

# NEW season warfare

PART 2



# Review - Understand the Warfare - 5 Basic Fronts:

- I. Schemes of the evil one.
- II. Giving Space - Ground to the evil one to work against us.
- III. Demonic Strongholds in our lives.
- IV. Shakings in the demonic world around us.
- V. Failing to Surrender to the Lordship of Christ.



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A young girl with long brown hair, wearing a pink shirt and blue overalls, is sitting on a dark brown couch. She is holding an open book, and a glowing, fiery heart shape is emanating from the pages. The scene is dimly lit, with blue curtains in the background and a window showing a night sky with stars. The overall mood is peaceful and magical.

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continually experience  
the mercy, grace and  
favour from God.**

**WHY?**

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1. **NSNW** - Going Deeper.  
More given, more demanded!

**Luke 8:18** Therefore take heed how you hear.  
For whoever has, to him more will be  
given; and whoever does not have, even what  
he seems to have will be taken from him.”







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**1 Peter 4:17** For the time has come for judgment (Justice and Righteousness) to begin at the house of God; and if it begins with us first, what will be the end of those who do not obey the gospel of God?

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**Luke 18:1-8** Understand God **wants to** always bless us but **cannot** if there is **ground against us**.

**This is because He cannot be loving but unrighteous**

**Jeremiah 9:23-24**

**God = Loving Kindness + Justice + Righteousness (simultaneously)**



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**Titus 1:4** To Titus, a true son in our common faith: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ our Saviour.

**2 John 3** Grace, mercy, and peace will be with you from God the Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ, the Son of the Father, in truth and love.



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**1 Timothy 1:2** To Timothy, a true son in the faith: Grace, mercy, and peace from God our Father and Jesus Christ our Lord.

**2 Timothy 1:2** To Timothy, a beloved son: Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord.

**Peace = Eirene-Shalom = Favour = Wholesome Well-being**



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# I. Plead for Mercy.

## 1. Definition

A. Mercy is not getting what we deserve.

Romans 6:23 For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.



**Separated from God, we reap everything the devil hurls at us:  
continually accused, condemned, lied to, stolen, killed,  
destroyed, death!**



# I. Plead for Mercy.

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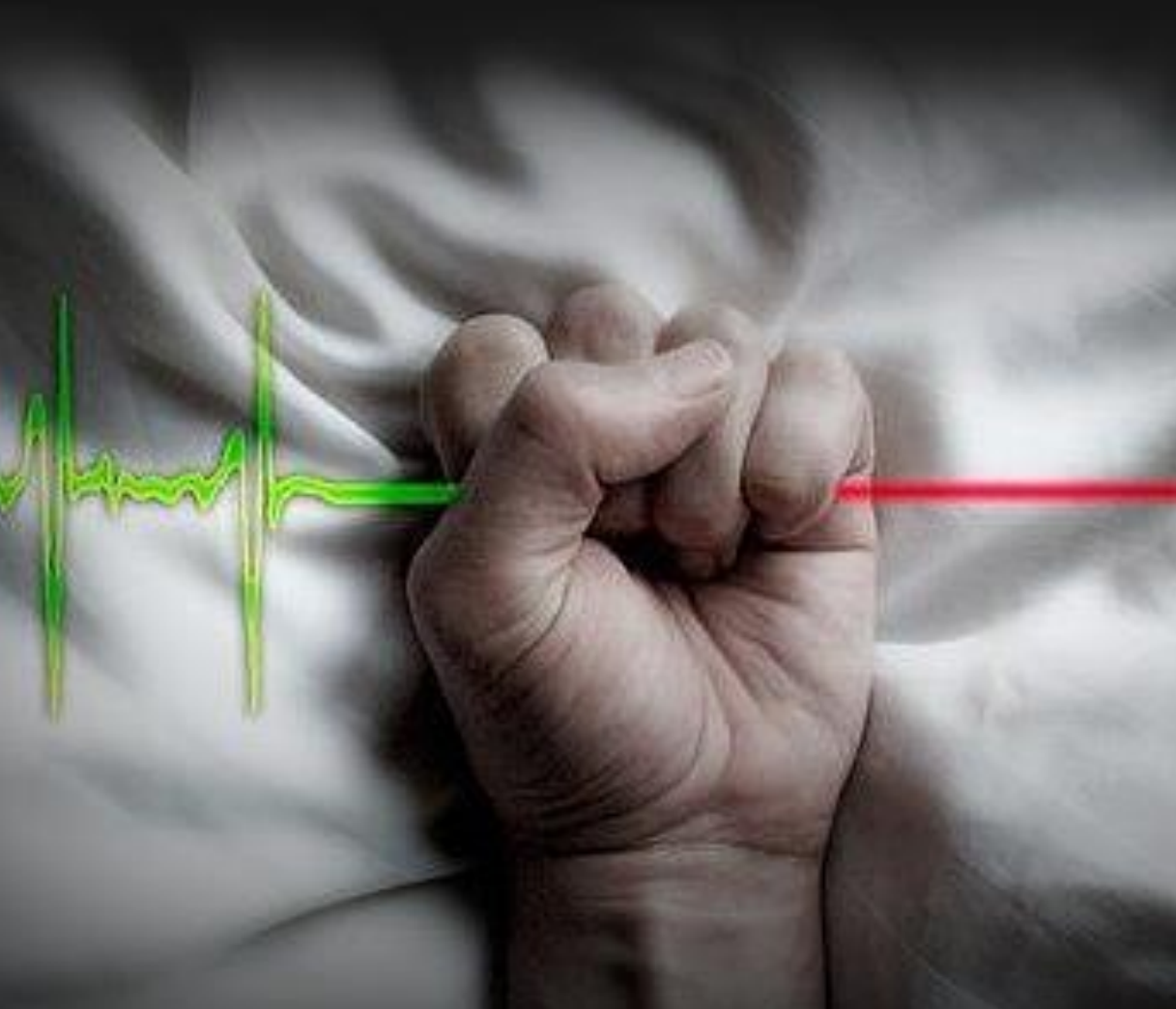
Galatians 6:7-8

