve with excellence. Your faithfulness in creating an atmosphere where God's presence can be experienced is a true blessing. May God continue to anoint your hands, inspire your creativity, and use your music to touch hearts and transform lives. Thank you for being vessels of His glory.

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DAY 1: THE HEART OF WORSHIP

Devotional: As a worshipping musician, your primary instrument is in *your heart*. It's not about performance, but about pouring your love for God into every note you play. Seek to worship him in spirit and in truth, letting every note reflect the overflow of your devotion. Remember, the most important audience will always be God.

Scripture: "God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth." (John 4:24 NKJV)

DAY 2: ANOINTED FOR PURPOSE

Devotional: Your gift is not just a talent, but an anointing that comes from God. As you play, allow the Holy Spirit to guide your hands and your heart, ministry to others through your music. Your role is to create an atmosphere where God's presence can be filled, and his voice can be heard. Trust in his anointing to accomplish what your gift, or your skill cannot do.

Scripture: "But you have been anointed by the Holy One, and you all have knowledge." (1 John 2:20
ESV)

DAY 3: THE POWER OF PRAISE

Devotional: Praise is a powerful weapon in the *hands* of a worshiping musician. When you play, you're not just making music—your waging spiritual warfare. Use your gift to announce to declare God's greatness, knowing that your praise can break chains and bring victory. Let every note and every chord, and melody be a proclamation of **HIS** power.

Scripture: "Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, And a two-edged sword in their hand,"
(Psalms 149:6 NKJV)

DAY 4: PLAYING WITH PURPOSE

Devotional: Every note you play should be with *intention and purpose*, knowing that your music can touch hearts and change lives. Don't underestimate the impact of your well-played song, as it can draw people closer to God. Commit your playing to Him every time and every day, and ask Him to use your music to glorify his name and advance his kingdom.

Scripture: "And whatever you do, do it heartily, as to the Lord and not to men," (Colossians 3:23 NKJV)

DAY 5: A LIFESTYLE OF WORSHIP

Devotional: Worship isn't just something you do; it's *who you are*. As a musician, your life should be a constant act of worship, where every moment is an offering to God. Let your relationship with **Him**, inspire your music, and let your music be a reflection of your daily walk with him. Strive to live a life that equals the worship you express through your instrument.

Scripture: "I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, which is your reasonable service." (Romans 12:1 NKJV)

PRAYER:

Thank You for the gift of music and the ability to worship You through it. I surrender my talents and skills to You, asking that You use them for Your glory. Let my heart be fully devoted to You, so that every note I play is an offering of love and adoration. May Your anointing flow through me, breaking chains, and bringing healing to those who hear. Help me to live a life of worship, for my music reflects the depth of my relationship with You. Guide my hands, inspire my creativity, and everything I do be a testament to Your greatness.

In Jesus' name, Amen.

AWAKEN THE MUSICIANARIES

Introduction: Are You Ready?

In a world desperate for the tangible presence of God, the role of the musician is not just to entertain but to intercede, to usher in an atmosphere where heaven touches earth. This calling is more than just playing notes or singing songs; it is about awakening to the identity and purpose that God has for us as *musicianaries*—those who are both musicians and missionaries, anointed to carry the gospel through music and worship.

The Musicianary's Call:

The concept of a "*musicianary*" combines the role of a musician with that of a missionary. Just as missionaries are sent out to spread the gospel, *musicianaries* are sent to carry the presence of God through music, breaking strongholds, and bringing healing and deliverance.

Scripture: “And so it was, whenever the spirit from God was upon Saul, that David would take a harp and play it with his hand. Then Saul would become refreshed and well, and the distressing spirit would depart from him.” (I Samuel 16:23 NKJV)

David’s role in Saul’s life as a musician is a clear example of how music, under the anointing, carries the power to change atmospheres and bring freedom.

The Power of Anointed Music:

Music has a unique ability to bypass intellectual barriers and reach straight into the heart. When combined with the anointing, it becomes a powerful tool in God’s hands. We see this demonstrated throughout the Bible, where music is used in battles, worship, and prophecy.

