



# Cleansing from Defilement



2 Corinthians 7:1 Therefore, having these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

Spiritual Hygiene is all about:

- I. Separation and Consecration
- II. Purity and Presence of God

Matthew 5:8 Blessed are the pure in heart for they shall see God

Levels of Cleansing, Purity and Consecration



**Psalm 139:23-24**

23 Search me, O God, and know my heart;  
try me, and know my anxieties;  
24 and see if there is any wicked way in me,  
and lead me in the way everlasting.

**Psalm 36:9** For with YOU is the Fountain  
of LIFE, in YOUR LIGHT, we see LIGHT ...



**Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:**

1. Deal with the spirit of rejection via:

A. Abortion

**Psalm 139:13-16 (NLT)**

13 You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother's womb. 14 Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex! Your workmanship is marvelous—how well I know it. 15 You watched me as I was being formed in utter seclusion, as I was woven together in the dark of the womb. 16 You saw me before I was born. Every day of my life was recorded in your book. Every moment was laid out before a single day had passed.



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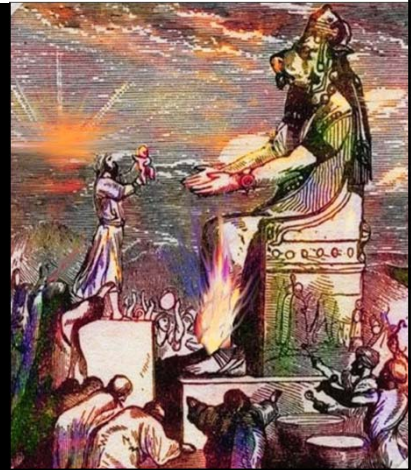
### A. Abortion

**Leviticus 18:21** (NIV) Do not give any of your children to be sacrificed to Molech ...

**Leviticus 20:2-3** (NIV)

**2** Say to the Israelites: 'Any Israelite or any alien living in Israel who gives any of his children to Molech must be put to death. The people of the community are to stone him.

**3** I will set my face against that man and I will cut him off from his people; for by giving his children to Molech, he has defiled my sanctuary and profaned my holy name.



## Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

1. Deal with the spirit of rejection via: A. Abortion

Dear Heavenly Father,

(1) We confess and repent of the sin of aborting our child and ask You for forgiveness.

(2) We appropriate the Blood of Jesus to cleanse us and to cover the grounds given to the evil one.

(3) We ask of You to heal us of the hurts and pains of this experience.

(4) We thank You that the child is now with You and that we will see that child one day.

### Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

1. Deal with the spirit of rejection via: A. Abortion

(5) We submit to Jesus as Lord of our lives.

(6) We rebuke every spirit of rejection to get out of our lives.  
We are cleansed and covered by the Blood of the Lamb.

(7) Lord, grant us Your grace to live in obedience and dependence  
only on You in Jesus' Name, Amen!

### Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

1. Deal with the spirit of rejection via:

B. Adoption

- SOFC issues in the child
- child may have been earlier dedicated to the gods
- born out of wedlock
- born of parents who are drug addicts
- abandoned at orphanages/homes/agencies
- various grounds given to evil one from conception to point of adoption, etc.