7 Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. 8 For he who sows to his flesh will of the flesh reap corruption, but he who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life.

Reflect from time born to date,  
and bring every wrong under the Blood!



B. Mercy is not reaping the negative consequences of what we have previously sown wrongly.



**Deuteronomy 30:19** I call heaven and earth as witnesses today against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing; therefore choose life, that both you and your descendants may live ...

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1 Timothy 5:24 Some men's sins (failures) are clearly evident, preceding them to judgment, but those of some men follow later.

Gibeonites - Joshua 9 - 2 Samuel 21

Joshua failed re succession

BH-GL

Parenting - after 7 year cycles - Hl-elder-son/daughter



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1 John 5:16-17

16 If anyone sees his brother sinning a sin which does not lead to death, he will ask, and He will give him life for those who commit sin not leading to death. There is sin leading to death. I do not say that he should pray about that. 17 All unrighteousness is sin, and there is sin not leading to death.



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Leviticus 10

Nadab & Abihu -  
offered strange fire

Numbers 16

Korah & his clan  
- Rebellion

Joshua 6-7

Achan who took  
the accursed things

1 Samuel 3-4

Eli's two sons  
who sinned  
against the Lord

2 Samuel 6

Uzzah - touched  
the Ark

Acts 5

Ananias & Sapphira  
- lied to the Holy Spirit

**1 Corinthians 11** Those who abuse the Lord's Supper



I. Plead for Mercy.

2. Appropriate the Blood of Jesus for:

A. Forgiveness;

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He is faithful and just to forgive us  
our sins and to cleanse us from  
all unrighteousness.

