

# Faith Manifesto For Every Challenging Situation

Every day of each of our lives is unique. One constant in everybody's life is the requirement to respond to what is going on in our lives everyday. There will be things that make us happy, while others that create sadness. Situations that we will consider to be normal or routine, and easy to deal with. Others will be more challenging and possess the potential to generate in us an emotional reaction which we will perceive as unpleasant.

What separates people who are able to get through situations and those who are crushed by them is the internal and external response that we generate when these challenging situations arise. With the right attitude and response we tend to be able to weather storms and emerge stronger

The Word of God is living and active, powerful and effective, able to address any situation known to man.

When we believe the Word of God, and apply scripture to our life we become energised and are able to turn around any and every situation. The Word of God in our hearts is able to create the right internal response or attitude.

We need to replace any negative emotion we might be feeling with a Word inspired confidence boost that will allow us to start to see the situation turn around.

The ability to proclaim faith filled words to challenge what we are experiencing and therefore push back adverse circumstances is one that will see us coming through every difficulty that life throws at us.

We have generated a series of positive statements based on God's Word and promise to us. We encourage you to use these statements when you happen to face any contrary situation.

**When I feel weak - I can say, 'I am strong because my strength is in God'.**

"Whom have I in heaven but thee? and there is none upon earth that I desire beside thee. My flesh and my heart faileth: but God is the strength of my heart, and my portion for ever."

Psalms 73:25-26 KJV

**When I feel scared - I can declare 'I will not be afraid because I know who is on my side.'**

"The Lord is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? the Lord is the strength of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?" Psalms 27:1 KJV

**When I feel intimidated - I can be empowered by the Lord, and I can declare ‘I am strong in the Lord, and am not backing down.’**

“Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.”  
Ephesians 6:10-11 KJV

**When I feel distressed, I can look to the Lord for wellness and peace. My declaration will be ‘The Lord is perfecting my healing.’**

“Behold, I will bring it health and cure, and I will cure them, and will reveal unto them the abundance of peace and truth.”  
Jeremiah 33:6 KJV

**When I feel tired, I can declare that ‘My strength is renewed and I am strong in the Lord.’**

“But they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength; they shall mount up with wings as eagles; they shall run, and not be weary; and they shall walk, and not faint.”  
Isaiah 40:31 KJV

**When I feel abandoned I can be confident that the Lord will never leave me and declare ‘Thank you Lord for being with me through every trial.’**

“There shall not any man be able to stand before thee all the days of thy life: as I was with Moses, so I will be with thee: I will not fail thee, nor forsake thee.”  
Joshua 1:5 KJV

**When I feel lack, I can declare - ‘I am sufficient in the Lord as all my needs are met by Him.’**

“But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.”  
Philippians 4:19 KJV

**When I feel second best, I can declare ‘I am who God says I am. I will be the best that I can be everyday of my life.’**

“And the Lord shall make thee the head, and not the tail; and thou shalt be above only, and thou shalt not be beneath; if that thou hearken unto the commandments of the Lord thy God, which I command thee this day, to observe and to do them:” Deuteronomy 28:13 KJV

**When I feel sick , I can declare that ‘I am healed in the Name of the Lord.’**

“And said, If thou wilt diligently hearken to the voice of the Lord thy God, and wilt do that which is right in his sight, and wilt give ear to his commandments, and keep all his statutes, I will put none of these diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians: for I am the Lord that healeth thee.” Exodus 15:26 KJV

**When I feel overwhelmed I can declare ‘I am protected from all dangers, and my God will keep me safe.’**

“I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in him will I trust.”  
Psalms 91:2 KJV

**When I feel insignificant I can declare ‘I am valuable because God says I am.’**

“For thus saith the Lord of hosts; After the glory hath he sent me unto the nations which spoiled you: for he that toucheth you toucheth the apple of his eye.” Zechariah 2:8 KJV

**When I make a mistake and feel condemned, I can declare ‘I have been justified, and I am not bound my error.’**

“Being justified freely by his grace through the redemption that is in Christ Jesus:”  
Romans 3:24 KJV

**When I commit sin, I am able to come to repentance knowing that God's forgiveness is available. I can declare, ‘Lord I come to you acknowledging that I have sinned, I trust in your eternal grace and mercy to restore me to a state of righteousness which is what you desire for me’**

“If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.” 1 John 1:9 KJV

**When I am at a crossroads, I can look to the Lord for directions and I can declare ‘I am going to go where the Lord leads me for there lies my victory.’**

“I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye.” Psalms 32:8 KJV

**When I feel unhappy, I can declare ‘I have the joy of the Lord and this gives me strength. As I am overflowing with joy, I refuse to be depressed’**

The joy of the Lord is my strength Nehemiah 8:10

**When I feel low, I can say ‘I am not going to be downcast and I will praise the Lord!’**

Why art thou cast down, O my soul, and why are thou disquieted within me? Hope in God: for I shall yet praise Him who is the health of my countenance and my God’ Psalm 43:5 KJV

**When I feel angry, I can declare ‘I choose to think and do good and will not allow myself to be taken over by anger’**

Be ye angry, and sin not: let not the sun go down upon your wrath: Ephesians 4:26

**When I feel like complaining, I can say ‘I commit my worries to the Lord and receive the grace to find the way out of this situation’**

Casting all your cares upon Him, for He cares for You . Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as roaring lion , walketh about seeking whom he may devour: Whom resist stedfast. 1Peter 5:8-9

**When I am tempted, I can resist temptation and declare ‘I am the righteousness of God and will think, speak and act as guided by the Spirit of the Lord’**

There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able, but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear it. 1 Corinthians 10:13

As we continue to immerse ourselves in God’s Word, we become more aware of God’s promises which we can apply to every area of our lives.

Jesus in the midst of the storm declared “Peace be still” and then winds ceased and the waves calmed (Mark4:39) . This can and should be the same for us. We should on the basis of what God has said in His Word, be able to address our surroundings or situation, and see things change to become more suitable for us.

We encourage you to practice these faith filled declarations on a regular frequent basis. Your life will be enriched. You will appreciate more of God’s presence and more of God’s power.

Yours in His love,

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