## Prayers for Cleansing - Deal with the spirit of rejection via Adoption

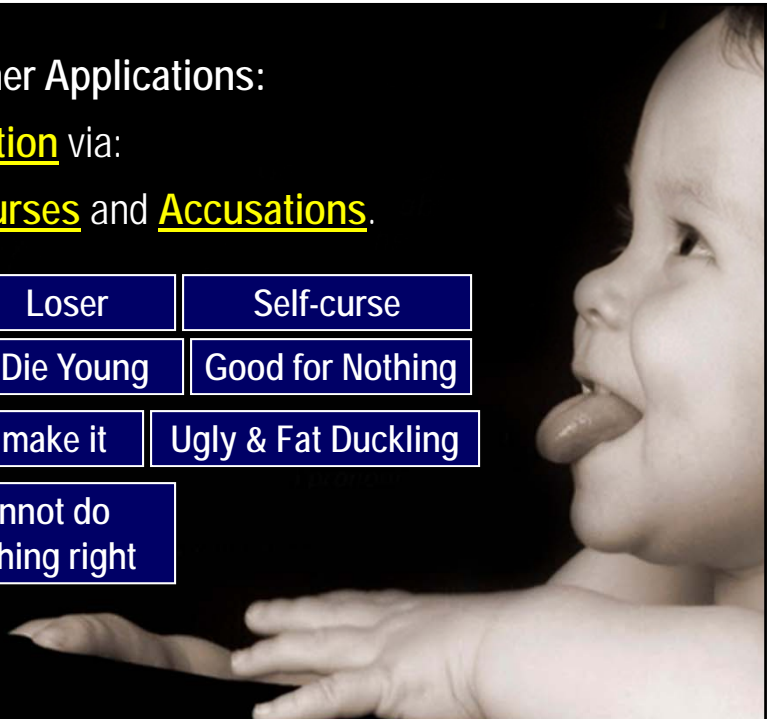
Dear Heavenly Father,

- (1) We thank You Lord for this child \_\_\_\_\_ (name) that we have adopted.
- (2) In Jesus' Name, we break every consequence of the sins of the child's blood parents and forefathers.
- (3) We dedicate this child \_\_\_\_\_ (name) to You God as his Saviour and Lord.
- (4) We resist and cast out every spirit of rejection in the child \_\_\_\_\_ (name).
- (5) Lord, we ask You to heal the hurts and wound in the child.
- (6) We ask for Your grace to parent the child in the fear and knowledge of the Lord in Jesus' Name, Amen!

## Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

1. Deal with the spirit of rejection via:
  - C. Verbal Abuse, Word Curses and Accusations.

Hopeless	Stupid	Loser	Self-curse
Never Marry	Born Failure	Die Young	Good for Nothing
Always the Failure	Never will make it	Ugly & Fat Duckling	
Your husband will leave for another woman	Cannot do anything right		
Not as bright as your sister			



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C. Verbal Abuse, Word Curses and Accusations.

**Proverbs 18:21** Death and life are in the power of the tongue, and those who love it will eat its fruit.

**Matthew 5:25** Agree with your adversary quickly, while you are on the way with him, lest your adversary deliver you to the judge, the judge hand you over to the officer, and you be thrown into prison.



## Prayers for Cleansing from Verbal Abuse, Word Curses and Accusations.

Dear Heavenly Father,

- (1) I confess and repent of what I have said and done to cause the person (name) to verbally abuse, curse and accuse me. I ask for Your forgiveness.
- (2) I forgive \_\_\_\_\_ (name) for doing so.
- (3) I appropriate the Blood of Jesus to cleanse and to cover me from the word curses.
- (4) I ask of You to heal me of the hurts and pains from this experience.

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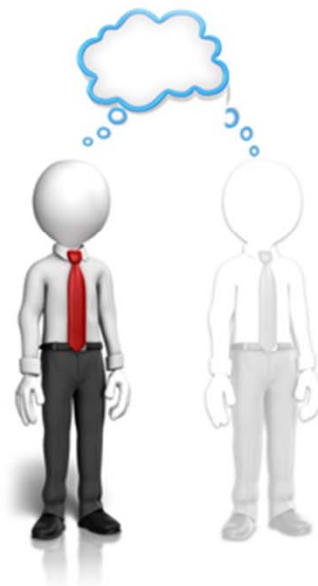
- (5) I submit to You as Lord over my life - spirit, soul and body.
- (6) In Jesus' Name, I nullify every consequence and rebuke every unclean spirit associated with the verbal abuse, word curses and accusations.
- (7) Nullify - replace the word curses and replace with godly beliefs.
- (8) Lord, grant me the grace to walk in obedience and total dependence on You in Jesus' Name, Amen!

## Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

- 1. Deal with the spirit of rejection via:
  - D. Transference of unclean spirits

### 1 Corinthians 2:11-12 (NIV)

**11** For who among men knows the thoughts of a man except the man's spirit within him. In the same way, no one knows the thoughts of God except the Spirit of God. **12** We have not received the spirit of the world but the Spirit who is from God, that we may understand what God has freely given us.





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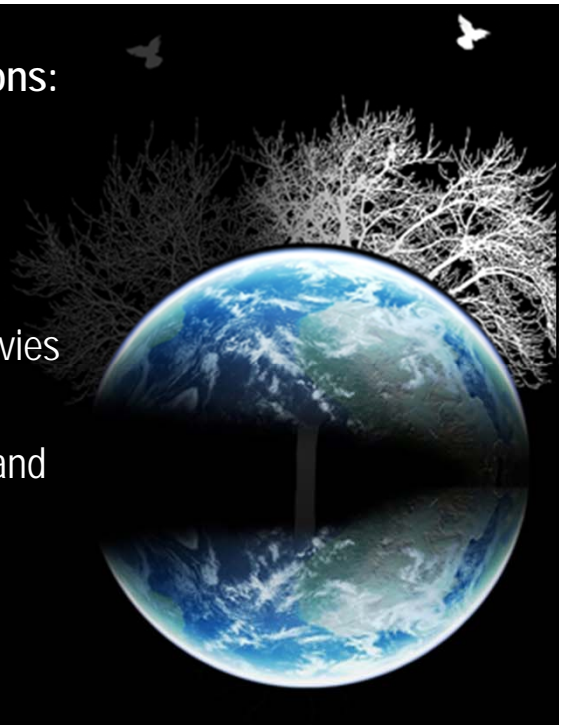
D. Transference of unclean spirits

