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# Editorial

## SET ME LOOSE

“Set me Loose” is a plea like command to what is holding you captive. When we say “Set me Loose” we are exercising our authority in Christ to break free from the chains holding us bound. This is a strong statement that can change your life.

### Set me Loose from Generational Curses.

Generational curses are curses, habits and misfortunes passed down from previous generations. **Exodus 34:6-7** “**And he passed in front of Moses, proclaiming, “The LORD, the LORD, the compassionate and gracious God, slow to anger, abounding in love and faithfulness, maintaining love to thousands, and forgiving wickedness, rebellion and sin. Yet he does not leave the guilty unpunished; he punishes the children and their children for the sin of the parents to the third and fourth generation.”**

The sins and mistakes made by previous generations are affecting your life today. The choices they made have an impact on your life. Even though you had nothing to do with it, it still had fallen on you because of the connection. You may think that you are cursed now and there is nothing that can be done to change that but there is. The choice is yours to make going forward.

The first thing you need to do is to understand the curses on your life. Evaluate every aspect in your life for example, if financial problems are always in your family find out where its branching from and change it. If its substance abuse or even physical abuse, figure out the root and how to get out of it. Yes, make sure you are fasting and breaking the curse in the spirit as well because these demons aren't going to let go so easily. If the devil has held your family in bondage he will not give up without a fight and that is where Jesus comes in. Jesus is there to help fight your spiritual battles and He has already fought and won them. You need to use His Blood and His Name to defeat the enemy and break the curse.

You are the only one who can set yourself and your future generations free from generational curses. Once you have broken the curses you can now call in your generational blessings because just as there is a connection for curses to be passed down, there is also a connection for blessings to come your way.

**Psalm 22:30** “**Posterity will serve him; future generations will be told about the Lord.**” What the Lord has promised to previous generations, He will give to you if you obey Him.

Set yourself loose and start afresh. Don't let the devil rob you of the blessings God has promised you. You are a chosen generation and are generational curse breakers. It is a process and won't change overnight but will change with the decision you make. The benefits of being free is great for both you and your next generation.

Loosen the chains and walk in the freedom in Christ.

**Britney Jenine**  
**Editor-In-Chief**



# Adeline Munusamy (missionary onboard Logos Hope)

Speech written for commissioning service for Logos Hope

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I was once told, 'if your dreams don't scare you, they aren't big enough.' I greet you all in the most powerful name of Christ our Lord. It is truly an honor and privilege to be standing before you today as I'm getting ready to take the biggest step of my life so far.

Thank you all for being part of this day with me as you share this journey with me as well.

When I share my testimony of how my journey into missions began, I usually begin at the part where my passion ignited, in high school. But that isn't the absolute truth. It actually began with my grandmother, I am merely just an average person being passed down a mantle. A mantle that began with her and her sisters. Growing up I always heard stories and testimonies of the time they shared ministering to people, praying, encouraging, and giving, and as the saying goes, I watched and learned.

From a very young age I was also, by default, involved in the women's ministry (which began with my other gran) and kids ministry which were both run by my mum from our home, as well as the church my uncle pastors which was also run from my home where my sister was the keyboardist and my dad became a pastor. Basically, I was over-saturated in ministry. Yet I never saw myself as someone who would be full time involved.

As time passed I too developed the heart for Jesus that my family has. Well actually, I'd like to say that Jesus gradually stole it! He used a very wise tactic. I specifically developed the yearning to experience different cultures while traveling the globe which I don't think many travellers find interest in. That slowly was paired with the desire to share God's love with people and now coupled into what we call "MISSIONS".

He slowly introduced the subject to me and patiently waited till I was ready for each step then slowly nudged me in the right direction. Mozambique was my first mission trip and my first time away from home, ever! Although my parents were terrified of the 'what ifs', I felt complete peace knowing that

God told me to go. I love to quote my mum here, "we thought she'd experience no running water, no electricity, sleeping in a tent, having no toilet and wouldn't wanna do it again." But when I got back from that first trip, I, remember my reaction that day, it was "I can't wait to go again".

More than 3 years has passed since that first trip and I can truly say my parents have grown into 'missionary parents' since then and I have learned to listen to the voice of God above all else even when He's telling me to do something I really don't want to do or wanting to doing it on my own terms.

