

5/6/23 - ICC Daily Declarations

- 9 days to go before the BattleCry. Remember to pray 7-2-9 (7am, 2pm, 9pm for 7 minutes)

WE KNOW THAT GOD CREATED THE WORLD BY SPEAKING IT INTO EXISTENCE.

The world was framed by the Word of God. He created the visible world out of nothing (see Hebrews 11:3). What God speaks comes to pass. Over and over in Genesis 1, we see the words, "And God said." Whatever God said became reality. He said, let there be light, let there be plants, let there be living creatures, and finally let us make man in our own image. All of these things in the world are a reality today because God spoke them into existence thousands of years ago. All of creation is a result of God's word spoken in the beginning of time.

Genesis 1:26 says that God created man in His own image and after His likeness and gave him complete authority over all the earth. So humankind was created in the very likeness of God himself. Just as God had the power to speak and create things from His spoken words, we too have been given the power to speak and create by our words. Proverbs 18:21(Amplified Bible) says, "Death and life are in the power of the tongue and they who indulge in it shall eat the fruit of it [for death or life]." Jesus said, "Whatever comes out of the mouth comes from the heart and makes a man unclean and defiles [him]" (Matthew 15:18, Amplified Bible). What we say matters. People don't like to hear that because they know the words they speak are often negative and destructive. But the fact that we don't like it doesn't alter the power of the truth. By knowing the truth about the power of the words we speak we can change the course of our lives and impact the world.

Let's declare today-

Lord God, in Jesus' name I am created in the image of Father, Abba, God. Job says that God covers his hands with lightning, and they strike their mark, as He commands it. Lord let the light of Christ shine forth into my body and through my life! Let the glory of God shine forth as I lay hands on the sick - let all diseases, disorders, pains and all afflictions leave my physical body. In Jesus name I take authority over any worry, anxiety, torment in my mind and issues in my emotions to be brought under the shalom peace of Christ. I declare God's shalom peace over every issue I'm facing at home, in my marriage, my work or other relationships. I will submit to God's Word and His ways, and I humble myself. In Jesus name I choose to forgive and let go of all unforgiveness or bitterness or prejudice. I declare that I choose to live in the light that breaks me free from all hopelessness and darkness. My hope is in Christ alone.

I declare I am more than a conqueror in Christ Jesus and I can do all things through Him. He is my delight and my joy. Lord help me to live, worship and rejoice in your presence everyday. I praise and bless your holy name and rest in your holiness. Let your presence fill me, surround me, overwhelm and overflow from me, in Jesus name!

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