

Breaking Bitter Root Judgments and Releasing Expectations

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- On your own, make a list of people who may have been defiled by your bitter root judgments and don't forget to include yourself. Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal what is hidden.
- Make a list of judgments you have made.
- Do some business with God to take care of them. Remember that you activate what Jesus bought and paid for through confession and repentance. For those who need forgiveness, forgive and release any judgments you have made. You can just confess this to the Lord, but to really solidify it, confess it to another and you will be healed (James 5:16). Take it to the cross and leave it there.
- Break the power of reaping as you declare, *"Having confessed my sin in judging, by the power of the cross, I break the curses that have been released against me as a result of my judging."*
- Then get specific and apply the work of the cross to those areas you know you are currently reaping because you sowed from bitter root judgments. *"I bring the power of the cross to cancel (name the bitter root judgment) and break their power over me and over (name the person(s) who may be affected)."*
- Cancel any judgments made against you.

Declaration and Prayer to cancel bitter root judgments

Father, forgive me for standing in your place as judge.

I lay down my self-imposed responsibility to judge the heart, the motives, the intentions, and the actions of people.

I repent for my pride that is evident when I am critical or have judgmental thoughts.

Forgive me for judging others and expose it when I have a log in my own eye.

Forgive me for the bitter root judgments I have made, thought, or spoken against (_____).

I renounce and break the judgments I have made (list/describe the judgments)

Jesus, I ask you to remove from (person's name) the entanglements and bondages of my judgments and bless (him/her/them).

I lay all the consequences of the judgments I sowed at the foot of the cross to be removed by the blood of Jesus.

I take back the ground that I have given over to bitterness.

Jesus, I ask you to remove all residue of bitterness in my life.

I break the curse of judgments off of my bloodline, and set me and my descendants free from those consequences.

I take authority over all curses and judgments that came against me from others. I cancel those assignments and I return a blessing on those they came from.

Fill me Jesus with your love and compassion.

Thank you, Jesus, that nothing is impossible for you.