The spirit of the world comes via

Example #1 - Psychic - horror movies

Example #2 - Sexual spirits via  
pornography, books and  
TV / movies

Example #3 - Greed and  
Covetousness



## Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

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D. Transference of unclean spirits

Example #4 - Negative values from bad company

**1 Corinthians 15:33** Do not be deceived:

"Evil company corrupts good habits."

**Psalms 1:1** Blessed is the man Who walks not in  
the counsel of the ungodly, nor stands in the path  
of sinners, nor sits in the seat of the scornful;





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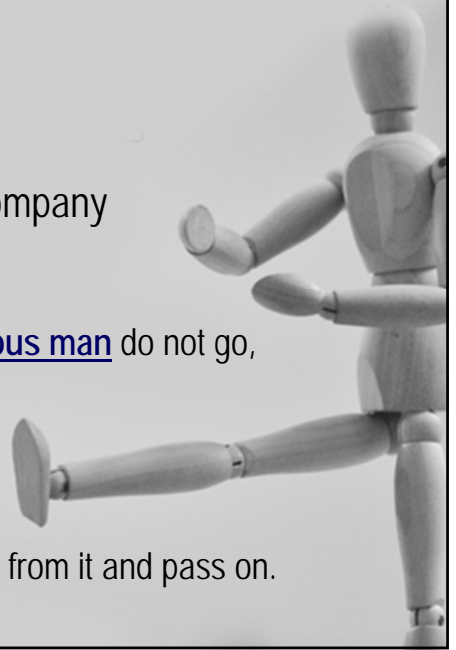
Example #4 - Negative values from bad company

### Proverbs 22:24-25

**24** Make no friendship with an angry man, and with a furious man do not go,  
**25** lest you learn his ways and set a snare for your soul.

### Proverbs 4:14-15

**14** Do not enter the path of the wicked, and do not walk in the way of evil. **15** Avoid it, do not travel on it; turn away from it and pass on.