Scripture: “But now bring me a musician.” Then it happened, when the musician played, that the hand of the Lord came upon him. And he said, “Thus says the Lord...” (II Kings 3:15-16 NKJV)

Here, Elisha calls for a musician, and as the music plays, the word of the Lord is released. This highlights how music can prepare the heart to receive divine revelation and direction.

The Musicianary's Weapon:

In the spiritual realm, music is more than just a form of expression; it is a weapon of warfare. As *musicianaries*, our instruments and voices become weapons that God uses to advance His kingdom and tear down the works of the enemy.

Scripture: "Let the high praises of God be in their mouth, And a two-edged sword in their hand," (Psalms 149:6 NKJV)

Our praises are not just songs; they are declarations of victory, a two-edged sword that pierces through darkness and establishes the kingdom of God in the earth.

Awakening the Musicianaries:

The time has come for those with musical gifts to awaken to their true calling. God is raising

up a generation of *musicianaries* who understand that their music is a ministry, not just a performance. They are called to be voices in the wilderness, preparing the way for the Lord's return through prophetic and anointed sounds.

Scripture: "How beautiful upon the mountains Are the feet of him who brings good news, Who proclaims peace, Who brings glad tidings of good things, Who proclaims salvation, Who says to Zion, "Your God reigns!"" (Isaiah 52:7 NKJV)

Just as this scripture speaks of those who carry the good news, *musicianaries* are those who carry the message of the gospel in song, proclaiming peace and salvation through their music.

Conclusion:

The awakening of *musicianaries* is not just a trend but a divine mandate. God is calling His musicians to step into their role as *missionaries*, carrying His presence, proclaiming His word, and advancing His

kingdom through the power of music. As we respond to this call, we will see the earth filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord, as the waters cover the sea (Habakkuk 2:14).

I Am Musicianary.

CHALLENGE

1. Are you ready to be awakened as a *musicianary*?

2. Will you allow God to use your gift to bring His kingdom to earth?

Let us rise up and take our place, knowing that our music has the power to change lives, shift atmospheres, and glorify God in ways beyond what we can imagine. Let's talk about this.

REVIEW, STUDY & DISCUSS

1. This calling is more than just _____ or _____.
2. Both musicians and missionaries are anointed to carry the gospel through _____.
3. David's role as a musician is a clear example of how music, under the _____, carries the power to _____ atmosphere and _____.
4. The Musicianary's Weapons are _____
_____, _____

What is your challenge, group discussion;

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Bringing up the Ark symbolizes a return to the heart of worship, where God's presence is central and celebrated. As God restores the Tabernacle of David, He is reviving a pure, passionate worship that breaks down barriers and unites His people. This restoration is marked by the sound of rejoicing and praise, as worshipers lift their voices and instruments in adoration. The Ark's return signifies a renewal of intimacy with God, where His glory dwells among His people once again. In this season, God is calling His church to restore the joy of His presence, leading us into a deeper experience of His power and love. By the grace of God, we have spoken life into the dry bones of the artistic community, calling them to unite with a common purpose and vision. Holy Spirit, breathe Your life into them, bringing healing and freedom to worship You with their gifts under Your anointing. Lord, breathe once more upon Your musicians, minstrels, psalmists, and singers. Restore and revive them, empowering them to use their talents for Your glory. Let their worship rise as a

sweet fragrance, touching hearts and transforming lives through Your divine presence. May they be vessels of Your anointing, bringing forth a sound that reflects Your love and power. Breathe new life into their gifts, that they may lead others into deeper encounters with You.

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ABOUT THE AUTHOR

Manuel D. Rodriguez is an accomplished musician and minstrel leader known for his deep passion for creating an atmosphere where God's presence can be felt through music. With a heart for prophetic and anointed worship, he skillfully blends his musical talent with his spiritual calling, leading others into meaningful encounters with God. Manuel's ministry is marked by a commitment to excellence and a desire to see lives transformed through the power of worship. His journey as a worshiping musician is a testament to his dedication to glorifying God with every note he plays.