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IN THIS EDITION

7 SIGNS THAT YOU NEED SPIRITUAL DELIVERANCE

There are many doubts about evil and how oppressive spirits can act in the life of a Christian. Is attending church and knowing the Bible enough to free a person from the invasion of a domineering spirit? Can the Spirit of God share space with the spirit of anguish and depression within someone? Why do some believers not see the results of their faith and live sick, in fear, and discouraged?

You can see the answers in the testimonies of people who have lived in similar situations and have gone through deliverance. In the book Possessed Believers - 12 Signs of Possession or Oppression, Bishop David Higginbotham tells through real testimonies, including that of himself and his wife, that just being aware of the Word of God and attending a church does not inhibit the forces of hell from acting in someone's

According to the author, one must be aware that we are in a spiritual war, and only with the weapons of faith can one obtain freedom. "We have to understand that demons are terrorists. They don't follow the rules. They're relentless. If God's people rise and resist, the demons will be forced to submit. However, if no one shows resistance, they will attack everyone without considering who they are and what they did to deserve the attack; young or old, rich or poor, they do not care who they destroy as long as it is a human life."

In an excerpt from the book, Bishop quotes the bible verse of Matthew 7:16, where Jesus states that we know a tree by its fruits. "If we are spiritually free, there will be good fruits to confirm our freedom - just as bad fruits to confirm oppression or possession by evil spirits. Our character and life reveal who lives in our hearts: Jesus or the devil. "

What types of fruits have been manifesting in your life? Are you struggling with depression, addictions, family dysfunction, or paranormal attacks? Nothing seems ever to go right? If the fruits of your life have been negative, it's a sign that you need spiritual deliverance. Join us for our deliverance services on Fridays at a Universal Church near you.

BEATING DEPRESSION

Depression is a sadness felt in the deepest part of one's soul. It causes a sense of hopelessness and exhaustion so great that a person loses the motivation to do anything and some to live at all. It is a sickness of the soul. But who can heal the soul other than the Savior of Souls, the Lord Jesus?

On Fridays, at every Universal Church, we have a service for Deliverance from Depression. Visit a branch near you today. Make a Chain of Prayer by attending a prayer meeting near you for seven consecutive weeks. You will receive practical steps, counseling, and spiritual help through prayers to overcome. You won't regret it.

There are thousands of testimonials worldwide that prove a Chain of Prayer works. You, too, CAN defeat depression!



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Bishop Edir Macedo



BELIEVE! SO WHAT?

There are only two kinds of people: those who believe and those who don't believe in God. But in the universe of "believers," not everyone truly believes, which is why the number of unbelievers is always on the rise.

To believe in God is to believe in His Word. To believe in the Word is to believe in its Author. This belief involves the unconditional surrender of one's own life. And in exchange for that, the person receives God's revelations.

But who believes in the Bible? Obviously, not everyone. So what? Does it lose its power because of that? Can the opinions of skeptics

"It's not what people say or think that matters, but what we believe in. This is what really counts."

and unbelieving people nullify the eternal Word? The Word is the same yesterday, today, and forever. It's independent of whether we accept the speculations and contradictions of science by the intellec-



tuals who have lived—or will live—in this world.

However, the Almighty reveals His power to those fortunate enough to believe. Answers, life, deliverance, transformation, and salvation are here, now, and for eternity.

It's not what people say or think but what we believe in that matters. It is what really counts.

God bless all of you abundantly.



"The suffering in my life began in my childhood. From age 10, I was bipolar and suffered from insomnia and the delusion that someone was constantly following me. At this age, I also started stealing, first from my home and then from others. It became an addiction. There was even a time when I stole a large amount of money.

At this tender age, I already felt attracted to older men. By age 12, I started smoking, drinking, and prostituting myself. I also persuaded my friends to do the same. I later got involved with witchcraft because I wanted to put an end to my family. I had

IT SEEMED IMPOSSIBLE TO CHANGE

death. I performed rituals and However, I couldn't do it. The blood pacts to see my parents more I attacked them, the more suffer. I would also physically they helped me and showed me abuse my brothers and myself, that my life could be different. causing injuries to my body.

I also had spiritual problems: I I got delivered entirely by makheard voices, and at night, I felt ing my chain of prayers, and my as if someone climbed on top of thoughts changed. Those who me. I wanted to kill myself and knew me before now don't even attempted suicide on three different occasions. I wanted to die cruelly, so I would cross the Street Today, I love my family and without looking in an attempt am a happy young woman. I to achieve this. I eventually left no longer suffer from spiritual my house for several months and problems and am sealed with the rebelled against everything and Holy Spirit. everyone. At school, I got into fights and tried to create panic in others. I thought I would gain respect through fear.

