PRAYER STUDY #113

Spirits of our God

Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try[or test] the spirits whether they are of God, because many false prophets are gone out into the world.

How to test the spirits

- 1. Every spirit that confesses that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God. (1st John 4:2
- 2. The witness of the Spirit-(We are of God. He that knoweth God heareth us; he that is not of God heareth not us. By this know we the spirit of truth and the spirit of error. 1st John 4:6)
- 3. You shall know them by their fruit. (Beware of false prophets who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves. You shall know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes of thorns or figs of thistles? Matthew 6:15-16)

PRINCIPLE OF BINDING AND LOOSING-Matthew 16:19

"And I will give unto thee the keys of the kingdom of heaven, and whatsoever thou shalt bind on earth shall be bound in heaven, and whatsoever thou shalt loose on earth shall be loosed in heaven." KJV

"I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven: the things you don't allow on earth will be the things that God does not allow, and the things you allow on earth will be the things that God allows." NEW CENTURY VERSION

"I will give you the keys of the kingdom of heaven: and whatever you bind on earth shall have been bound in heaven, and whatever you loose on earth shall have been loosed in heaven." NEW AMERICAN STANDARD BIBLE

"And I will give you the keys of the Kingdom of Heaven. Whatever you lock on earth will be locked in heaven, and whatever you open on earth will be opened in heaven." NEW LIVING TRANSLATION

"And that's not all. You will have complete and free access to God's kingdom, keys to open any and every door: no more barriers between heaven and earth, earth and heaven. A yes on earth is **YES** in heaven. A no on earth is **NO** in heaven."

What do we bind?

Demonic Spirits

Spirit of Bondage-Romans 8:15

Spirit of Fear-2nd Timothy 1:7

Dumb and Deaf Spirit-Mark 9:25-26

Spirit of Heaviness-Isaiah 61:3

Spirit of Infirmity-Luke 13:11

Spirit of Jealousy-Numbers 5:14

Spirit of Perversion-Isaiah 19:14

Spirit of Divination or Familiar Spirit-1st Samuel 28

Spirit of Whoredoms-Hosea 4:12

Spirit of Haughtiness-Proverbs 16:18

Lying Spirit-2nd Chronicles 18:22

Spirit of Antichrist-1st John 14:17

What do we loose?

THE SPIRIT OF LIFE-Romans 8:1-2

There is therefore, now no condemnation in them who are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. For the law of the Spirit of Life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death.

THE SPIRIT OF ADOPTION-Romans 8:14-17

For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God. For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear, but ye have received the Spirit of Adoption, whereby we cry Abba, Father. The Spirit himself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God; And if children, then heirs-heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ-if so be that we suffer with Him, that we may be also glorified together.

THE SPIRIT OF TRUTH-John 14:16-17

And I will pray the Father, and He shall give you another Comforter, that He may abide with you forever; even the Spirit of Truth whom the world cannot receive, because it seeth Him not, neither knoweth Him, but ye know Him, for He dwelleth with you and shall be in you.

THE SPIRIT OF WISDOM AND REVELATION-Ephesians 1:15-23

Wherefore, I also, after I heard of your faith in the Lord Jesus and love unto all the saints, cease not to give thanks for you, making mention of you in my prayers: That the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of glory, may give unto you the Spirit of Wisdom and Revelation in the knowledge of Him, The eyes of your understanding being enlightened, that ye may know what is the hope of His calling and what the riches of the glory of His inheritance in the saints, and what is the exceeding greatness of His power toward us who believe, according to the working of His mighty power, which He wrought in Christ when He raised Him from the dead and set Him at His own right hand in the heavenly places, far above all principality and power and might and dominion and every name that is named, not only in this age but also in that which is to come, and hath put all things under His feet and gave Him to be the head over all things to the church, which is His body, the fullness of Him that filleth all in all.

THE SPIRIT OF HOLINESS-Romans 1:1-6

Paul, a servant of Jesus Christ, called to be an apostle, separated unto the gospel of God (which He had promised before by His prophets in the holy scriptures), concerning His Son, Jesus Christ our Lord, who was made of the seed of David, according to the flesh, and declared to be the Son of God with power, according to the Spirit of Holiness, by the resurrection from the dead; by whom we have received grace and apostleship, for obedience to the faith among all nations, for His name, among whom are ye also the called of Jesus Christ.

THE SPIRIT OF POWER, LOVE AND DISCIPLINE(Sound Mind)-2nd Timothy 1:7 For God hath not given us the spirit of fear, but of Power, and of Love and of a Sound Mind.

THE SPIRIT OF FAITH-2nd Corinthians 4;13

We, having the same <u>Spirit of Faith</u>, according as it is written, I believe, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe and therefore speak.

THE SPIRIT OF GRACE-Hebrews 10:29

For if we sin willfully after we have received the knowledge of the truth, there remaineth no more sacrifice for sin, but a certain fearful looking for of judgment and fiery indignation, which shall devour the adversaries. He that despised Moses' law died without mercy under two or three witnesses, of how much sorer punishment, suppose ye, shall he be thought worthy, who hath trodden under feet the Son of God and hath counted the blood of the covenant, with which he was sanctified, an unholy thing, and hath done despite unto the Spirit of Grace? [This much misunderstood passage of scripture is not talking about born again believers. It is written to Jewish people who still thought they had to make animal sacrifices in the temple. They had not accepted the sacrifice of the Son of God and the blood covenant as the only way to salvation, but they considered this sacrifice an unholy thing.}

THE SPIRIT OF GLORY-1st Peter 4:14

If ye be reproached for the name of Christ, happy are ye, for the <u>SPIRIT OF GLORY</u> and of God resteth upon you; on their part, He is evil spoken of, but on your part He is glorified.