On my second trip to Mozambique in 2019 I was starting to realize that God was nudging me towards the next step but I couldn't figure out whether it actually was Him. I kept feeling this push towards full time missions but at that time I had just found myself in a place of contentment, doing what I love with an organization that stands for all I'm passionate about. I became comfortable and that was the problem I soon began fighting a huge internal battle of to go or not to go.

Not too long after, I had already contacted the ship's ministry who then directed me to the field leaders. I had completed my weekend course called 'Engage' and was heavily prayed up about the situation. All that was left was for me to say yes to this call that I was fighting inside. But I felt like I wasn't there yet, like God hadn't directly told me to go! He was basically just dropping hints and I'm here like, 'Hello, Can you please come down from heaven and tell me exactly what you want me to do!?' That was the first time I actually used my faith. I was in Johannesburg with Trulife and this thing was like a mosquito in my ear that just wouldn't leave, so I said to God very boldly and with some frustration, "if you don't send me confirmation tomorrow through a person I don't wanna hear this Logos Hope ship story again, get it out of my mind" so guess what? He sent me confirmation through a person the next day! In that moment when I realized what had happened, I committed myself to full time missions but on my own terms.

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Although I'm a person who loves adventure and exploring, I'm also very close to home. So close that a lot of people thought I wouldn't survive MDT without my mum. And because of this I said 'God, I know you want me in missions and I'll do it but because the commitment on the ship is 2 years, that's all I'll do. I will do my 2 years on board and then I want to come home, as long as I can do that, I'm fine.'

At the beginning of last year I left for Pretoria to start MDT, another step to getting where God needed me to be. This 5 month training program really equipped and taught me what mission life looks like. It really was an incredible time. Challenging, intense and wholesome are words I'd use to describe MDT. I understood the call and importance of missions and I was able to grasp the concept of how I needed to fully surrender to Jesus, it was then that I was able to say God, no conditions. I surrender, whether 2 years or 200 years. If you call me, I'll go.

That all leads up to this past year that I've experienced so much confusion, questioning myself and God's call and wondering how and why I'm still here, in South Africa when He clearly had told me to go. (I was supposed to begin my commitment in September 2020).

This is the 4th time we've prepared to leave so the past week didn't feel all that legit to me, until this moment right here as I try to figure out how to put my thoughts together to create sentences that make sense.

Although it's been just 2 years since I made the decision, it feels like I've been on such a journey since then.

A few years ago I never thought this would be possible, I thought that my dream of serving on board the Logos Hope was just that, a dream. I remember having the poster up on my room wall in 2017 and in the same year while drawing up a sort of vision board with my life goals on it, I glanced up at the poster and said 'nahhh, that's never gonna happen. I'm not gonna write it on.' But then I did, and I'm ever so grateful that I did.

So with this coming week being my last at home for a little, long while, I am filled with so many different emotions and not too much time to process it all.

I want to leave you with a verse that I believe in.

**“And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all nations, and then the end will come.” Matthew 24:14.**

Go unto all the world and preach the gospel to all creation.

It's a mandate we've been given. And though not all of us are able to cross the seas, we are able to cross our road and share with our neighbour.

I want to leave that with you, if you feel a little scared to do it. That's okay, persevere and remember the little sacrifice we make cannot compare to the sacrifice of our Saviour made for us.

'If your dreams don't scare you, they aren't big enough.'

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*Adeline Munusamy (missionary onboard Logos Hope)*  
Pictured Below



# Set Me Loose

BY Ricco J Govender

Setting someone or something loose is actually an expression of freedom to one who does not have it. Once we were a people that were far off, held in captivity by sin but have now been brought near to God through the precious blood of Christ & through that we have been given freedom, & adopted into the family of God whereby our spirits cry out "Abba Father".

## *Psalm 137:1*

*By the rivers of Babylon,  
There we sat down, yea, we wept  
When we remembered Zion. We hung our  
harps  
Upon the willows in the midst of it.*

*For there those who carried us away captive  
asked of us a song,  
And those who plundered us requested  
mirth,  
Saying, Sing us one of the songs of Zion!*

In the year 586BC the Babylonians conquered Jerusalem and it was God who allowed this to happen as a result of their stubbornness and refusal to turn away from their sin. This was inclusive of them turning a deaf ear to the words and warnings of the prophets. Their determined and stiff-necked disobedience led them to Babylon. They refused to forsake their affair with idolatry. They continued in their rebellion against God. They moved at break-neck speed toward spiritual apostasy. And, at last, they experienced the judgment of God whereby they lost the privilege of living in their own land.