It was when my mother brought me to the Universal Church. I went in planning to kill the Pastor and the assistants. Someone invited me to participate in the Youth Group, but I went in-

altars and shrines dedicated to tending to break up the group. Until one day, I decided to surrender my life to the Lord Jesus. recognize me.

-Janeth



DIVINE WATER

FREE FROM A SEVERE INFECTION



Andressa was living her dream of becoming a mother when an unexpected delivery happened at home in the sixth month of her pregnancy. The baby was born purple, and while in the hospital, the doctors did everything possible to ensure the baby's life, but her health only worsened.

Little Layla contracted sepsis, a severe infection. Even though they did everything they could, the medical team warned they had no more resources and were honest with the mother: "Don't cling to your daughter because she could soon die."

Faced with one of the most challenging moments of her life, Andressa turned to faith as a last resource; after all, God's word says: "For with God nothing is impossible." Today, Layla has recovered and is a healthy child at two.



BEFORE

"MY HUSBAND WAS IN A COMA."

My husband was sick in the hospital; he had seizures and a brain injury. I thought I was going to lose him. He didn't know who I was. So, I learned about this ministry by watching the Showdown of Faith on TV. I used the Divine water and gave it to my husband in the hospital even though the doctor and nurses didn't want me to. The next day, my husband

was up through the power of God. As you can see, now he's here with me, it's an actual testimony! Cynthia, GA

If you have received a challenging diagnosis, exercise your faith. *The Universal Church warns that you should never ignore medical treatment.*



Learn to apply your faith in order to face your challenges!

GET YOUR DIVINE WATER EVERY SUNDAY

at your nearest Universal Church



Message

BISHOP JOSHUA

THE FEELING OF BEING TRAPPED



ife can throw us into deep, dark spaces that seem impossible to escape. Like a "grave," these situations leave us feeling Itrapped and drained.

Nowadays, this is the most common "grave" where people are facing hardships, such as overwhelming debt, unemployment, or constant financial instability. Depression, anxiety, or addiction can create a sense of being trapped in a dark and isolated place. Relationship problems or loss. Serious illnesses, chronic pain, and many other situations.

You do not see any way out, and your strength is about to finish. Don't lose hope! Let's read what the Bible says:

"Therefore prophesy and say to them, 'Thus says the Lord God: "Behold, O My people, I will open your graves and cause you to come up from your graves, and bring you into the land of Israel." (Ezekiel 37:12)

The solution for any problem is to Surrender your life to God and seek Him, and God will take you out of the "grave."

Allow the Almighty to take your life out of the pit so that you can become a living testimony of His power on earth.

May the God of the Bible bless you!

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MY SOUL WAS IN PAIN

Depression is part of the lives of millions of people around the world. Just because people can't see depression doesn't mean it's not real. It's not just a passing emotion you can hide; it isn't a momentary mood swing. Depression is more than just a feeling; it becomes a living nightmare for many people. Please read below the story of Stephanie, who suffered from depression for ten years, and today, she's living an everyday life.

and with the depression, I started having fear. Sometimes, I could not go to work because of the depression and the fear. Sometimes, I would have panic attacks; they were so bad that I wouldn't be able to breathe, and because of that, I would be rushed to the emergency room. The doctors would make tests and tell me everything was okay, but I wasn't.

I didn't have a good relationship with my family. My relationship with my mother was not good; I would speak to her sometimes, and sometimes I didn't. I didn't talk with my sister for 12 years, and she didn't allow me to see the kids. I was angry

with my brother, and because of this, we also had a bad relationship. Most of the time, I couldn't go to family functions due to the depression and the kind of relationship I had with them.