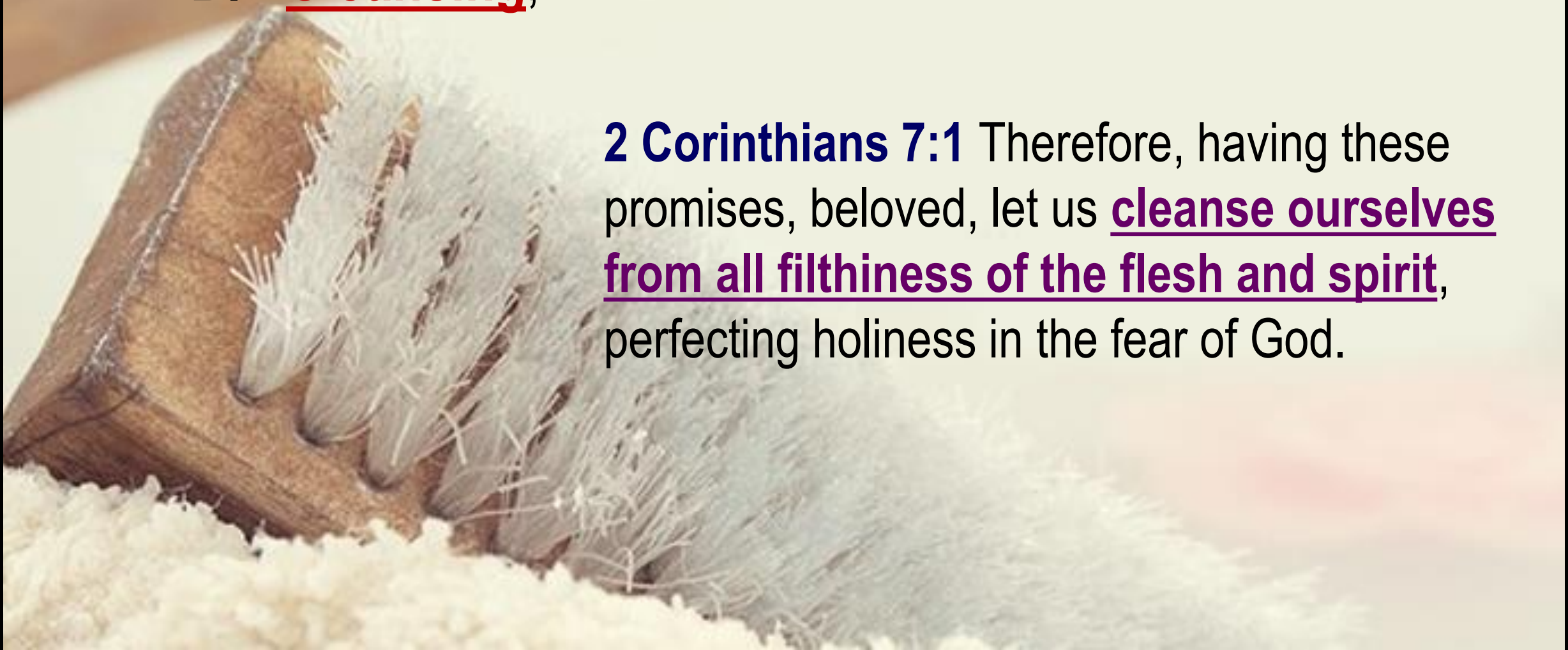


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B. Cleansing;

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2. Appropriate the Blood of Jesus for:

C. Covering.

**Ephesians 4:27** Nor give place-doorway-foothold-ground to the devil.

**Psalms 32:1** Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered.

**1 Peter 5:8** Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour.

**Courts of Heaven**

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Doesn't appropriating the Blood automatically provide forgiveness, cleansing and covering?

**NO!**

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**Forgiveness restores Fellowship**  
**- Right Standing with God -**





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**All sins defile us. We must cleanse ourselves!**

**Hebrews 12:14** Pursue peace with all people, and holiness, without which no one will see the Lord.

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**Hebrews 4:16** Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need.



Go to God and intentionally obtain mercy to cover our wrongs!



**Primary areas** Satan have  
**legal grounds** against us:

1. **Sin, transgression, iniquity.**
2. Legal ground in our **bloodline.**
3. Our own **judgmental words.**

4. Words of those with **spiritual** authority.
5. Words of those in **positions** of authority over you.
6. **Motives** of the hearts.
7. Failing to **tithe.**
8. Unresolved relational **conflicts.**

Primary areas Satan have  
legal grounds against us:

9. Failing to look after the widows, orphans and aliens.
10. Husbands failing to honour their wives.
11. Failing to show mercy.

12. Failing to forgive.

13. Grieving the Holy Spirit.

14. Quenching the Holy Spirit.



I. Plead for Mercy.

3. The Lord's mercies are current, present,  
available.

Lamentation 3:22-23

22 Through the Lord's mercies we are not  
consumed, because His compassions fail not.

23 They are new every morning; great is  
Your faithfulness.



I. **Plead** for Mercy.

3. The Lord's mercies are **current**, **present**, **available**.

**Psalm 51:1** Have mercy upon me, O God, according to Your lovingkindness; according to the **multitude of Your tender mercies**, blot out my transgressions.

**Psalm 69:16** Hear me, O Lord, for Your lovingkindness is good; turn to me according to the **multitude of Your tender mercies**.