Sometimes due to our stubbornness and refusal to turn away from sin we get

captivated and held in chains of bondage. Similarly, like the prodigal son. That is why when the prodigal son returns, his father kisses him on his neck to soothe his stiff-neck. I want you to know that you do not have to be captive and held in chains physically but it's a mentality that you possess. However, God wants to break that chain today, letting His people free. You may be crying out to be let loose from your captivity but sometimes it's that mentality that is holding you in captivity, sometimes it is that mentality that is holding you in bondage and it is only by recognizing that you are in this position that you can make the necessary adjustments to let loose from that thing that is holding you in chains.

There are several things that can keep you in bondage whether it be your finances, your marriage or some sentimental attachment but God wants to do a turnaround today in His people's lives. God wants His people to be free without worrying about what the future may hold.

When the children of Israel was in exile they sat down by the rivers of Babylon Tigris and Euphrates Rivers. When they had sat down the Hebrew would describe it as Yashab. Yashab means to settle or to get married, so as much as these people were captive and held in bondage, they chose to settle. They chose to marry that captivity that they were in, meaning they chose to accept their captivity; but you who carry the DNA of Christ must be people that does not accept what comes your way but you must arise and shine in this dark world. You must be among captives but not captive to the

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BY Ricco J Govender

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systems of this world.

In verses 3, the captors demanded they sing a song from Zion and this is not the literal singing but the Hebrew would describe this has “Dabar” and we know that “Dabar” is the instruction of the Lord and the instruction of the Lord can only come through His Word.

I submit to you that when the car is there, when the house is there, when there is money in the bank it is easy to praise God, it is easy to speak the “Dabar” (word of God) but when all is stripped away and when we are held in captivity in that place of weeping and bound with chains of bondage, can we utter the “Dabar”, can we speak the word into that impossible situation that we are facing. Job was very instrumental in this. He said “the Lord gives the Lord takes, yet I will still uplift his holy name” and even though every system has failed me and every person has forsaken me in all that “though he smite me I will still praise Him”

The captives said, “how can we sing the song of the Lord in this foreign land” and you may be saying, how can I praise God when everything has failed me and everything is against me, even my very own family has forsaken me. The thing that sustains me in hard times is knowing that I have an Abba Father in whom I can pour my heart out to.

Sometimes we look at our situation and it can be foreign being something you have never experienced before. As a son of God it will be foreign but do you allow that situation you have never experienced before to kill the essence of you or do you make that declaration that you are more than an overcomer and more than a conqueror through Christ Jesus. In tough times utter the “Dabar” of the Lord, utter the instruction of God being His Word because the word has creative power, the word has the ability to take you out of captivity and let you loose.

**John 8:36**

***So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.***

When I look all around us, I see people so consumed with their captivities and just dwelling on that thing that is holding them in bondage. We can sit at our rivers of Babylon and weep, dreaming of the freedom that has already been given to us. Jesus came so that those that have been held captive by sin may be free because being captive by sin will hold you back from your God given purpose on the Earth.



# The Great Commission: Matthew 28:18-20

*Into the life of Anusha Moodley and Missions*

‘Then Jesus came to them and said, “All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.”  
Matthew 28:18-20.

## The Great Commission

Jesus Christ gave us a mandate over 2000 years ago and it has not changed, the great commission is still the same today. Over 3.2 billion people have not yet heard the name of Jesus and we, His disciples are the only ones who can reach them with the gospel of salvation.



*Logos Hope travels around the world sharing knowledge, help and hope and building communities of Jesus followers. On board there are 400 crew from 67 countries. Anusha served on board for 3 years in various roles and travelled 25 countries and 45 ports. Logos Hope has one vision to reach the world with the gospel of Jesus Christ.*



Anusha Moodley has been serving as a full-time missionary with Operation Mobilisation in South Africa. OM is based in over 110 countries and has many ministries throughout the world.

Anusha’s passion for mission started at the age of 16 and grew with her. The hopes and dreams of one day being able to go to the ends of the earth and share the gospel was prophesied over her life repeatedly. Even though she wanted to go, she did not know how God was going to make it happen.

