

“THEIR”
CONVERSATION
WITH ME ABOUT
GOD’S WORD



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“THEIR” CONVERSATION?

How much of the Word of God, under Holy Spirit guidance, is in the **conversation** between **Father God** and you, between **Jesus Christ** and you, and also in the conversation that you have **with yourself**? **Let** the Word as **Truth speak** to you.

Heart to heart conversations through the Word of God, establish eternal quality and depth in your **relationship** with God.

The **Word of God** is the foundation for **communication**, **interaction**, **declaration** and **interpretation** in our **relationship** with Father, Son and Holy Spirit.

Get **involved** in the conversation about **GOD’S WORD!**

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May God minister to you in a very special way as you take **time** with His Word and **walk** with the Holy Spirit through this “**study guide**” about “**God’s Word**” (as one of many themes available).

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“ OUR FATHER’S EXCELLENCE ” (OFE) BIBLE SCHOOL

“For **His** divine power has bestowed **upon us all things** that [are requisite and suited] to life and godliness, through the [full, personal] **knowledge** of **Him** Who **called** us **by and to His** own glory and **excellence** (virtue)... **employ** every **effort** in **exercising** your faith to develop virtue (**excellence**, resolution, Christian energy), and in [**exercising**] virtue [develop] knowledge (intelligence), and in [**exercising**]... [develop] Christian **love**.” (2 Pet. 1:3,5,6,7b AMPC) Love: the **more excellent way** - (1 Cor. 12:31)

“But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a (special) people for God’s own possession, **so that** you may **proclaim the excellencies** (the wonderful deeds and virtues and perfections) of Him who **called you out** of darkness into His marvelous light.” (1 Pet. 2:9 AMP.)

OFE VISION

DISCIPLE people into the lifestyle of a true worshipper of God, set free to live an excellent life, practically, all as if unto the Lord.

BUILD character, knowledge and skills into the members of the Body of Christ, into the living stones of God’s house, to serve the church effectively.

TRAIN people through the Word of God, to accurately obey His Word with excellence and respect.

ACTIVATE and release people as Spirit-filled vessels equipped to be witnesses of the Truth under His guidance.

PLANT strategic people as church, ministry and community leaders, according to their specific calling, vision and destiny on earth.

REACH all generations with the message of the Kingdom, as ambassadors and co-workers of Christ.

ENJOY your life with God and His family, as you see how your Father's dream becomes a reality in the nations.

“ In Your Light, we see the Light ” (Ps.36:9)

8 ACADEMIES in OFE, (Our Father's Excellence) BIBLE SCHOOL:

- **WORD**
- **PRAYER**
- **WORSHIP**
- **PROPHETIC**
- **SHEPHERDING**
- **TEACHING+TRAINING**
- **CHURCH FOUNDATIONS**
- **MISSIONS+EVANGELISM**

WORD ACADEMY OF OFE : VISION

“Study and be **eager** and do your utmost to **present** yourself to God approved (**tested by trial**), a **workman** who has no cause to be ashamed, **correctly** analyzing and **accurately** dividing [rightly handling and skillfully teaching] the Word of Truth.” (2 Tim. 2:15 AMPC.)

All Scripture is God-breathed and is **useful** for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the servant of God may be **thoroughly equipped** for every **good work**. (2 Tim. 3:16-17)

It is our desire to see people **grow** in their **love** (Ps. 119:97,127), **understanding** (Eph. 1:17) and **application** (Ps. 119:11, John 8:31) of the **Word**.

“You have **commanded** us to keep Your precepts, that we should **observe** them diligently. Oh, that my ways were **directed** and **established** to observe Your statutes (**hearing, receiving, loving and obeying** them)! Then shall I not be put to shame (by failing to inherit Your promises) when I **look (with respect)** to all Your commandments.” (Ps. 119:4-6 AMP.)

