Part 5 How to Cleanse, Anoint and Dedicate your Home to God

The scripture states that as a Christian you no longer belong to yourself but to Jesus, and your body becomes His temple where the Holy Spirit abides:

What? know you not that your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, which is in you, which you have of God, and you are not your own? (1Cor. 6:19 KJV)

If this is true, it also means that all you possess is not yours – it belongs to God who allows you to use it and enjoy it for your needs while you live on earth. If that is true, it means that whatever you own or use needs to be dedicated back to God in alignment with your covenant with God.

So likewise, whosoever he be of you that forsakes not all that he has, he cannot be my disciple. (Luke 14:33 KJV)

How do we forsake all that we have? By giving it back to God in dedication. What is dedication? It is when you thank God for whatever He has given you (not what you gave yourself, there is a difference), and in an act of worship and obedience you give it back to God for His use to bring Him glory.

This requires an attitude change in the heart of a believer when in an act of worship, a believer surrenders all to God. If that is true, then the first step after dedicating your life to God is to cleanse your home from anything that Jesus will not have if He lived with you in your home.

Please ask the Holy Spirit to help you point the things you should get rid of in your home.

Here are examples of things you should not have in your home:

- 1. Statues, paintings or sculptures of pagan gods including African art because of its dedications to their ancestors;
- 2. Music cd's, books, movies or arts that promote violence, sex, death, nudity, horror, the occult, witchcraft, etc;
- 3. Anything that is not in line with sound Christian principles.

Once you got rid of those, you need to ask in repenting prayer God to forgive you for defiling your home with those. Then you are ready to anoint and dedicate your home, property and possessions. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you. Here is a guide on how to do it:

- 1. Take some oil and sanctify it as per the guide in part 4;
- 2. Open the windows and doors in your home. Start anointing room by room, doors and windows and your main appliances and electronics like TV, laptops, pads, mobile phones, fridges, stoves, cars, mirrors, etc.;
- 3. If you have a garden or a yard outside your house, garages, garden rooms or cottages, then anoint them, the four corners of the property and your main gate to the property;
- 4. After you finish anointing, bow on your knees either in the garden of the property or in the main hall of your house, and while all windows and doors are open, pray in the following example prayer: Abba Father, I have anointed my home, property, and possessions with the blood of Jesus and the oil of gladness for your glory. I thank you for giving me all that I need. I ask you now to cleanse my home, property and possessions from any witchcraft, curses, incantations or evil spells, and to send your angels to stand guard. I dedicate my home, property and possessions back to you for Your use and glory. I pray that Your presence will fill my home and that Your Spirit will convict any person in need of salvation who enters my home which is now Your home. Thank you. Amen
- 5. After the prayer, stand on your feet and <u>declare this</u> <u>command</u>: In the name of Jesus Christ I break any curses, spells, incantations or witchcraft placed upon my home, property and possessions, and I command all you demons attached to those to leave at once and go where Jesus Christ commands you to go and never to return;
- 6. Bow on your knees again for <u>thanksgiving prayer</u>, example as follows: Thank you Lord for all You have given me and helping me to dedicate all back to You. I love you Lord, help me to love You more. Amen.

Demonstration as per video.