Being around people was a problem; I preferred being alone at home. Whenever I got a call, I often couldn't answer because I didn't want to speak

My financial life was terrible; I had a lot of debts, loans, and credit card bills, which I could not pay, and all this contributed to my depression and frustrations. When I heard about the Universal Church, I did not hesitate because I knew I needed help. I

fter losing a loved one, I be- came and started a chain of prayer. I came depressed. I was de- would come every Wednesday, Fripressed for over ten years, day, and Sunday to receive the Spir-



The panic attacks were so bad that I had to be rushed to the emergency room but all the tests still showed that I was okay

itual Treatment Water. From the first time I came, I felt the peace inside of me, and as I continued, my life started to change step by

step. What I was learning, I started putting into practice, and God set me free from the depression. I am no longer depressed; I no longer have fear and panic attacks. I am entirely free from all this, happy, and have a good relationship with my family. I now speak with my mother, sister, and brother; I don't keep anything against them in my heart anymore. My financial life is now blessed; I was able to pay my debts, and now, I am happy serving God and filled with His Spirit.

If you are reading this testimony, I encourage you to come to the Universal Church, do what I did, and God will give you a new life just as He did in my life. Stephanie

SUNDAY GATHERING FAITH AND MIRACLES HARLEM, NY

AMC MAGIC JOHNSON THEATRES

September 3rd, 2023-Sunday Prayer for Family

- "Come to me, all you lagive you rest." Matthew 11:28

The Universal Church in Harlem held its Sunday Great Gathering of Faith and Miracles at the AMC Magic Johnson Theaters in New York.

Pastor Luiz opened the service, praying with the "Blessed water." Today, all Attendees brought an empty bottle to receive the "Blessed water" from the altar, which was consecrated and blessed all week on the altar. Pastor reminded the Attendees of the story of King Hezekiah, who was told by the prophet Isaiah that the Lord said he would die instead of live after being ill.

King Hezekiah refused to accept the decision and called out to our Lord vehemently, reminding Him of his faithfulness and steadfastness to the Lord. After that, the Lord changed The Message his mind, decided to heal King Hezekiah, and extended his days by fifteen (15) years. II Kings 20: 1-7 As such, do not accept any infirmities, illness, sickness, or disease in your body; instead, cry out to our Lord for help.

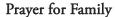
Lord Jesus that the power of God would come inside the Attendees. He instructed the Attendees not to accept any illness, sickness, or disease in their bodies. Proclaim your healing: "This body is not yours; get out!; I reject you, Satan; I reject illness, sickness, and diseases in Jesus' name."

Son, and Holy Spirit.

Water Testimony

Ms. Carmalita testified that she was diagnosed with blood clots, which Testimony - Valley of Dry Bones to caused her nerves to be damaged. After drinking the "Blessed water," she was no longer in pain and no longer Ms. Merlene, an Assistant, testified having pain.

Other Attendees also testified that they were no longer in pain after drinking the "Blessed water."



Powerful Novena of healing and miracles for the families. All the children were consecrated and anointed with tions they faced causing them to suffer. He reminded the Attendees that Satan does not see children as children, but as souls they want to devour. Hence, we must pray for their protection as they enter this world.



me and brought me out in the Spirit Church on November 25, 2009, and of the LORD, and set me down in the midst of the valley, and it was and by January 8, 2010, she received full of bones. Then He caused me to pass by them all around, and behold, The Pastor prayed in the name of our there were very many in the open valley; and indeed they were very dry. And He said to me, "Son of man, can these bones live?" So I answered, "O Lord GOD, You know." Ezekiel 37:1-3 NKJV."

Pastor Luiz noted that the "Valley of Dry Bones" symbolized suffering people. He asked, "Can you not be The Attendees were then instructed free from addiction, generational to take three (3) sips of the "Bless- curses, and incurable illness, sickness, ed water" in the name of the Father, diseases? Can you not receive the Holy Spirit?" He noted that we are in this purpose of the "Valley of Dry Bones" because the Lord inspired it for a purpose/reason.

Fountain of Living Water

that before coming to the church, she was in the "Valley of Dry Bones."

a womanizer who would threaten to NKJV they would not suffer.

self by jumping into the East River, she found the Universal Church. A voice told her to get off the bus and walk, and she met two Pastors from the Universal Church, who offered her help without knowing her situlater struck by the words of one of the pastors, which made her think twice about killing himself. She start- New Attendees ed to attend church, brought pictures of her family with her, and started Ms. Dorene Washington was evanpraying for her family.

