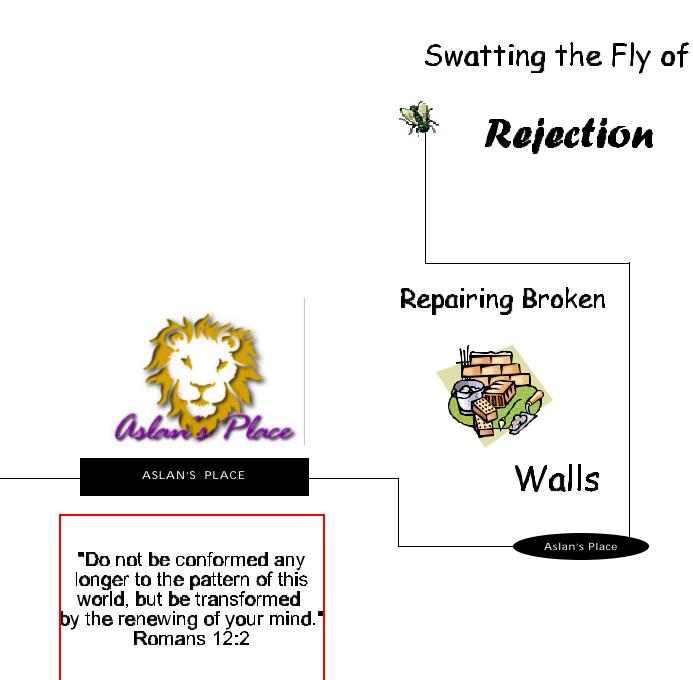


SWATTING THE FLY

Ed Silvoso, founder of Harvest Evangelism, tells the story of a pastor who was walking along the seashore. As he was trying to enjoy the scenery a swarm of flies began bothering him. There is a spiritual truth here, the Lord said. Understand the life cycle of the fly and you will begin to understand how to get rid of the negative spiritual issues in your life.

Upon investigation the pastor found that the life cycle of the adult fly is 21 days in the summer. The larva stage of the fly is a few days and the pupa stage is three to seven days. The truth then became clear. If you can get rid of a fly and its offspring, then the cycle of the fly's generation is broken and you will be rid of all flies.

The Lord the told him to proclaim truth for forty days. Specifically he told the pastor to take an area of your life in which you want freedom. Find forty key biblical verses in that area and proclaim them as truth for forty days.



Proclaim The Truth For Forty Days

John 1:12 Yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of God.

1 Cor 3:16 Don't you know that you yourselves are God's temple and that God's Spirit lives in you?

1 Cor 12:27 Now you are the body of Christ, and each one of you is a part of it.

John 15:15-16 No longer call you servants, because a servant does not know his master's business. Instead, I have called you friends, for everything that I learned from my Father I have made known to you. You did not choose me, but I chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit-- fruit that will last. Then the Father will give you whatever you ask in my name. Matt 5:13 "You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men." 1 Cor 6:17 But he who unites himself with the Lord is one with him in spirit.

Eph 2:18-19 For through him we both have access to the Father by one Spirit. Consequently, you are no longer foreigners and aliens, but fellow citizens with God's people and members of God's household.

Eph 1:5 He predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will.

Eph 1:13-14 And you also were included in Christ when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation. Having believed, you were marked in him with a seal, the promised Holy Spirit, who is a deposit guaranteeing our inheritance until the redemption of those who are God's possession-- to the praise of his glory.

Heb 4:16 Let us then approach the throne of grace with confidence, so that we may receive

mercy and find grace to help us in our time of need.

Phil 4:13 I can do everything through him who gives me strength.

Eph 2:10 For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.

Phil 3:20 But our citizenship is in heaven. And we eagerly await a Savior from there, the Lord Jesus Christ.

2 Cor 5:17 Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; the old has gone, the new has come! **Eph 3:12** In him and through faith in him we may approach God with freedom and confidence.

2 Tim 1:7 For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a spirit of power, of love and of selfdiscipline.

Rom 8:35 Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall trouble or hardship or persecution or famine or nakedness or danger or sword?

Col 1:13-14 For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the for-giveness of sins.

Rom 8:33 Who will bring any charge against those whom God has chosen? It is God who justifies.
I John 5:18 We know that anyone born of God does not continue to sin; the one who was born of God keeps him safe, and the evil one cannot harm him.
2 Cor 1:21 Now it is God who makes both us and you stand firm in Christ. He anointed us.

Col 3:3 For you died, and your life is now hidden with Christ in God.

Phil 1:6 being confident of this, that he who began a good work in you will carry it on to complete it in you.

1 Cor 6:20 You were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body.

Rom 8:1 Therefore, there is now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus.

Rom 8:28 And we know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been

called according to his purpose.

Heb 13:5 ... because God has said, "Never will I leave you; never will I forsake you. Eph 2:6 And God raised us up with Christ and seated us with him in the heavenly realms in Christ Jesus.

Rom 8:38-39 For I am convinced that neither death nor life, neither angels nor demons, neither the present nor the future, nor any powers, neither height nor depth, nor anything else in all creation, will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Ps 94:14 For the LORD will not reject his people; he will never forsake his inheritance. **Ps 37:28** For the LORD loves the just and will not forsake his faithful ones. They will be protected forever, but the offspring of the wicked will be cut off;

Ps 56:9 Then my enemies will turn back when I call for help. By this I will know that God is for me.

Ps 118:5-7 In my anguish I cried to the LORD, and he answered by setting me free. The LORD is with me; I will not be afraid. What can man do to me? The LORD is with me; he is my helper. I will look in triumph on my enemies.