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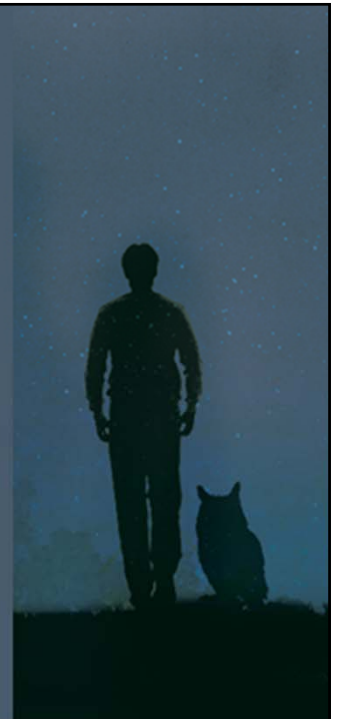
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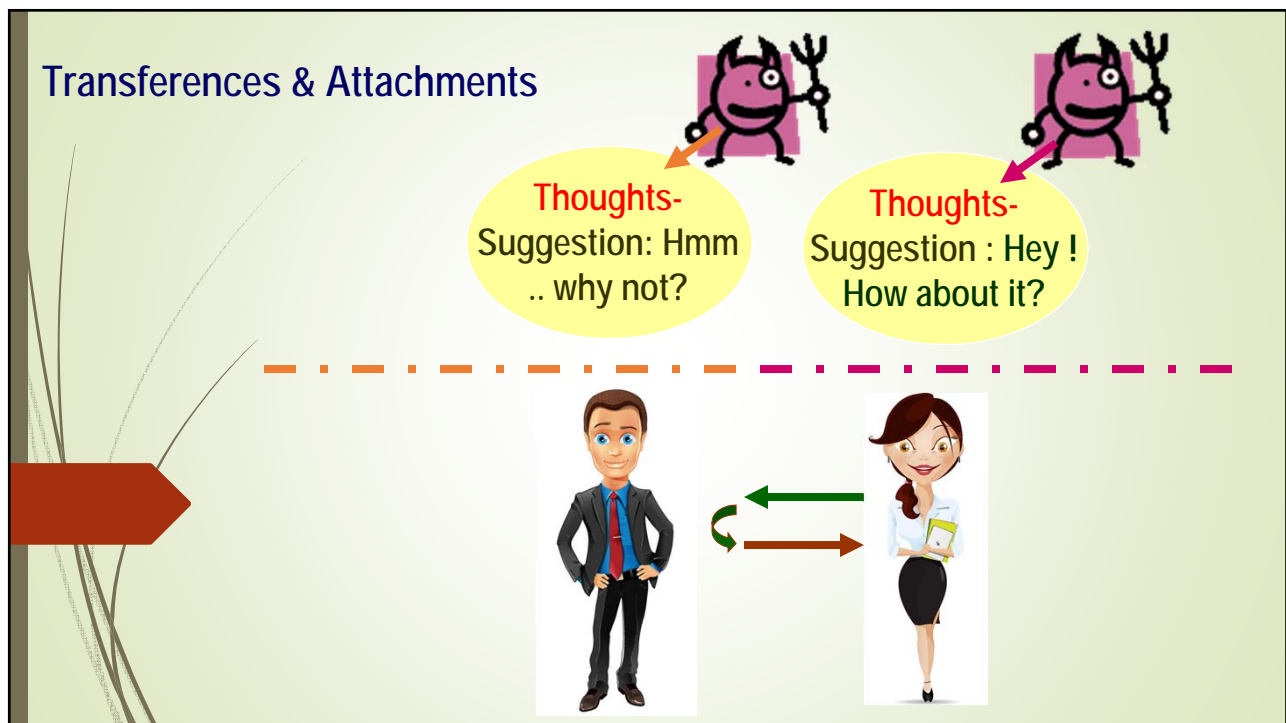
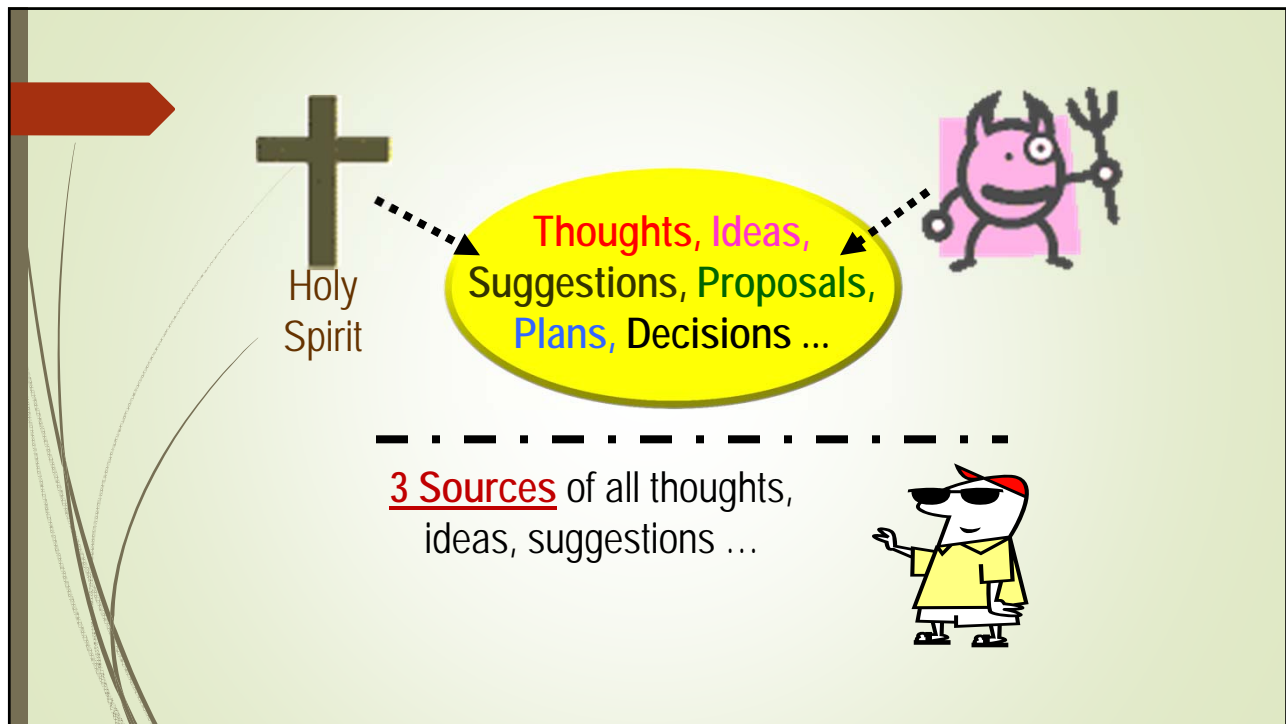
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**Proverbs 23:20** Do not mix with winebibbers, or with gluttonous eaters of meat

