Sukkot Self-Help Ministries **January 7, 2021 Presents** Curses & Things Accursed Part 1

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Opening Statements

This teaching will prepare believers to discern and identify curses, word curses, religious items, objects, images, and physical materials that have been working against YOU!

Preface Statements

The topic of curses has many believers in a quandary of misunderstandings. It's not uncommon to hear bits of truth mingled with little or no biblical basis and much conjecture. The reality is that the impact and effects from curses plagues the body of Christ, and that means YOU!

If you believe that curses, word curses and cursed objects are not real and cannot affect you, then this teaching from scripture will challenge your belief system

Today's challenge for everyone, is to understand the effects and consequences of curses and how to break their power!

Hosea 4:6 my people are destroyed from lack of knowledge

Training Goals

■ Training topic

Curses and Things Accursed (C.&T.A.) – 5 teachings

- We will examine from scripture:
 - How curses operate and how God enforces curses
 - How the power of cursed objects can cause misfortune, sickness, and untimely death

Forms of Curses

☐ Curses come in a variety of forms and are mentioned over 200 times in the Bible

Personal Sin	Family & Friends	Generational
Greed/Inheritances/Money	Jewelry–Family/Societies	Land & Property
Arts & Gifts	Clothing & Tattoos	Games & Toys
Biblical	Sororities/Secret Societies	Witchcraft & Occults
Authority & Law	Dancing/Music/Singing	Elements-Ground/Sky

What Are Curses?

From a dictionary's perspective let's look at what curses mean.

- The expression of a wish that misfortune, evil, doom, etc., befall a person, group, etc.
- A formula or charm intended to cause such misfortune to another.
- The act of reciting such a formula
- A profane oath; curse word
- An evil that has been invoked upon one
- ❖ The cause of evil, misfortune, or trouble
- ❖ To wish or invoke evil, calamity, injury, or destruction upon
- Something accursed, to swear at or blaspheme, to afflict with great evil and to excommunicate

Scriptural Curses

The bible validates that Curses are REAL and demonic in nature! Let's look from a scriptural perspective the effects of curses!

- Genesis 3:14 & 3:17 God cursed Satan and the Ground in the garden
 - Cursed (H779 arar) to execrate, bitterly curse
 - Execrate, to detest utterly; abhor; abominate; damn
- ❖ 3:14 And the LORD God said unto the serpent, <u>Because thou hast done this</u> (beguiled), thou art <u>cursed above all</u>
- ❖ 3:17 God said, Because thou hast listened to the voice of thy wife, and hast eaten of the tree, ... cursed is the ground for thy sake; in sorrow shalt thou eat of it all the days of thy life
- In Acts 23:12-14 the Jews that <u>banned together</u> to kill Paul, <u>bound themselves</u> under a curse of not eating until they killed him
 - Curse (G332 anathematizo) to declare or vow under penalty of execration -(bind under a) curse, bind with an oath

What's Next?

- C.&T.A. Part 2
 - ☐ Dissect the origin of curses and their effects
 - □ Canceling word curses
 - Does God enforce curses?

Closing Statements

Let's review highlights of what we have learned from C.&T.A. Part 1.

- Defined what are Curses
- Identified the forms of curses
- Reviewed scriptures regarding curses

'Curses & Things Accursed Part 1'

Thank You For Your Attendance

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