"The hand of the LORD came upon She began attending Universal got baptized on December 20, 2009, the Holy Spirit. She noted that her life could transform and get out of the "Valley of Dry Bones" because she listened and obeyed the Word of God. "Again He said to me, "Prophesy to these bones, and say to them, 'O dry bones, hear the word of the Lord!" Ezekiel 37:4



Church is usually found in places straying from the path of God and considered the "Valley of Dry Bones" because the church's goal is to save of this world. souls. He said that one who hears and obeys the Word of God will become a "Fountain of Living water" and can give life to others. "... but whoever drinks of the water that I shall give She noted that her husband at the him will never thirst. But the water time was very controlling and would that I shall give him will become in physically and emotionally abuse her him a fountain of water springing in front of her children. He was also up into everlasting life." John 4:14

SUNDAY 9:30AM MAGIC JOHNSON THEATER

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kill her constantly. She did not share The Pastor noted that the secret to bor and are heavy laden, and I will Sunday was the sixth Sunday of the her problems with her family to pre- the transformation is the "Word of vent additional issues. Because of God"; we must listen to the "Word." the abuse, she would think of ways He then called to the altar all Atto kill her husband to get away from tendees who were in the "Valley of their families. The Pastor prayed for the abuse. She then started worrying Dry Bones" and wanted to become protection and guidance, deliverance about her children and thought it a "Fountain of Living Water." Pastor from any issues, problems, or situablest to kill herself and her children so Luiz instructed the Attendees to surrender all their hurts, pains, traumas, suffering, anger, and injustices to our On the day she decided to kill her- Lord Jesus Christ. You're a precious soul for our Lord, and he wants to help you pour out his Holy Spirit upon you so that you can become that "Fountain of Living water." He prophesied that the Attendees were no longer weak but strong, no longer ation. She was not receptive to what a child inflicted by their problems. the Pastors said because she did not He prophesied that they would hear believe they could help her. She was the Word of God, which brings forth life, and receive the Holy Spirit.

gelized yesterday while the choir performed on 125th Street. She enjoyed the service and was taking away the message that our God is a healer and deliverer and, as such, will lift us outof the "Valley of Dry Bones."



Mr. Malik Johnson was invited to service today by his friend, a choir member. Although he practices a different religion, he enjoyed the service. He was reminded by the service that we need to make sure our steps are in tune with our Lord and not the The Pastor noted that the Universal Devil. We must be vigilant about not getting distracted by the bright lights



COVER STORY



SPIRITUAL DELIVERANCE

SOME PROBLEMS YOU'RE GOING THROUGH SHOW YOU HAVE A SPIRITUAL PROBLEM. IT'S TIME TO SEEK HELP.





is married to Daniel. The couple 4-year-old daughter named Sabrina. Anyone who sees the photo of this happy family cannot imagine what happened to Deise during her struggle to get rid of wrong relationships, addictions, and depression from her life. "Despite being with the Universal Church from an early age, I felt abandoned and unloved by anyone because my parents were divorced, and I wanted to fill that void," she says.

Deise got involved in an abusive relationship with a married man very young. "He was violent and offered me only crumbs. Before meeting him, I didn't drink or smoke, but when I started working, I learned about drugs like marijuana and LSD. When he said he was going on a trip

and disappeared, I went into depression. I started associating with men and

asked to meet up but left her waiting for hours. Deise says she thought about suicide, which repeated in other moments of her life. "I tried to kill myself four times," she recalls.

She was desperate and no longer ate properly and weighed 45 kilos. "I had lost my job and decided to slit my wrists with a knife..."

women, and I thought that would solve my situation," she says.



One day, after going to the motel with Deise, the guy ended the relationship over the phone. She was desperate and no longer ate properly and weighed 45 kilos. "I had lost my job and decided to slit my wrists with a knife, but the phone rang right just in time. I got scared and gave up," she recalls.

Once, after arriving home,

When he reappeared, he Deise's mother took her by the arm to church. Deise had just made another attempt to take her own life. "Arriving there, I manifested with the spirits. I suffered to from disturbances at home. My mother used to say I couldn't be alone because there was a wandering spirit that would take me to the streets. After a few months, I was already in the process of deliverance. A purpose of faith came, and I placed my life on the Altar. I received the Holy Spirit at the campaign of faith," she recalls.

I TRIED TO KILL MYSELF FOUR TIMES

Deise already knew her husband, Daniel, as the two had dated when she was returning to Universal. "As I didn't know how evangelize properly, I told him that I would first seek God and end the relationship and that if he wanted me, it would have to be at Universal. In the process, he also went to church, and we ended up meeting and dating again, this time under the eyes of God. We got married and have our daughter. Without God, we wouldn't be here today."

