



Grace Place Ministry Sheet

This ministry sheet is a step by step guide for Grace Place Groups, Gatherings, and Churches. It can be used in a small group setting, adapted for larger groups, or used as a sermon outline for pastors and teachers.

FELLOWSHIP & PRAISE REPORTS:

Fellowship is an important part of Grace Place! Spend time fellowshiping and getting better acquainted with those attending. If it is just your family, spend this time listening to each other! Be sure to introduce any guest or first time attendees. Ask those attending to share a Praise Report of something good God has done during the week!

WORSHIP

Worship is at the heart of all Grace Place events. Worshipping together can be a wonderful experience for everyone! Use those in the Group, or Gathering, that are musically inclined to lead, or use a Grace Place Worship CD and simply sing along! Encourage all to participate in worship, either by singing, or simply enjoying a time of worship.



BIRTHLIFE BIBLE STUDY

Symbols to help you with your Birthlife Bible Study:



BIRTHRIGHT

Truths That Never Change concerning:

1. The work of God & Christ in securing the Birthright
2. The Birthright given to every Child of God
3. The work of God & Christ in the Earthlife of every Child of God



EARTHLIFE

Truths about Everyday Living while here on Earth



BIRTHLIFE

Truths about the abundant results of applying your Birthright to your Earthlife.

NEGATIVE FEAR CAUSES RETREATING!

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Purpose: Negative Fear causes all of us to forget everything. Once we forget things, erosion and worry occur and we will find ourselves going backward or retreating. God has a plan to keep Negative Fear out of your life!

Scripture Verses: *"The Lord is my light and my salvation; Whom shall I fear? The Lord is the defense of my life; Whom shall I dread?"* Psalm 27:1 (NASV)

Points of Discussion:

Begin by answering these questions:

- What are some areas that can cause us to become fearful?
- In causing us to become full of fear, what does Satan hope to accomplish?

In Hosea 4:6(a), God tells us, *"My people are destroyed for lack of knowledge..."*

- What is an important factor in staying out of fear?
- Why does fear take us over?



As a review, look up Romans 10:17 and read.

- **What is the tool in this verse by which we learn to overcome fear.**
- **What is the only written Truth in the world (for all time)?**



Read Romans 8:32.

- **What is the hope in this verse?**
- **What we do NOT know truly can hurt and defeat us.**
- **Since Jesus has already set us free, why do we not walk, or live, as if we have been set free?**



Read Colossians 2:15.

We can look at our experiences and formulate a belief-system, or we can read the ONLY True written Word and CHOOSE to believe it.

- **How can we KNOW that the enemy has already been defeated?**



Read Hebrew 6:18

- **What does this verse tell us about God?**



Read 2 Peter 1:3

To live in Victory, we must believe we have already received.

- **What does this verse say about what we, as Believers, have received? The key is to appropriate or apply it to our lives. The Victor lives INSIDE every Believer/Child of God!**



Read Hebrews 12:1.

- **What does this verse say about holding onto “stuff”?**



Birthlife Conclusion: God cannot lie. It's not that He won't lie. He is not able to lie. If He could, He would lose His identity as The God of Truth. Satan is the liar! He wants us to believe we are powerless. In Christ, we have the keys to walk in victory. God has given us power through His Son, and Jesus' death and resurrection has already defeated Satan. This truth means that God has removed every hindrance. We live in the time of the New Covenant. All of us were born AFTER the death and resurrection of Jesus. His death fulfilled the law, and His Life ushered in the New Covenant. God has given us EVERYTHING we need for life and godliness. Paul says, in Philippians 13-14, "...: *but one thing I do: forgetting what lies behind and reaching forward to what lies ahead, I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus.*" Forgetting the past, forgetting the lies of the enemy, and shifting our focus to the Author and Finisher of our race is what will keep us from retreating in fear. Believing God, and focusing on Him, really does unlock treasures!!

PRAYER AND/OR MINISTRY TIME

Listen to the leading of the Holy Spirit and follow as He directs.

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