**Proverbs 29:24** Whoever is a partner with a thief hates his own life; he swears to tell the truth, but reveals nothing.

**Proverbs 13:20** He who walks with wise men will be wise, but the companion of fools will be destroyed.





Transference via laying on of hands

**The Positive:** *Old Testament*

Leviticus 4:15 And the elders of the congregation shall lay their hands on the head of the bull before the LORD. Then the bull shall be killed before the LORD.

**The Positive:** *New Testament*

Laying on of hands for anointing and impartation of spiritual gifts from God.

- Numbers 11:16-17 - Moses to 70 Elders
- Deuteronomy 34:9 - Moses to Joshua
- Romans 1:11 - Paul to believers in Rome
- 1 Timothy 4:14 - Elders to Timothy
- 2 Timothy 1:6 - Paul to Timothy



**Principles on Receiving Spiritual Gifts and Anointing:**

(1) The giver of all spiritual gifts and anointing is God.

**1 Corinthians 12:11** But one and the same Spirit works all these things, distributing to each one individually as He wills.

**1 John 2:20, 27**

**20** But you have an anointing from the Holy One, and you know all things.

**27** But the anointing which you have received from Him abides in you, and you do not need that anyone teach you; but as the same anointing teaches you concerning all things, and is true, and is not a lie, and just as it has taught you, you will abide in Him.

## Principles on Receiving Spiritual Gifts and Anointing:

- (2) God uses His vessels of honour to impart the gifts from Him, to the receiver, by the laying on of hands.



**2 Timothy 2:21** Therefore if anyone cleanses himself from the latter, he will be a vessel for honor, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work.

**1 Timothy 4:14** Do not neglect the gift that is in you, which was given to you (from God) by prophecy with the laying on of the hands of the eldership.


**2 Timothy 1:6** Therefore I remind you to stir up the gift of God which is in you (from God) through the laying on of my hands.

(from God) - emphasis is mine [SP]

## Principles on Receiving Spiritual Gifts and Anointing:

- (3A) We do not receive the gift-anointing from the person who is laying hands.  
(3B) He can never impart his own gifting-anointing to us.





**Principles on Receiving Spiritual Gifts and Anointing:**

- (4A) The spiritual gift-anointing is given in seed form.
- (4B) The spiritual gift-anointing must be developed.

**Principles on Receiving Spiritual Gifts and Anointing:**

	<b>Public Life</b>
	Wisdom   Strength   Charisma   Talents
<b>Seen / Visible</b>	Smart   Articulate   Abilities   Gifts
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<b>Unseen / Invisible</b>	<b>Private Life</b>
	Time Alone With God   Agonizing in Prayer
	Character   Obedience   Humility   Struggles
	Teachability   Blood, Sweat & Tears
	Stress, Anxieties & Fears   Deep Walk with God



## Principles on Receiving Spiritual Gifts and Anointing:

(5) Spiritual leaders must be careful not to hastily lay hands on anyone.

**1 Timothy 5:22** Do NOT lay hands on anyone hastily, nor share in other people's sins; keep yourself pure.

**Context:** Laying Hands on People into Leadership/Eldership

(6) Be very careful who lay hands on you. Know what you are receiving.