Allow the **Holy Spirit** to fulfill the first priority promise from God in the New Covenant.(Heb. 8:10) “... **and I will put My laws into their mind, and write them in their hearts...**”

“ Your word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. ” (Ps.119:105)

**Strategic, practical
DEVELOPMENT PLAN
for EXCELLENCE in your personal life,
unique calling, dreams, ministry and destiny.**

If you are **already** involved, or if you **want to** be involved in different **ministries**, (worship, children, youth, prayer, dance, technical, marketplace, financial, pioneer, etc.) in your **church, community**, and **nation**, you need to **continually develop** in authority in your field of ministry, work and unique calling, and challenge yourself for **excellence** in your **life** and **ministry** in and through the church!

This authority includes **character, gifts, skill, Word foundation, passion** and **accurate alignment** in **relationships** where God has called you in a specific church for successful impact in a specific community. When you consider your unique calling in the body of Christ, **commit to serve effectively** where God has placed you. “... a planting of the Lord, for the **display** of His **splendor**.” (Isa. 61:3b)

Grow in a **lifestyle** where **God’s initiative** is evident and **God’s excellence** is seen through who you are and what you do. Identify through the Holy Spirit, **who** is taking the **initiative** in your work, ministry and personal life. Evaluate your lifestyle and be accountable to leadership in your local church about your **development**.

You need **Godly authority** in your life to stand in Christ with victory, set free to **live the dream** Father God has for you. Godly authority with excellence can only be established **through** the **Word of God** in every ministry and it is very important in order to **fulfil** your **calling** and achieve the **goals** that God has for you.

Our **challenge** in many ministries and church networks is to establish a **strategic, practical development plan** for members, volunteers, leaders and serving teams to grow effectively in what they do **for** Christ and **with** Christ.

There are many great seminars, short-term courses and conferences having impact in ministries, and there are amazing theological seminaries and Bible-schools, for fulltime training, but the “**gap**”, **lack, need** and **prophetic priority** now, is the long-term strategic development plan for the family of God to become the mature, relevant, effective church to:

- **Proclaim** the **excellencies** (the wonderful deeds and virtues and perfections) of God. (1 Pet. 2:9)
- **Declare** how **excellent** His Name is in all the earth. (Ps. 8:1)
- **Approve** (discern, show forth) the things that are **excellent**. (Phil. 1:10b)
- **Show** the more **excellent way** (love). (1 Cor. 12:31)
- **Develop excellent** speech. (Prov. 17:7)
- **Exercise** your faith to develop **excellence**. (2 Pet. 1:6)
- **Allow** the process for God to make you an eternal **excellence**. (Is. 60:15)
- **Meditate** on... what is **excellent**. (Phil. 4:8)
- **Sing** to the Lord for He has done **excellent** things. (Is. 12:5)
- **Believe** that you as saints are the “**excellent ones**”. (Ps. 16:3)

That is why we want to introduce to you strategic, “set out”, specific Authority Fields for your development in who you are **in** Christ and what you do **with** Christ and **for** Christ. **Authority fields** are groupings of 7 **specific** subjects designed to focus on development in a **specific** area of ministry or personal growth.

We want to **help** and **assist** you with this **suggested road map** of development, to grow in doing everything with **excellence** as if unto the Lord.

Prayerfully look at the “set out” combination of **strategic training fields** and commit to it personally or even set it as a development path for you, your family, church and ministry partners/ friends. You can find the details at www.ourfathersexcellence.com or contact OurFathersExcellence@gmail.com or contact 0828873001.

In this specific book/manual you will find 4 of more than 48 units for self-study (with 4 exam papers). These 4 units/themes from God's Word form part of the **training development program** for **excellence** in your walk with God.

My prayer for you and me in Psalm 19:14 (AMPC): "Let the **words** of my mouth and the **meditation** of my heart be acceptable and pleasing in **Your sight**, o Lord, my (firm, immovable) **rock** and my **Redeemer**."

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1. FATHER'S conversation with me about ...