**Psalm 106:45** And for their sake He remembered His covenant, and relented according to the **multitude of His mercies**.





I. Plead for Mercy.

4. Mercy triumphs over judgment.

**James 2:13** For judgment is without mercy to the one who has shown no mercy.

Mercy triumphs over judgment.

Re-align our lives to continually experience the mercy, grace and favour from God.

II. Pursue the specific Grace for our specific needs.

III. Position our lives to obtain Favour





A glowing white cross is held in two hands against a dark background. The hands are positioned at the base of the cross, with fingers slightly curled. The cross itself is bright and appears to be made of a translucent material, with light emanating from its center. The background is a deep, dark blue or black, creating a strong contrast with the white cross and the skin of the hands.

II. **Pursue** the specific Grace for our specific needs.

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Luke 11:11-13

11 If a son asks for bread from any father among you, will he give him a stone? Or if he asks for a fish, will he give him a serpent instead of a fish?

12 Or if he asks for an egg, will he offer him a scorpion? 13 If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!"



II. Pursue the specific Grace for our specific needs.

Hebrews 11:6

But without

A person is walking on a tightrope that stretches across a deep canyon. The word "FAITH" is written in large, dark, block letters on the tightrope. The person is standing on the letter "I". The background shows a vast, hazy landscape with mountains and a cloudy sky.

it is impossible to please Him, for he who comes to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of those who diligently seek Him.

Our **Prayer of Faith** is the hand that reaches out to receive the Grace we need!

Don't focus on your **level** of faith.

Focus on the glorious riches of the **Grace** of God!

## II. Pursue the specific Grace for our specific needs.

### Needs in One Lives

- Needs
- Sickness
- Stress
- Anxieties & Worries
- Fears
- Emptiness & Void
- Bondage

### Specific Grace that we need

- Provision
- Healing
- Protection
- Strength
- Peace
- Love of God
- Presence of God
- Deliverance





II. Pursue the specific Grace for our specific needs. **HOW?**

1. List out our specific needs for this season of our lives
2. Find a promise/word from Scriptures corresponding to the need.
3. Pray earnestly to appropriate that grace for your specific needs.
4. Do so until you receive that specific grace for the specific need!

II. Pursue the specific Grace for our specific needs.

1 Peter 2:2-3

2 as newborn babes, desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby,

3 if indeed you have tasted-experienced that the Lord is gracious.

When we continually stand on the Word and experience God coming through for us, we grow Faith Convictions!





II. Pursue the specific Grace for our specific needs.

James 1:17 Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and comes down from the Father of lights, with whom there is no variation or shadow of turning.

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1. We must increasingly know:

A. Our Primary Calling: connected to our basic responsibilities in life.

B. Our Missional Calling: God's assignment for us to influence and impact lives.

C. We need the Favour of God to fulfil especially our Missional Calling.

E.g. Joseph, Esther, Daniel, Jesus  
+ They grew in Favour!

III. **Position** our lives to obtain Favour.

2. We must increasingly **recognize** the Favour of God in our lives:

Mobilize others to help us accomplish  
our destiny plans and calling

Open  
doors

Position us in places  
of influence

Designed to help us to help others  
extend the Kingdom of God

Goodwill, acceptance  
and benefits flowing

Special advantages and  
preferential treatment

Higher levels of  
success and service

Winsomeness

Promotes us

Favour is **BONUS**  
Grace!