Finally in 2016 when the ship Logos Hope docked in Durban, she volunteered for a month, God showed her a way that He had made, and she immediately decided to go.

Anusha served on board Logos Hope in the book fair as assistant, as the technical administrator and communications manager for the ship. She was just using all her talents and skills God had prepared her with over the years.

After 3 years on board, Anusha returned home to spend time with her mom and connect with family while she prepared to go to Israel and serve. Anusha hoped God will send her to Israel to serve among the Jews and Arabs, learn the language and connect with different people.

A year later mom went to be with Jesus and Anusha is so grateful for the time she was able to spend with her mom and fulfil her mom’s wish for her to serve in full time missions.

Due to Covid-19 and all the challenges of travel and visas, Anusha had to be patient and trust God for the right time. During the time of waiting, she got involved serving in discipleship training with OM in KZN and hosting on Good News Community Radio, 93.6fm, hope for the nations.

## The Great Commission: Matthew 28:18-20

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Having worked in the corporate world for 30 years and running numerous businesses, God opened Anusha's eyes and she was challenged by her sister Premie, who is an attorney and her partner in missions, to use her business skills and serve in KZN where she lived.

Missionaries do not get a salary and they are dependent on the financial partnership and support of their churches, family, and friends. The faithfulness of God to supply all her needs is evident but Anusha wanted to give more than receive.

After much prayer and fasting, God gave her an opportunity to be the B4T developer in KZN. This role is exactly what Anusha is suited and qualified to do. Her love for Jesus and her business skills makes it her passion.



Anusha Moodley

KZN B4T Developer



# JESUS FOR THE NATIONS



## What is a Business 4 Transformation Developer all about?

Business in the Heart of Missions. [www.b4t.org](http://www.b4t.org)

B4T Developers are the essential link between Entrepreneurs and Investors. They research suitable kingdom businesses and work alongside the entrepreneur. Developers have the heart to serve God, using their skill and experience to serve in the heart of missions.

B4T will be launched in Durban on the 29 October 2021

B4T has fully funded 280 Businesses in 14 countries with over 2 million dollars

### Vision

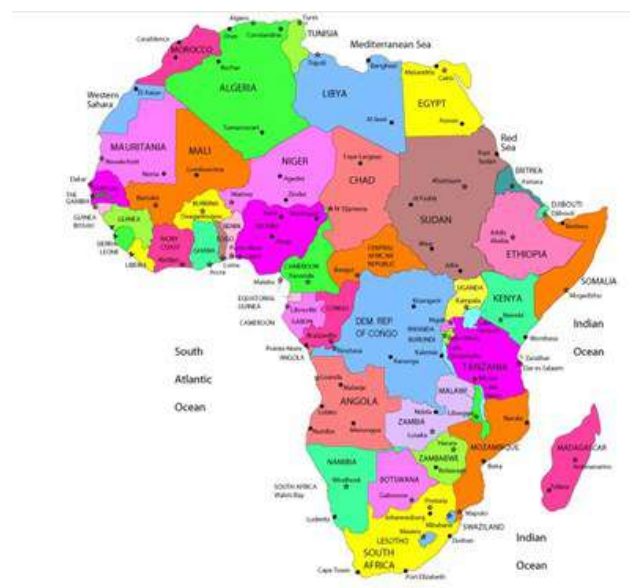
To see kingdom business playing its vital role in fulfilling the Great Commission.

### Mission

To empower indigenous believers and churches for the work of ministry (Eph. 4:12) by multiplying kingdom businesses in poor and unreached communities.

### Kingdom Impact

The purpose of all B4T businesses is to make an impact that is distinctive to the way Jesus's kingdom is intended to be on earth.





Anusha invites people to be part of the business prayer hub for Africa, inviting people to be a part of what God is doing throughout Africa using business as missions. As prayer goes out, and business for transformation is developed, vibrant communities of Jesus followers will be formed that will be the salt and light in South Africa and throughout the world.

Having lived in KZN all her life she has started to work in Durban reaching out to Christian men and women who have a heart for God's kingdom to be established and build up kingdom businesses using biblical principles.



