

Breakthroughs

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Psalms 27:13, 2 Chronicles 20:1-30,
Exodus 14:13-14, Zechariah 4:6, Mark 11:24

Psalms 27:13

**I had fainted, unless I
had believed to see the
goodness of the LORD in
the land of the living.**

**Breakthroughs
come through
earnest heart-
felt prayer**

**They are not
laundry list
prayers**

**They are intense
prayers that
break the backs
of words**

2 Chronicles 20:1

**It came to pass after this also,
that the children of Moab, and
the children of Ammon, and
with them other beside the
Ammonites, came against
Jehoshaphat to battle.**

2 Chronicles 20:2

Then there came some that told Jehoshaphat, saying, There cometh a great multitude against thee from beyond the sea on this side Syria; and, behold, they be in Hazazontamar, which is Engedi.

2 Chronicles 20:3

**And Jehoshaphat feared,
and set himself to seek
the LORD, and proclaimed
a fast throughout all
Judah.**

2 Chronicles 20:4

And Judah gathered themselves together, to ask help of the LORD: even out of all the cities of Judah they came to seek the LORD.

2 Chronicles 20:5

**And Jehoshaphat stood in
the congregation of Judah
and Jerusalem, in the house
of the LORD, before the new
court,**

2 Chronicles 20:6

And said, O LORD God of our fathers, art not thou God in heaven? and rulest not thou over all the kingdoms of the heathen? and in thine hand is there not power and might, so that none is able to withstand thee?

2 Chronicles 20:7

**Art not thou our God, who
didst drive out the inhabitants
of this land before thy people
Israel, and gavest it to the
seed of Abraham thy friend
for ever?**

2 Chronicles 20:8

**And they dwelt therein,
and have built thee a
sanctuary therein for thy
name, saying,**

2 Chronicles 20:9

If, when evil cometh upon us, as the sword, judgment, or pestilence, or famine, we stand before this house, and in thy presence, (for thy name is in this house,) and cry unto thee in our affliction, then thou wilt hear and help.

2 Chronicles 20:10

And now, behold, the children of Ammon and Moab and mount Seir, whom thou wouldest not let Israel invade, when they came out of the land of Egypt, but they turned from them, and destroyed them not;

2 Chronicles 20:11

**Behold, I say, how they
reward us, to come to
cast us out of thy
possession, which thou
hast given us to inherit.**

2 Chronicles 20:12

O our God, wilt thou not judge them? for we have no might against this great company that cometh against us; neither know we what to do: but our eyes are upon thee.

2 Chronicles 20:13

**And all Judah stood
before the LORD, with
their little ones, their
wives, and their
children.**

2 Chronicles 20:14

Then upon Jahaziel the son of Zechariah, the son of Benaiah, the son of Jeiel, the son of Mattaniah, a Levite of the sons of Asaph, came the Spirit of the LORD in the midst of the congregation;

2 Chronicles 20:15

**And he said, Hearken ye, all Judah,
and ye inhabitants of Jerusalem,
and thou king Jehoshaphat, Thus
saith the LORD unto you, Be not
afraid nor dismayed by reason of
this great multitude; for the battle
is not yours, but God's.**

2 Chronicles 20:16

To morrow go ye down against them: behold, they come up by the cliff of Ziz; and ye shall find them at the end of the brook, before the wilderness of Jeruel.

2 Chronicles 20:17

Ye shall not need to fight in this battle: set yourselves, stand ye still, and see the salvation of the LORD with you, O Judah and Jerusalem: fear not, nor be dismayed; to morrow go out against them: for the LORD will be with you.

2 Chronicles 20:18

And Jehoshaphat bowed his head with his face to the ground: and all Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem fell before the LORD, worshipping the LORD.

2 Chronicles 20:19

And the Levites, of the children of the Kohathites, and of the children of the Korhites, stood up to praise the LORD God of Israel with a loud voice on high.

2 Chronicles 20:20

And they rose early in the morning, and went forth into the wilderness of Tekoa: and as they went forth, Jehoshaphat stood and said, Hear me, O Judah, and ye inhabitants of Jerusalem; Believe in the LORD your God, so shall ye be established; believe his prophets, so shall ye prosper.

2 Chronicles 20:21

And when he had consulted with the people, he appointed singers unto the LORD, and that should praise the beauty of holiness, as they went out before the army, and to say, Praise the LORD; for his mercy endureth for ever.

2 Chronicles 20:22

And when they began to sing and to praise, the LORD set ambushments against the children of Ammon, Moab, and mount Seir, which were come against Judah; and they were smitten.

2 Chronicles 20:23

For the children of Ammon and Moab stood up against the inhabitants of mount Seir, utterly to slay and destroy them: and when they had made an end of the inhabitants of Seir, every one helped to destroy another.

2 Chronicles 20:24

And when Judah came toward the watch tower in the wilderness, they looked unto the multitude, and, behold, they were dead bodies fallen to the earth, and none escaped.

2 Chronicles 20:25

And when Jehoshaphat and his people came to take away the spoil of them, they found among them in abundance both riches with the dead bodies, and precious jewels, which they stripped off for themselves, more than they could carry away: and they were three days in gathering of the spoil, it was so much.

2 Chronicles 20:26

And on the fourth day they assembled themselves in the valley of Berachah; for there they blessed the LORD: therefore the name of the same place was called, The valley of Berachah, unto this day.

2 Chronicles 20:27

Then they returned, every man of Judah and Jerusalem, and Jehoshaphat in the forefront of them, to go again to Jerusalem with joy; for the LORD had made them to rejoice over their enemies.

2 Chronicles 20:28

**And they came to Jerusalem
with psalteries and harps and
trumpets unto the house of
the LORD.**

2 Chronicles 20:29

**And the fear of God was
on all the kingdoms of
those countries, when they
had heard that
the LORD fought against the
enemies of Israel.**

2 Chronicles 20:30

**So the realm of
Jehoshaphat was quiet:
for his God gave him rest
round about.**

**When you sense
a spirit of fear,
turn your heart
towards God**

**Prayer should
be our first
choice instead
of our last
resort.**

**1. Focus on
God and not
the problem**

**Become
more aware
of God than
your problem**

**Meditate on
how He has
helped you and
others in the
past**

**The more we
focus on God
the smaller our
problem
becomes**

**2. Remember
that the
battle is
God's**

Exodus 14:13

**So the realm of
Jehoshaphat was quiet:
for his God gave him rest
round about.**

Exodus 14:14

**The LORD shall fight for
you, and ye shall hold
your peace.**

Zechariah 4:6

Then he answered and spake unto me, saying, This is the word of the LORD unto Zerubbabel, saying, Not by might, nor by power, but by my spirit, saith the LORD of hosts.

**3. Thank
God in
advance**

Mark 11:24

**Therefore I say unto you,
What things soever ye desire,
when ye pray, believe
that ye receive them,
and ye shall have them.**