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RITUA ERANCE

We have all heard stories of people • Family in shambles having paranormal experiences: seeing shadows, hearing voices, feeling something choke them as they sleep, having chilly sensations, etc. But are all these stories "make-believe"? What if the stories we heard were true and evil spirits real? The truth is that evil spirits and spiritual attacks exist. Those who experience such events and attacks can testify to this.

Many people are afraid to speak about their paranormal experiences because no one would believe them if they did. They would look crazy. But they are not; thousands of people have had similar experiences. Based on years of experience counseling people, we highlight seven signs that a person needs spiritual deliverance.

Check out the list below and see if you identify with any of these signs:

- Depression
- Heaviness in your body
- Addiction
- You got involved with the occult
- Nothing goes right for you
- You feel like something is holding you down

There is a spiritual realm in which we cannot see with our physical eyes. A realm in which there is a daily battle between good and evil for our souls. The word of God says, "Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary, the devil, walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour." (1 Peter 5:8) Evil constantly looks for lives to attack and destroy, like a lion looking for prey. Evil looks for people who are weak in their communion with God and faith. It looks for those who disobey God's voice because it knows that we are far from God's protection when we disobey Him.

The angel of the Lord encamps all around those who fear Him (Obey God), And delivers them." (Psalms 34:7) When there is obedience, vigilance, and a constant exercise of faith, the surprise attacks from evil become neutralized. Only spiritual weapons can overcome evil spirits. Go to your local Universal Church to fight for your deliverance!

Depression You got involved with the occult Heaviness in your body Nothing goes right for you

Mark the problem(s) that you have and bring this with you:

Addiction You feel like there's something holding you down Family in shambles

If the problem is not mentioned above, write them below:

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IT WORKS!

A Chain of Prayer is when you attend a prayer meeting for a certain number of weeks without interruption in order to see a breakthrough in your life. Whether it is healing, a financial breakthrough or spiritual deliverance that you need, a Chain of Prayer helps you develop the faith and determination to overcome.

Monday - Strong Nation 7am, 10am, 4pm & 7pm



Learn the secrets to overcome financially. Receive direction to grow and become a successful person.



Tuesday - Prayer for healing 7am, 10am, 4pm & 7pm

Receive prayers for your physical, mental and spiritual well-being.

Wednesday - Night of Salvation 7am, 10am, 4pm & 7pm



A meeting will be held for those who want to invest in a genuine relationship with God.



Thursday - Family & Love Therapy 7am, 10am, 4pm & 7pm

The goal of the family meeting is to bring families together. No family is perfect, but they can be free from any hate, separation and other underlying issues.

Friday - Deliverance 7am, 10am, 4pm & 7pm



There is a root to every problem. No issue can be dealt with permanently without removing its root. Every Friday, strong prayers is provided for anyone who is facing a problem that is influenced by negativity.



Saturday - Impossible Cases 8am & 12pm

Have you ever looked at a problem or situation and thought, 'this is impossible, there is no solution to this?' If you want to see the 'impossible become possible', join us every Saturday.

Sunday - Gathering of Faith & Miracles 7am, 10am, 3pm & 6pm



These meetings aim to help people connect with God, to empower people and teach them how to use their faith to achieve what they want in their lives.

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made a challenge with Ezekiel. Stunned by the question, Ezekiel replied, "God, You know." In other words, I wonder if this could be possible. However, that day in the service, the women learned that what seemed impossible could become possible through faith and obedience to God's voice.

They had the opportunity to write their requests about the dry bones in their lives that they wanted to come to life. Bishop Bira Joshua prayed for them and took their requests to the church's altar.

n Tuesday, September 5th, 2023, a special graduation was held at the Hobby Unit. Seventy-six women graduated from overcoming anger and inner healing, and some graduated from new beginnings.

They took part and participated in the classes, completing worksheets and maintaining good attendance.

