The Law of Inheritance - Deliverance

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Theme: Freedom and Deliverance Through the Blood of Jesus

Key Passage: Genesis 17

Supporting Scriptures: Isaiah 53:5, Ephesians 6:12, James 4:7–8, 1 Peter 5:8, Matthew

12:43–45, Ezekiel 18:20, Galatians 3:13–14, 1 Kings 2

1. The Blood of Jesus — Paid in Full

• Main Point: The blood of Jesus paid for salvation, healing, and deliverance.

Scriptures:

Isaiah 53:5 — "By His stripes we are healed."

Quotes:

- "Jesus shed His blood so that you can be saved, healed, and delivered."
- The atonement covers every area of life: sin, sickness, and spiritual bondage.
- Christians still sin, get sick, and experience torment—but that doesn't change what Jesus already paid for.
- The question isn't "Did He pay for it?" but "Are we applying it?"

2. Misdiagnosis in the Church

- Main Point: The church often misdiagnoses spiritual problems as natural or emotional ones.
- "You can't counsel a demon. You can't medicate a demon."
- Medications and therapy can numb the soul, but they don't remove demonic torment.
- When we numb ourselves to pain, we also become numb to the Holy Spirit.

 The result: many Christians live numb because they're treating symptoms instead of roots.

3. Our Struggle Is Spiritual

- **Scripture:** *Ephesians 6:12* "Our struggle is not against flesh and blood, but against rulers and powers of this dark world."
- We are primarily spiritual beings with a temporary body.
- The enemy's goal is to steal, kill, and destroy (John 10:10).
- What matters is not *where* a demon is, but that it's *dealt with*:
 - o "If it's stealing, killing, destroying, or tormenting—it's got to go."

4. The Door of Access

- Scriptures:
 - James 4:7–8 "Submit to God, resist the devil, and he will flee from you."
 - o 1 Peter 5:8 "The enemy prowls like a lion seeking whom he may devour."
- Demons look for open doors: sin, lies, wounds, and trauma.
- When we agree with anger, bitterness, or lies, we give the enemy access.
- The devil wants to tell you what to feel so he can control how you act.

5. Jesus' Warning About Empty Houses

- Scripture: Matthew 12:43–45
 - Jesus describes an evil spirit leaving a "swept clean" house, then returning with seven worse.
- Only believers can have a "swept clean" house—unbelievers can't be cleansed.

- Deliverance must be followed by discipline and discipleship.
- When believers experience freedom but don't fill their lives with the Word and obedience, the house stays empty and gets reoccupied.

6. Two Kingdoms at War

- The fight isn't just for you—it's for your marriage, your children, and your grandchildren.
- Freedom requires perseverance; truth challenges comfort.
- "You're going to be tempted to leave this church... because truth confronts the enemy in you."
- Some churches avoid hard truth this fight is about your family's spiritual inheritance.

7. Inheritance and the Covenant of Blood

- Scripture: Genesis 17:1–7
 - God established His covenant with Abraham and his descendants—a generational blessing.
- Covenant is established by blood.
 - o "When blood mixes, it cannot be unmixed."
- God's design was for blessings to flow through generations like a **spiritual pipe**.
- "There's a pipe that things are flowing through. You can put living water through it—or you can put poison in it."
- The problem: many before us have put "doo-doo in the pipe."
- God created the system to bless families, but the enemy hijacks it to curse them.

8. Scriptural Proof of Generational Patterns

- **Example:** Abraham lied → Isaac lied → Jacob deceived.
- **Example:** David struggled with lust → Solomon multiplied it.
- Patterns increase in intensity through generations.
- Even secular culture recognizes it: "Hank Williams Jr. said, 'Why do you drink? Why do you smoke? Because it's a family tradition."

9. Misused Scriptures About Generational Curses

- Scriptures often used out of context:
 - Ezekiel 18:20 Refers to physical death under Old Covenant law, not the spiritual inheritance of sin.
 - Galatians 3:13–14 Christ redeemed us from the curse of the Law, not from responsibility to apply His blood.
- The blood of Jesus gives authority to break every curse, but it must be applied through obedience, repentance, and faith.

10. Key Truths to Remember

- 1. It might not have started with you, but it can end with you.
 - o Generational patterns can stop through repentance and deliverance.
- 2. If you don't face your parents' demons, your kids will.
 - Discipline alone isn't enough—apply the blood of Jesus.
 - 1 Kings 2:5–9 David tells Solomon that because he didn't deal with certain enemies, Solomon must.
- 3. You break the curse by repenting and renouncing.
 - Recognize the signs.

- o Repent of sin and unbelief.
- o Renounce demonic agreements and vows.
- o Remove the spirit in Jesus' name.
- o Renew your mind through the Word and obedience.

11. Call to Action

- "You can live your whole life saying, 'That's not fair,' or you can roll up your sleeves and start picking weeds."
- Freedom requires responsibility.
- Recognize the patterns. Renounce the lies. Remove the enemy. Renew your life.
- "We don't overcome by the discipline of the body—we overcome by the blood of Jesus Christ."
- Choose to leave a legacy of faith and freedom for the next generation.