GOD'S WORD

My child, respect My Word as the final authority in your life. Receive and allow My Word to work in and through your life. In 2 Tim. 3:16,17 I declare that: **All scripture is breathed by Me and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that you may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.**

You need to understand the importance and authority of the Word, for in Jesus, My Son, the Word became flesh. In John 1:1-5, you can see that: **In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with Me, and the Word was God. He was with Me in the beginning. Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made. In Him is life and that life is the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it.**

Take time with the Word, and come to know the Living Word. Then you will know My Son and you will know His perspective and understanding of who you are with and in Him. **For My Word is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart.**
(from Heb. 4:12)

My Word will bring you into a wholesome, godly life. Study Psalm 119, and you will see more than fifty facets of interaction with My Word. In verse 9 I

have emphasized: **How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to My Word.**

I will do according to your prayer in verse 37. **I will turn your eyes away from worthless things; I will preserve your life according to My Word.**

Be reminded through verse 105 that: **My Word is a lamp to your feet and a light for your path.**

Explore Psalm 119 and you will see an amazing interpretation of what you should do with and through My Word. Rise in stature through the Word.

1 Pet. 2:2 says: **“Like new-born babies, crave spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation.”**

Understand that the quality of the Word as seed, planted in you, must bring forth a quality harvest for My kingdom. In 1 Pet. 1:23, you find confirmation that ... **... you have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through My living and enduring Word.**

Align yourself with My Word in all the work I have called you to do. **Do your best to present yourself to Me as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the Word of truth.** (from 2 Tim 2:15)

I want you to have a successful life with eternal value, but this will be determined by how accurately and effectively you live and respond to My Word. Remember the commandment in Josh. 1:8: **“Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.”**

The Holy Spirit is your Counselor and My Son is the Way. Yes, in Him you will find your strategy for life and you are seated in heavenly places with My perspective about your life. Ps. 1:1-3 explains to you that: **Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in My law, and on My law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree**

planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.

Never commit to study, memorise, meditate on and embrace My Word, without asking the Holy Spirit to fulfil the new covenant promise in your life. I promised you in Heb. 8:10b that: **I will put My laws in your minds and write them on your hearts. I will be your God, and you will be My people.**

Believe that I am faithful to fulfil My Word! In Isa. 55:11, I explained to you: **“So is My Word that goes out from My mouth: It will not return to Me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.”**

As you receive and believe that My Word will work in and through you, you will be amazed at the impact of My Word, for: **I sent forth My Word and healed you; I rescued you from the grave.** (from Ps. 107:20)

Let My Word always be the foundation for My work in and through your life, but ultimately let it formulate your expectation of My Son's final appearance. **Behold, Jesus, My Son, is coming soon! Blessed is he who keeps the word of prophecy in this book.** (from Rev. 22:7)

2. JESUS' conversation with me about ...

GOD'S WORD

Respect My Word as the final authority in your Life! Receive and allow My Word to work in and through your life, for, **All scripture is breathed by My Father and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that you, the man of God, may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.** (from 2 Tim. 3:16,17)

You need to understand the importance and authority of the Word, for in Me and through Me, the Word became flesh. **I am the Word, and I was there in the beginning, and I was with God, and I am God. I was with God in the beginning. Through Me all things were made; without Me nothing was made that has been made. In Me is life and that life is the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it.** (from John 1:1-5)

Take time with the Word and come to know Me, the Living Word. Then you will understand your relationship with Me and you will know My perspective and opinion of who you are with Me and in Me. **For My Father's Word is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of your heart.** (from Heb. 4:12)

My Word will bring you into a wholesome, godly life. Study Psalm 119, and you will see many, many facets of interaction with My Word. Verse 9

explains: **“How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to the Word.”**

I will do according to your prayer in verse 37, which says that: **I will turn your eyes away from worthless things; I will preserve your life according to My Word.**

Remember through verse 105 that ... **My Word is a lamp to your feet and a light for your path.**

Explore Psalm 119 and see an amazing interpretation of what you should do with and through My Word. Rise in stature through My Word.