## Contact Details

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B4T is a non-profit organisation if you would like to partner with Anusha in developing kingdom businesses in KZN please contact her on +27679350956 or email [anusha.moodley@b4t.org](mailto:anusha.moodley@b4t.org)

Please whatsapp if you would like to attend the launch of B4T in KZN Durban on the 29<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

Biblical entrepreneurship training will be rolled out over the coming months and if you want to attend the training for 4 days, please contact Anusha for more details.

Anyone over the age of 18 can attend the training and be part of the B4T Team in KZN.

We can use our skills and talents, working together to build kingdom businesses for God's glory.

# The Spirit of Fear in the Face of Faith

BY BRITNEY JENINE

## 2 Timothy 1:7

**“For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.”**

I think we can all agree that we often become fearful when we are about to do something beyond our control. Something that is bigger than us which we cannot understand. Our minds circle thoughts of how it ought to be done or where it's going to be done. We sometimes frustrate ourselves trying to figure out steps that are already figured out for us. (Psalm 37:23 **“The steps of a good man are ordered by the Lord: and he delighteth in his way.”**) We forget the God we serve.

In the story of Jonah we see that the word of the LORD came to Jonah and God had asked him to go to Nineveh to preach against it because of its wickedness but Jonah chose to disobey God and instead ran from Him. (Jonah 1:1-2). Fear makes you run from the things that God tells you to do. Fear is what prevents you from fulfilling the calling that God has over your life. Fear tells you to run when it seems too difficult and fear tricks you into disobeying God. I use the word “tricks” because you know the God you serve and you know your level of faith but fear makes you think that what God is telling you to do is not meant for you. That is a lie straight from the devil. I often say “If God is telling you to do something, go and do it!” It doesn't matter how, where or when, all that matters is if you obey what God is telling you to do then He will help you do it. He will be with you every step of the way.

Personally I did fear many times but eventually like Jonah I came to my senses and realised who my God is. I want to encourage you today to never forget who God is. He is a Never-Changing, Always Present - Miracle-Working Great God! As someone who wasted time doubting God and questioning my calling I encourage you not to. Time is precious, so use every minute wisely and TRUST GOD!

Jonah said a prayer in Jonah chapter 2 while he was in the belly of the fish. Fearing and running from God sinks you into a deep hole you will struggle to

get out of. When you know God and hear from Him and you sink, you will be crying for help out of that place. You will be trapped in an emotional and spiritual prison – not possessed but trapped because you will still have your faith but you just won't know how to get out of that hole. Your spirit man will push to the limit you allow but it's ultimately about how much control you give to your flesh. The bible says that we ought to die to our flesh daily because our flesh breeds fear and doubt in God's plan but if we die to our flesh and allow our spirit man more control we can overcome fear with our faith. Our faith is a weapon that is always there against fear. **Faith comes by hearing and hearing by the Word of God (2 Corinthians 5:17)**. When you are trapped listen to God's Word and what He is saying to you. Jonah could have avoided the storm if he had only listened to God the first time. Sometimes we are facing storms because of our disobedience, because we choose to run, and God just shakes His head wondering why we don't trust Him enough to know that He has a plan in place.

Jonah said in **Jonah 2:6-9** **“But you, LORD my God, brought my life up from the pit. When my life was ebbing away, I remembered you, LORD, and my prayer rose to you, to your holy temple. Those who cling to worthless idols turn away from God's love for them. But I, with shouts of grateful praise, will sacrifice to you. What I have vowed I will make good, I will say, ‘Salvation comes from the LORD.’”** Jonah put his faith in front of his fear and cried out to God and God heard him and answered him. If God can forgive Jonah and answer him when he called then He can surely do it for you as well. We need to just remember who He is and when we feel like running, Our Faith Should Be What Fear Looks At.

# POWER VERSES

## TO ENCOURAGE YOUR FAITH

By Padmini Govender (Tootsie)

Greetings in Jesus Name.

As I began to prepare for this topic my faith in God was being tested and the following texts were encouragement for me. I pray that it will inspire you as it did me.

We are faced with challenges on a daily basis, many of us get side tracked, where we become fearful, double minded. We even want to give up and we lose hope. We forget the many times that God has heard our prayers and seen us through.