**Transference** via laying on of hands

The **Negative**

- New Age Practices
- Holding Hands for Channelling
- Massages that uses reiki-ed energy



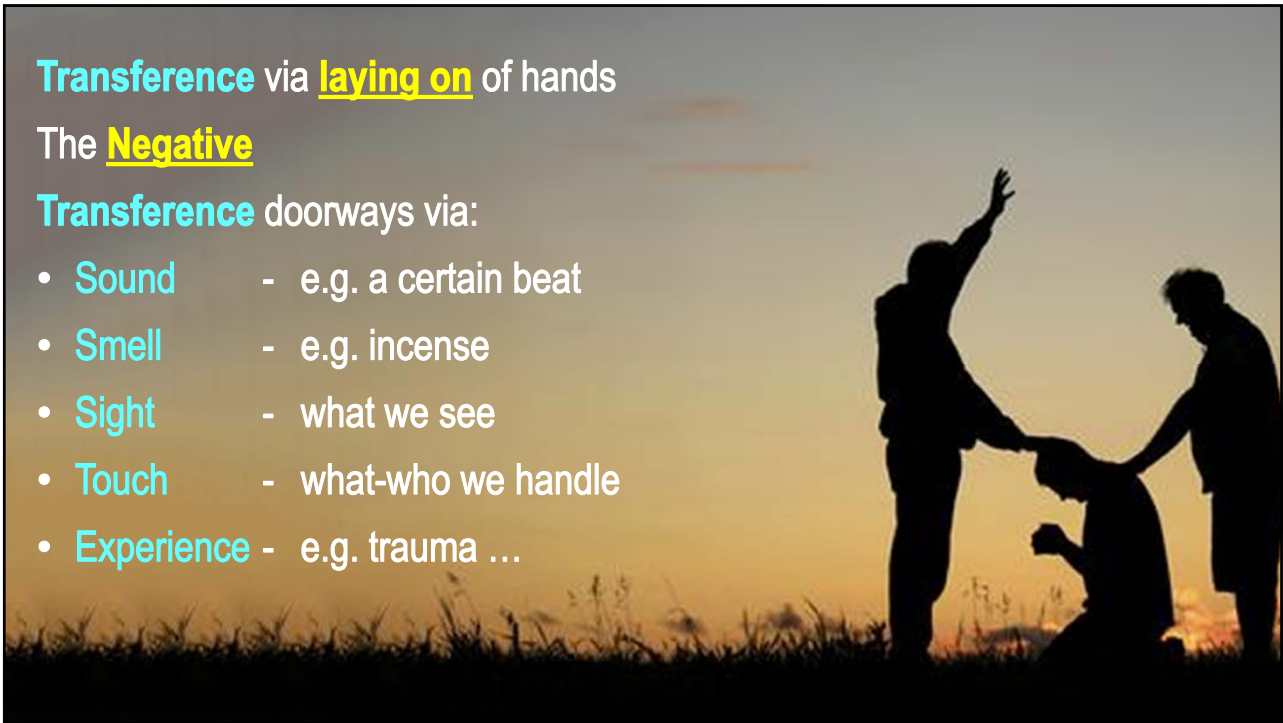


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**Transference** doorways via:

- **Sound** - e.g. a certain beat
- **Smell** - e.g. incense
- **Sight** - what we see
- **Touch** - what-who we handle
- **Experience** - e.g. trauma ...



Prayers for Cleansing - Further Applications:

2. House cleansing and dedication.
  - A. Appropriating the Blood of Christ and
  - B. Applying the Anointing Oil.

**Psalm 16:5-6**

**5** Lord, You have assigned me my portion and my cup;  
You have made my lot secure. **6** The boundary lines  
have fallen for me in pleasant places; surely I have delightful inheritance.

**Psalm 34:7** The angel of the Lord encamps around those who fear Him,  
and He delivers them.



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**Deuteronomy 23:14** For the Lord your God walks in the midst of your camp [His Presence], to deliver you [Protection] and give your enemies over to you [Victory]; therefore your camp shall be HOLY, that He may see NO UNCLEAN THING among you and turn away from you.



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#### **Proverbs 24:3-4**

**3** Through wisdom a house is built, and by understanding it is established; **4** by knowledge the rooms are filled, with all precious and pleasant riches.



## Symptoms of Spiritual Darkness



Unexplained Illnesses  
or bondage

Restless  
disturbed children

Frequent  
Nightmares

Poltergeists-movement of physical  
objects by demons

Para-normal  
experiences

Ghosts or demonic  
apparitions

Continual Bad Dreams  
& Nightmares

No Peace  
@ Home

Heaviness in  
atmosphere

Constant  
Fights

No  
Peace

Insomnia

House cleansing and dedication

Confession of sins committed by  
previous tenants of

- Room
- Flat / Apartment
- House
- Building



**2 Corinthians 10:13** - spiritual authority and spiritual boundaries

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**Let us PRAY now**

Invite the Presence of the Lord

## Conclusion

**2 Corinthians 7:1** Therefore, having these promises, beloved, let us cleanse ourselves from all filthiness of the flesh and spirit, perfecting holiness in the fear of God.