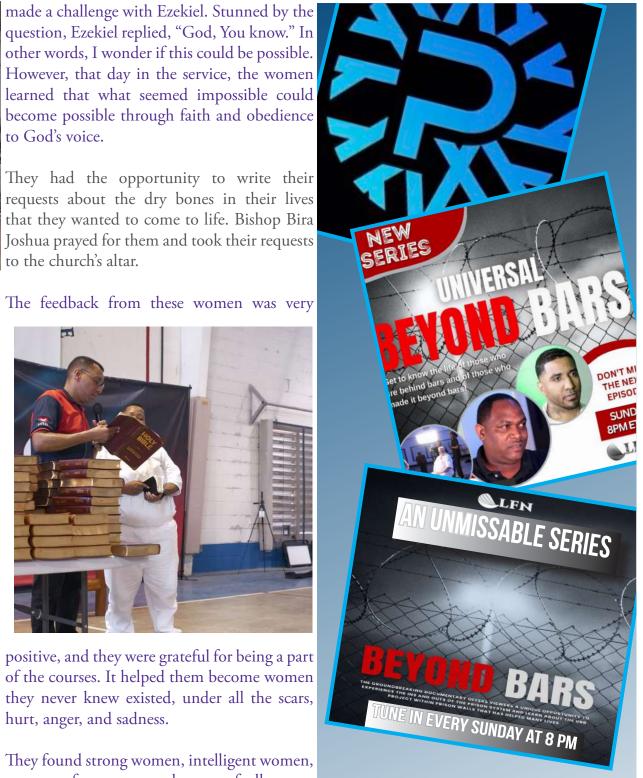
It was a moment of discipline as well for them to have accountability because, for some of them, taking responsibility for their actions was a difficult task. Still, they learned that they are responsible for their lives and actions.

During the service, there were over 200 women. The women received a word of faith and heard about the Valley of Dry Bones. God asked Ezekiel if the dry bones could live. He

positive, and they were grateful for being a part of the courses. It helped them become women they never knew existed, under all the scars, hurt, anger, and sadness.

They found strong women, intelligent women, women of purpose, and most of all, many became women who feared God.





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department to invite because Sunday, as there will them much. be a special prayer for law enforcement in the They learned to overcome church.

We went to several or themselves but also in precincts throughout the God. week.

in their work.

see on the job, and their this situation. experiences.

For this reason, we said that since we have prayed for them to have been praying in the



peace and be free from

The ULE went to We taught them they the fire and police cannot be doubtful making one them for a service this wrong decision can cost

> doubts not only to put their trust in their training

So God may be able The word was about to direct their steps. doubts and how everyone Along with this powerful deals with them, especially message of how to let go of doubts, we prayed for

One of the officers from Precinct 40 in the Bronx precinct, God has been working, and they are genuinely grateful for the work that has been done.



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GENESIS.

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8pm with Bishop David

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Suellen was a retail sales associate. Although they had

donated clothes. They slept on the floor for a while as improving their lives.

was leading to a better life. At various times, I even fulfilled and happy and with the main focus on my Salvation." questioned whether there was a possibility of being happy, but true happiness, not just a momentary feeling," remembers Edson.

In addition to the financial problems, their relationship got worse. The aggressions from both parties, which before were only verbal, evolved into physical ones. Suellen even tried to kill her husband with a knife.

"I had a terrible temper. I tried to control myself but couldn't," says Suellen. Because of his wife's temperament, Edson felt like "a real failure."

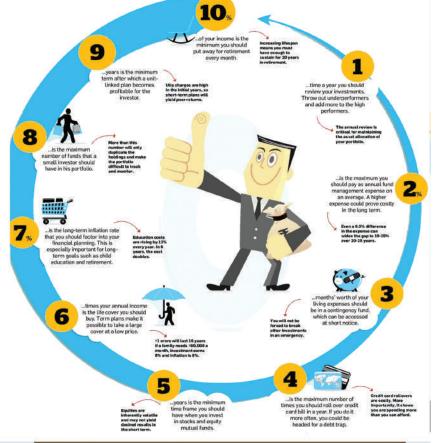
That's when he invited his wife to go to The Universal church together. On that day, what they heard from God changed their life. They both made a vow on the Altar. From that day forward, a new life began when they received the Holy Spirit.

"To have an experience with God, first I was honest with myself and understood that there was only one way for

food on their table, the family's financial situation could everything to change: if I really knew the Lord Jesus. We put everything we have been better. They lived in a rented two-bedroom had and what we would like to be and have in God's hands, and from then on, house full of cockroaches and dressed their daughter in we rewrote our history. Every day, we live new experiences," says Edson.

they couldn't afford a bed. There was no hope of Suellen also reports that her change happened when she understood that she needed to change internally. "Without the Holy Spirit, I was a lost person, unable to focus on life or see the future. After the Holy Spirit, I understood my "The only feeling I had was that nothing we were doing condition as a child of God and that He wants the best for me. Today, I live

> Suellen says she sees the positive results in all aspects, and their lives are complete. Edson is even more often surprised by events that exceed his expectations. "Sometimes think that this life is not mine and that I am not the one living it," he jokes.





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