Faith without works is dead. **James 2:20 “but thou wilt know, O vain man that faith without works is dead.”**

Faith is actually the substance of things hoped for, it is the evidence of things not yet seen. Never take your eyes off Jesus, putting God first in everything you do as **Isaiah 40:31** reminds us that **“those who wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength they shall mount up with wings as eagles, they shall run and not grow weary, they shall walk and not faint.”** As we begin to wait upon God and meditate on His word we will see the power of His word that helps us through our fears and doubts.

In **John 14:14**, His word reminds us that **“if you ask anything in my name, I will do it for you”**. We need to speak God’s word with faith and God will answer us. God’s word clears our hearts and minds from all our fears and doubts, assuring us that there is nothing too hard for God.

**Jeremiah 27:17** ‘**I am the Lord, the God of all flesh, is there anything too hard for me?**’ Before we start each new day we should ask God to increase our faith in Him, giving us a sound mind found in 2 Timothy 1:7.

When we allow fear and doubt in our heart and mind we become weary and our walk with God becomes difficult. When this occurs we should take God by His word that we should cast our burdens unto Jesus because He cares for us.

**Matthew 11:28** **“Come unto me all that labor and are heavy laden and I will give you rest.”**

Amen! How awesome is our God and His love for us? When we confess with our mouths and believe in our hearts that Jesus Christ is Lord, whatsoever you desire when you pray believe that you have received it and you shall have them. (Mark 11:24)

God honors a prayer of faith. Our daily walk with God can get rough and tough but don’t quit. Hold on to God. Just as Job had been tested and God blessed him abundantly for his faithfulness, so will He do it for you and me.

**Job 13:15** **“even though he slay me yet will I trust in Him.”** The reality is that God never fails us and never forgets us.

**Hebrews 13:5** His word says **“neither will I leave you nor will I forsake you.”** All we need to do is have faith in God, Be Still and Know that He is God. With the help of the Holy Spirit, we can live life guided and directed by God and His word.

I pray that as you read this, you will be uplifted in your spirit and you grow to have a deeper relationship with God. Get to know Him and trust in Him. Amen.



# BIBLE STORIES

## The Fall of Jericho

Joshua 5:13-6:27

Now when Joshua was near Jericho, he looked up and saw a man standing in front of him with a drawn sword in his hand. Joshua went up to him and asked, "Are you for us or for our enemies?"

"Neither," he replied, "but as commander of the army of the LORD I have now come." Then Joshua fell facedown to the ground in reverence, and asked him, "What message does my Lord have for his servant?"

The commander of the LORD's army replied, "Take off your sandals, for the place where you are standing is holy." And Joshua did so.

Now the gates of Jericho were securely barred because of the Israelites. No one went out and no one came in.

Then the LORD said to Joshua, "See, I have delivered Jericho into your hands, along with its king and its fighting men. March around the city once with all the armed men. Do this for six days. Have seven priests carry trumpets of rams' horns in front of the ark. On the seventh day, march around the city seven times, with the priests blowing the trumpets. When you hear them sound a long blast on the trumpets, have the whole army give a loud shout; then the wall of the city will collapse and the army will go up, everyone straight in."

So Joshua son of Nun called the priests and said to them, "Take up the ark of the covenant of the LORD and have seven priests carry trumpets in front of it." And he ordered the army, "Advance! March around the city, with an armed guard going ahead of the ark of the LORD." When Joshua had spoken to the people, the seven priests carrying the seven trumpets before the LORD went forward, blowing their trumpets, and the ark of the LORD's covenant followed them. The armed guard marched ahead of the priests who blew the trumpets, and the rear guard followed the ark. All this time the trumpets were sounding. But Joshua had commanded the army, "Do not give a war cry, do not raise your voices, do not say a word until the day I tell you to shout. Then shout!" So he had the ark of the LORD carried around the city, circling it once.

Then the army returned to camp and spent the night there.

Joshua got up early the next morning and the priests took up the ark of the LORD. The seven priests carrying the seven trumpets went forward, marching before the ark of the LORD and blowing the trumpets. The armed men went ahead of them and the rear guard followed the ark of the LORD, while the trumpets kept sounding. So on the second day they marched around the city once and returned to the camp. They did this for six days.