1 Peter 2:2 says: **“Like new-born babies, crave spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow up in your salvation.”**

Understand that the quality of the Word as seed, planted in you, must bring forth a quality harvest for My Kingdom. 1 Peter 1:23 confirms that:

“... you have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring Word of God.”

Align yourself with My Word in all the work that I have called you to do.

Do your best to present yourself to My Father as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the Word of truth. (from 2 Tim. 2:15)

I want you to have a successful life with eternal value, but it will be determined by how accurately and effectively you live and respond to My Word. Remember the commandment with a promise in Josh. 1:8:

“Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful.”

The Holy Spirit is your Counsellor, I am the Way. In Me, you find your strategy for life and you are seated in heavenly places with My perspective about your life!

Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in My law, and on My law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.

(from Ps. 1:1-3)

Never commit to study, memorise, meditate on and embrace My Word, without asking the Holy Spirit to fulfil the new covenant promise in your life. **I will put My laws in your minds and write them on your hearts. I will be your God, and you will be My people.** (from Heb. 8:10)

Remember and believe that the Word will always work until it is fulfilled. **“So is My Word that goes out from My mouth: It will not return to Me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.”** (Isa. 55:11)

As you receive and allow My Word to work in and through you, you will stand amazed at the impact of My Word, for: **I sent forth My Word and healed you; I rescued you from the grave.** (from Ps. 107:20)

Let My Word always be the foundation for My Work in and through your life, but ultimately, let it formulate your expectation of My final appearance. Remember My Words: **“Behold, I am coming soon! Blessed is he who keeps the word of prophecy in this book.”** (Rev. 22:7)

3. MY conversation with myself about ...

GOD'S WORD

I will respect God's Word as the final authority in my life! I will receive and allow God's Word to work in and through my life. 2 Tim. 3:16,17 declares that; **All scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching me, rebuking me, correcting and training me in righteousness, so that I may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.**

I need to understand the importance and authority of the Word, for in Jesus and through Him, the Word became flesh. **In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made. In Him was life, and that life is my light. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not**

I will spend time in the Word and in that way I will come to know Jesus, the Living Word. Then I will understand my relationship with God and know His perspective and opinion of who I am with and in Him: **For the Word of God is living and active in me. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing of my soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of my heart.** (from Heb. 4:12)

God's Word will bring me into a wholesome godly life! When I study Psalm 119, I can see more than fifty facets of interaction with God's Word. Three examples are: Verse 9: **How can I keep my way pure? By living according to the Word.**

I will pray for the impact of God's Word in my life, as we see in verse 37: **"Turn my eyes away from worthless things; preserve my life according to Your Word."**

I will remember through verse 105, that: **"Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path."**

As I explore Psalm 119, I see an amazing interpretation of what I should do with and through God's Word. I believe that I will rise in stature through God's Word. **Like a new-born baby, I must crave spiritual milk, so that by it I may grow up in my salvation.** (from 1 Peter 2:2)
I understand that the quality of the Word as seed, planted in me, must bring forth a quality harvest for God's Kingdom! 1 Peter 1:23 teaches me to declare: **For I have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring Word of God.**

I need to align myself with God's Word, in all the work that God has called me to do. In 2 Tim. 2:15, the commandment is clear: **I must do my best to present myself to God as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the Word of truth.**

I desire a successful life with eternal value, but I know that it can happen only when I respond to God's Word and live it out in an accurate and effective way. I see the commandment with a promise in Josh. 1:8, that: **I must not let this Book of the Law depart from my mouth; I must meditate on it day and night, so that I may be careful to do everything written in it. Then I will be prosperous and successful.**

The Holy Spirit is my Counselor. Jesus is the Way, where I find my strategy for my life in Him, and I am seated in heavenly places with God's perspective about my life! **Blessed am I when I do not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. My delight will be in the law of the Lord, and on His law I will meditate day and night. I will be like a tree planted by streams of water, which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever I do, will prosper.** (from Ps. 1:1-3)

