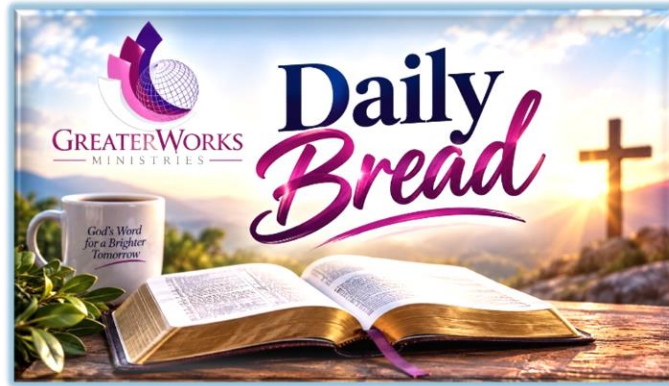




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THE QUICKENING POWER OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

John 6:63 (KJV) "It is the spirit that QUICKENETH (gives life); the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life."

Romans 8:11 (KJV) "But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also QUICKEN (give life) to your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you."

Brethren, there is one common word in those two scriptures, this word is a verb (action word). The word is Quicken. To quicken means to give life, to bring to speed or to stimulate. So now we learn from this that all quickening business in the scripture is of the Holy Spirit. The Holy Spirit is the one responsible for the stimulation, for the speeding up of anything that has to do with us as we see in those scriptures.

Let's us be practical...If you are feeling bored and low or tired, some people will take a cup of strong coffee to get energy from caffeine (it's not bad to drink coffee, I'm not against it), but us who are born again don't need coffee to do that for us, we need the Holy Spirit to quicken us from within and He does that perfectly well, learn it daily to ask him to quicken you.

If you work up with a mood, feeling frustrated, discouraged and without motivation, just ask the Holy Spirit to stimulate you from within, and before you know it you will be the most motivated person ever, full of hope and life. That is why the Holy Spirit came; that's the help he has come to give us.

Sometimes you feel like not wanting to pray (our natural selves will never want to pray even a second), or even going to church, some are even bored during services and some would leave and go back home to sleep. The solution for this is to ask the Holy Spirit to quicken you, and I tell you if you pray in tongues with concentration, your mind being focused for just 10 mins, you will be quickened.

I wasn't feeling like praying one day, I was lazy to pray. I tried by my own power to pray but it couldn't happen, then I asked the Holy Spirit to quicken me from within, I kept on asking until some power from within me took over and I started praying and went for more than 100 mins in prayer. That is the Holy Spirit.

One other time I wanted to do a long fast for nights and days...I was feeling weak halfway, I wasn't going to continue, I asked the Holy Spirit to strengthen me so as not to break my fast, I kept on asking for his strength, and I felt all hunger leaving and new strength coming and I complete the fast. Hallelujah!

Let's not worry brethren, the same power that raised Jesus from the dead is at work in us....

With love from

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