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Joshua 5:13-6:27

On the seventh day, they got up at daybreak and marched around the city seven times in the same manner, except that on that day they circled the city seven times. The seventh time around, when the priests sounded the trumpet blast, Joshua commanded the army, “Shout! For the LORD has given you the city! The city and all that is in it are to be devoted to the LORD. Only Rahab the prostitute and all who are with her in her house shall be spared, because she hid the spies we sent. But keep away from the devoted things, so that you will not bring about your own destruction by taking any of them. Otherwise you will make the camp of Israel liable to destruction and bring trouble on it. All the silver and gold and the articles of bronze and iron are sacred to the LORD and must go into his treasury.”

When the trumpets sounded, the army shouted, and at the sound of the trumpet, when the men gave a loud shout, the wall collapsed; so everyone charged straight in, and they took the city. They devoted the city to the LORD and destroyed with the sword every living thing in it—men and women, young and old, cattle, sheep and donkeys.

Joshua said to the two men who had spied out the land, “Go into the prostitute’s house and bring her out and all who belong to her, in accordance with your oath to her.” So the young men who had done the spying went in and brought out Rahab, her father and mother, her brothers and sisters and all who belonged to her. They brought out her entire family and put them in a place outside the camp of Israel.

Then they burned the whole city and everything in it, but they put the silver and gold and the articles of bronze and iron into the treasury of the LORD’s house. But Joshua spared Rahab the prostitute, with her family and all who belonged to her, because she hid the men Joshua had sent as spies to Jericho—and she lives among the Israelites to this day.

At that time Joshua pronounced this solemn oath:

“Cursed before the LORD is the one who undertakes to rebuild this city, Jericho:

“At the cost of his firstborn son  
he will lay its foundations;  
at the cost of his youngest  
he will set up its gates.”

So the LORD was with Joshua, and his fame spread throughout the land.



# Take These Chains Off Me

Let these chains fall of me  
Let me hear the whispering sound of my victory  
Unlocking the shackles and breaking the chains  
Setting me loose from the heartaches and pains  
Cutting off the roots of the curses and sins  
Giving me new life and a chance to live  
I feel the relief when those chains are gone  
When a new creation in me is born  
No more will I cry for how things should be  
I will call it as it is and it shall come to me  
For I know that in Jesus I have been set free  
In His victory I will say “Take These Chains Off Me”!

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# GAMING TIME!!!

## Bible Riddles



1. I lost my husband and my sons. I changed my name because my life had become bitter. Who am I?

2. I am the sixth of the twelve minor prophets. I prophesied the future destruction of Jerusalem and Samaria. Who am I?

3. I found favour with the King and became his Queen. I was used by God to save my people. Who am I?

4. I was the seventh king of Israel. I became a very wicked king because of my bad choices. Who am I?

5. I am the son of Saul and a friend of David. I led the Israelites to a great victory over the Philistines at Gaba. Who am I?

5. I am a Hebrew priest and prophet. My mission was to teach the Jews of the captivity Jehovah's plan for the restoration of his people. Who am I?

# DELICIOUS RECIPES TO ENJOY

## Recipe for:

## DURBAN MUTTON CURRY

- **Author:** Shane
- **Prep Time:** 10
- **Cook Time:** 60
- **Total Time:** 1 hour 10 minutes
- **Cuisine:** Indian



### INGREDIENTS:

- 500 g mutton cut into pieces
- 100 ml oil
- 1 bay leaf
- 3 cinnamon sticks
- 1 teaspoons of fennel seeds
- 1 large onion chopped or grated
- 1 sprig curry leaves
- 2 teaspoons of ginger & garlic paste
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ¼ teaspoon of turmeric
- 4 tablespoons of masala
- 3 Potatoes cut into cubes
- 3 sprigs of fresh coriander (chopped dhania)
- 1 medium tomato (Cut into small pieces or grated)
- Add water to according to how you like your gravy.

### INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1) Heat oil and then add onion, turmeric & spices to fry for a few seconds (allow onion to soften)
- 2) Add masala, ginger & garlic allow to cook for a few seconds (make sure not to burn the masala)
- 3) Add tomato (when almost cooked stir in meat and allow to sauté)
- 4) Turn down heat and cover saucepan
- 5) Cook until meat begins to fry up
- 6) Add the curry leaves and salt
- 7) Add the water (if necessary) and potatoes
- 8) Bring to a boil, then turn down to moderate heat
- 9) Cook until meat is tender & potatoes are soft
- 10) Simmer until ready to serve
- 11) Garnish with dhania

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