




Overcoming Envy

Three Ways to Overcome Envy and Enjoy Our Relationships



FAMILY ALTAR GUIDE



FUN

Time to Thank and Praise God for What He Has Done

INSTRUCTIONS

- Make this moment a “meeting time” wherein you can have “cooked food” or “delivered food” while your whole family enjoy this 1-hour meet up with the purpose of intimacy, information and inspiration.
- You can also have a simple group game to perk up everyone’s interest and basically have fun.
- Remember: ***“It’s more fun at home with the family.”***

Faithful Family Declaration

I believe in God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit whose love and destiny, I will live it.

I am a lover. I'm a worshipper. I am a giver, supporter, peacemaker.

As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord.

As for me and my campus, we will seek the Lord.

As for me and my workplace, we excel for the Lord.

Thus, I will connect with God daily. I will work with my faith group weekly.

I will use my talents to serve the ministry.

As Jesus makes my heart pure, He makes my future secure.

This year, I will trust and obey For His blessings are sure to stay.

Support and pray for the mission of national transformation.

Faithful's 2020 vision is *Mighty Multiplication*.



FOOD

Time Share and Apply God's Word to Our Lives

INSTRUCTIONS

- Before the sharing of today's SPIRITUAL FOOD, jump start the meet up with a fast or slow worship song can be played live or through YouTube.
- Singing Christian Worship songs can refresh and refocus a stressful mind and heart.



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We spend way too much time comparing ourselves to others. Out of this activity comes torment and sometimes some really bad decisions.

Envy and jealousy have
led to gossip, slander,
stealing, adultery, murder,
and so many
more awful actions.

The good news is that
God wants to help us
lose jealousy
and overcome envy.

Three Ways to Overcome Envy



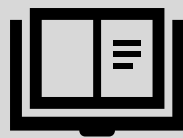
Three Ways to Overcome Envy

- 1. Know that You are Unique**
- 2. Be Grateful**
- 3. Be Happy for Others**

Way #1

**Know that
You are Unique**





¹³ You made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother's womb. ¹⁴ Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex!

Your workmanship is marvelous—how well I know it.

Psalm 139:13-14 (NLT)



For we are His workmanship [His own master work, a work of art], created in Christ Jesus [reborn from above—spiritually transformed, renewed, ready to be used] for good works, which God prepared [for us] beforehand [taking paths which He set], so that we would walk in them [living the good life which He prearranged and made ready for us].

Ephesians 2:10 (AMP)



Take Note

In Christ,
we are God's masterpiece!
And, He planned a specific
set of things for us to
accomplish long ago.



Take Note

You and I have a destiny
no one else can carry out.
It doesn't matter if it is grand
or humble. God made
each of us to be unique,
irreplaceable
in His grand plan.

What are your main personality, talents, abilities or spiritual gifts you have that is unique to you?



Discussion

How can you use it
to serve your family,
community and ministry?



Discussion

Way #2

Be Grateful





A hard-working slave will be placed in charge of a no-good child, and that slave will be given the same inheritance that each child receives.

Proverbs 17:2 (CEV)



Take Note

One of the attitudes that most sets us up for joy and an absence of envy is gratefulness.



Take Note

When we have gratitude,
we look at what we have
with appreciation and
stop dwelling on what
we don't have.



Better to eat a dry crust
of bread with peace
of mind than have
a banquet in a house
full of trouble.

Proverbs 17:1 (GNT)

What are the three blessings you are so happy that God has given you recently?



Discussion

How did it inspire you
to trust God more?



Discussion

Way #3

Be Happy for Others





Take Note

Be excited for
the good fortune,
the blessings of others.

 **Take Note**

If you can learn to say, “*Yehey!*” when your friends and neighbors experience blessings, the chances are that you’ll be next.



When others are happy,
be happy with them,...

Romans 12:15a (CEV)

Are there some persons
you have within
your circle of friendship
who are "blessed"?



Discussion

How do you personally
show your happiness
with them?



Discussion



FAITH

Time to Serve our Family, Friends and Others

VERSE of the WEEK



For where your treasure is,
there will your
heart be also.

Luke 12:34 (ESV)

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- Monday **FLI E-Class**
- Tuesday **Family Altar**
- Wednesday **Midweek Service**
- Thursday **Prayer Meet-Up**
- Friday **Principles In Life Webcast**
- Saturday **CYOD & Faithful Talks Webcast**
- Sunday **Celebration Services & Faithful Perspectives Webcast**