

KINGDOM CULTURE

The early church believers stood in a culture that brought growth, power and favour upon the church.

Acts 2: 41 Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls. 42 And they continued stedfastly in the apostles 'doctrine and fellowship, and in breaking of bread, and in prayers. NKJV

This is a kingdom culture that must be developed in every home. It is based on four simple principles:

Apostles Doctrine

This is simply the teaching of God's word in the home on a consistent basis. This doctrine comes from One who is Sent that would lay foundations for growth in the life of the believers.

Fellowship

This is the coming together of the family regularly to fellowship around the doctrine. Fellowship is not merely socializing but it is the discussion of teachings so that it is embedded into the hearts and minds of those fellowshiping

Breaking of Bread

Jesus gave us a New Covenant in His blood and said "do this in remembrance of Me". The practice of the Lord's Table must be carried out daily in the home so that we remember the Lord's death till He returns

Prayers

Prayer is a vital component of maintaining a relationship with God. It is simply conversations that are held with God. Families must pray together and celebrate when God answers their prayers

THIS CULTURE MUST BE STRICTLY MAINTAINED IN THE HOME



ORPHANS TO SONS

*18 I will not leave you orphans; I will come to you
(John 14:18 NKJV)*

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Day 1

OPPORTUNIST to OPPORTUNITY

10 Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith (Galatians 6:10 NKJV)

An orphan seeks every opportunity to receive and take advantage of others but a son of God seeks every opportunity to do good to others. Orphans waste opportunities but sons seize opportunities

Pray:

- 1.) That as a son of God you will not miss the day of your visitation
- 2.) That you will continue to seek to be a blessing and just to be blessed
- 3.) For more opportunities to express your divine sonship

Day 2

RESISTANCE TO RECEPTIVITY OF AUTHORITY

40 " He who receives you receives Me, and he who receives Me receives Him who sent Me (Matthew 10:40 NKJV)

An orphan resists authority but a son of God recognizes and receives authority. Aaron and Miriam resisted the authority of Moses while Korah and others rebelled against Moses. Sickness and death visited them. You can receive life when you receive God ordained authority

Pray:

- 1.) That you would recognize God ordained authority
- 2.) For grace to be multiplied to you as you receive authority
- 3.) Thank God for the authority He has given you as a son of God

Day 3

PRIDE TO PEACE

9 Blessed are the peacemakers, For they shall be called sons of God (Matthew 5:9 NKJV)

Pride comes before a fall just like Nebuchadnezzar. A son is always seeking out a peaceful solution. Jesus as the Son of God is the prince of Peace. It is an executive privilege to bring peace into the lives of people. Pride causes one to remain in unforgiveness, which is the spirit of the orphan

Pray:

- 1.) For your heart to always proclaim peace
- 2.) That you would not decelerate your life by not forgiving others
- 3.) For your feet to walk in peace with all men

Day 4

HIDDEN LEAVEN

33 Another parable He spoke to them: " The kingdom of heaven is like leaven, which a woman took and hid in three measures of meal till it was all leavened (Matthew 13:33 NKJV)

An orphan always tries to hide themselves in titles, dress, popularity and fame. A son hides himself as the leaven to have influence for the Kingdom of God. A son never seeks fame but only to glorify the Father

Pray:

- 1.) That you will be the leaven that remains hidden to influence
- 2.) For your heart to always reveal and glorify the Father
- 3.) That you will resist the temptation to be famous and popular

Day 5

ADDICTION TO GRACE

32 And now, brethren, I commend you to God, and to the word of his grace, which is able to build you up, and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified. (Acts 20:32 KJVStrong's)

The spirit of the orphan is addicted to celebrities but the son of God is addicted to the words of grace that can build and give an inheritance. Ahimaaz sort to have an audience with the King and ran out of his call. We must be addicted to the word that can build us.

Pray:

- 1.) That you will have a great attraction to the words of grace
- 2.) For the word to build you and give you an inheritance in Christ
- 3.) That you would not run before your time

Day 6

NEEDS DRIVEN TO NEEDS OF OTHERS

2 Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ (Galatians 6:2 NKJV)

Orphans are driven by their own needs but sons are driven to meet the needs of others. They are able to bear the load of their brothers

Pray:

- 1.) That you would be a burden bearer and not be burdensome
- 2.) For your needs to be met while you meet the needs of others
- 3.) That Christ would be revealed through your sacrificial giving to His Body