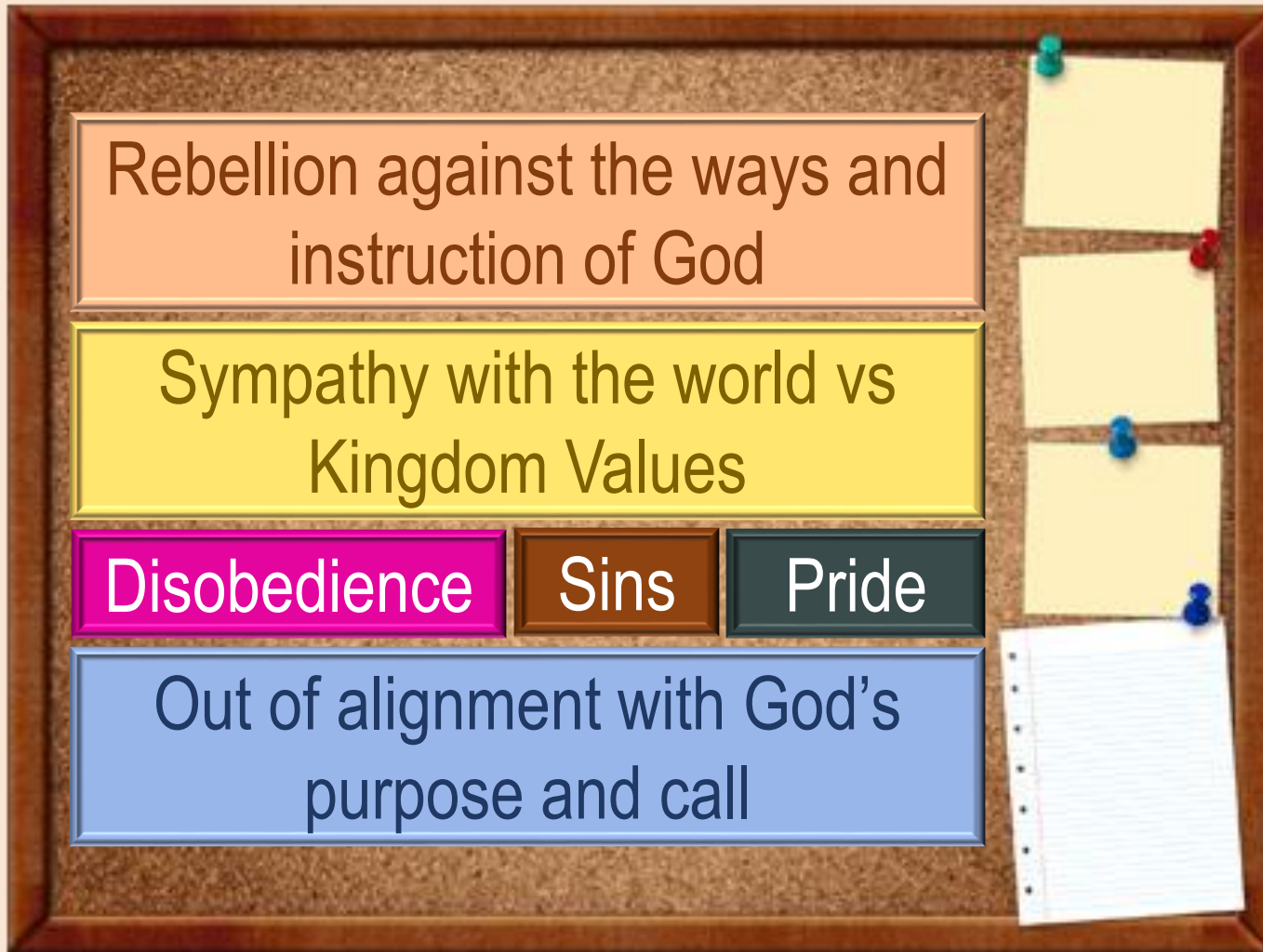
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Psalm 84:11 [ESV] For the Lord God is a sun and shield; the Lord  
bestows favour and honour. No good thing does he withhold from  
those who walk uprightly.

Psalm 5:12 For You, O Lord, will bless the righteous; with favour  
You will surround him as with a shield.

III. Position our lives to obtain Favour.

3. Be aware of what blocks God's Favour in our lives.





III. Position our lives to obtain Favour.

4. Do whatever is necessary to restore God's Favour in our lives.

Psalm 119:58-60

58 I entreated Your favour with my whole heart; be merciful to me according to Your word. 59 I thought about my ways, and turned my feet to Your testimonies. 60 I made haste, and did not delay to keep Your commandments.

III. Position our lives to obtain Favour.

5. Brokenness - humility & contrite-ness attracts Favour from God!

Isaiah 57:15 For thus says the High and Lofty One who inhabits eternity, whose name is Holy: “I dwell in the high and holy place, with him who has a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones.





III. Position our lives to obtain Favour.

6. Favour still comes to us in spite of:

A. Adverse actions by people.

**Genesis 50:20** But as for you,  
you meant evil against me;  
but God meant it for good, in order  
to bring it about as it is this day,  
to save many people alive.

III. Position our lives to obtain Favour.

6. Favour still comes to us in spite of:

B. Adverse circumstances

Romans 8:28 And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose.





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**Know the Redemptive Purpose of God**

**Mercy, Grace and Favour**  
is always for the above purpose

**Blessed to be a Blessing**