I cannot commit to study, memorise, meditate and embrace God's Word without asking the Holy Spirit to fulfil the new covenant promise in my life. As it is confirmed in Heb. 8:10b, I understand that **God will put His laws in my mind and write them on my heart. He will be my God, and I will be one of His people.**

I know and believe that the Word of God will always work until it is fulfilled. **So is God's Word that goes out from His mouth to me: It will not return to Him empty, but will accomplish what He desires in me and achieve the purpose for which He sent it.** (from Isa.55:11)

I choose to receive and allow God's Word to work in and through me, and I know that I will stand amazed at the impact of God's Word, for; **He sent forth His Word and healed me; He rescued me from the grave.** (from Ps. 107:20)

I know that God's Word must always be the foundation for God's work in and through my life, but ultimately, I believe that God's Word must formulate my expectation of His final appearance. I remember that He said: **"Behold, I am coming soon!"** (Rev. 22:7a)

He promised that I am **blessed if I keep the word of prophecy in this book.** (from Rev. 22:7b)

4. TRUTH'S conversation with me about ...

GOD'S WORD

God's Word must be the final authority in our lives. Respect and allow the Word of God to work in and through your life. 2 Tim. 3:16,17 says, **"All scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work."**

We need to understand the importance and authority of the Word because, in Jesus, the Word became flesh. John 1:1-5 says **"In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning. Through Him all things were made; without Him nothing was made that has been made. In Him was life, and that**

life was the light of men. The light shines in the darkness, but the darkness has not understood it."

When I know the Living Word of God, I will know Jesus and know His perspective and understanding of who we are with and in Him.

Heb. 4:12 says: **"For the Word of God is living and active. Sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit, joints and marrow; it judges the thoughts and attitudes of the heart."**

The Word of God will bring us into a wholesome godly life. When we study Psalm 119, we will see many more facets of interaction with the Word of God. Verse 9 declares: **"How can a young man keep his way pure? By living according to the Word."** Verse 37 prays: **"Turn my eyes away from worthless things; preserve my life according to Your Word."**

Verse 105 proclaims: **"Your Word is a lamp to my feet and a light for my path."**

Explore Psalm 119 and see the amazing interaction we should have with the Word, as well as the interpretation of how we should handle the Word of God. Rise in stature through the Word.

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Understand that the quality of the Word as seed, planted in you, must bring forth a quality harvest for the kingdom. **"For you have been born again, not of perishable seed, but of imperishable, through the living and enduring Word of God."** (1 Pet. 1:23)

Align yourself with the Word in all the work God has called you to do. **"Do your best to present yourself to God as one approved, a workman who does not need to be ashamed and who correctly handles the word of truth."** (2 Tim. 2:15)

A genuinely successful life with eternal value is determined by how effectively we live out and respond to the Word of God. Josh. 1:8 says: **"Do not let this Book of the Law depart from your mouth; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful."**

Ps. 1:1-3 also says: **"Blessed is the man who does not walk in the counsel of the wicked or stand in the way of sinners or sit in the seat of mockers. But his delight is in the law of the Lord, and on His law he meditates day and night. He is like a tree planted by streams of water,**

which yields its fruit in season and whose leaf does not wither. Whatever he does prospers.”

Never commit to study, memorise, meditate and embrace the Word, without asking the Holy Spirit to fulfil the new covenant promise in your life. Heb. 8:10b says, **“I will put My laws in their minds and write them on their hearts. I will be their God, and they will be My people.”**

God is faithful to fulfil His Word. God says: **“So is My Word that goes out from My mouth: It will not return to Me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.”** (Isa. 55:11)

Receive God’s Word and you will see the impact! Ps. 107:20 says: **“He sent forth His Word and healed them; He rescued them from the grave.”**

Let the Word of God be the foundation for God’s work in and through your life, but ultimately let it formulate your expectation of His final appearance. **“Behold, I am coming soon! Blessed is he who keeps the word of prophecy in this book.”** (Rev. 22:7)