Message: Overcoming the misleading forces

Memory verse: 2 Corinthians 11:14-15 KJV And no marvel; for Satan himself is transformed into an angel of light. [15] Therefore it is no great thing if his ministers also be transformed as the ministers of righteousness; whose end shall be according to their works.

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Bible reading: Genesis 3:1-12 KJV Now the serpent was more subtil than any beast of the field which the Lord God had made. And he said unto the woman, Yea, hath God said, Ye shall not eat of every tree of the garden? [2] And the woman said unto the serpent, We may eat of the fruit of the trees of the garden: [3] But of the fruit of the tree which is in the midst of the garden, God hath said, Ye shall not eat of it, neither shall ye touch it, lest ye die. [4] And the serpent said unto the woman, Ye shall not surely die: [5] For God doth know that in the day ye eat thereof, then your eyes shall be opened, and ye shall be as gods, knowing good and evil. [6] And when the woman saw that the tree was good for food, and that it was pleasant to the eyes, and a tree to be desired to make one wise, she took of the fruit thereof, and did eat, and gave also unto her husband with her; and he did eat. [7] And the eyes of them both were opened, and they knew that they were naked; and they sewed fig leaves together, and made themselves aprons. [8] And they heard the voice of the Lord God walking in the garden in the cool of the day: and Adam and his wife hid themselves from the presence of the Lord God amongst the trees of the garden. [9] And the Lord God called unto Adam, and said unto him, Where art thou? [10] And he said, I heard thy voice in the garden, and I was afraid, because I was naked; and I hid myself. [11] And he said, Who told thee that thou wast naked? Hast thou eaten of the tree, whereof I commanded thee that thou shouldest not eat? [12] And the man said, The woman whom thou gavest to be with me, she gave me of the tree, and I did eat.

In Genesis 2:18,21-24 KJV And the Lord God said, It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him an help meet for him. [21] And the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon Adam, and he slept: and he took one of his ribs, and closed up the flesh instead thereof; [22] And the rib, which the Lord God had taken from man, made he a woman, and brought her unto the man. [23] And Adam said, This is now bone of my bones, and flesh of my flesh: she shall be called Woman, because she was taken out of Man. [24] Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh.

The lord created you as a suitable help, a light, salt and a pillar in the lives of your husband. Satan knows how powerful your ministry is and how influential you are in the live of your husband but you must be careful lest Satan take advantage as seen in **2 Corinthians 2:11 KJV** Lest Satan should get an advantage of us: for we are not ignorant of his devices. You must therefore be careful of the following misleading forces:-

- Opposite sex
- Members
- Friends
- Social media
- Other pastors
- Family
- Self ungodly ambition

Remember what the bible says in Genesis 2 verse 24 Therefore shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall cleave unto his wife: and they shall be one flesh. You are one flesh with your husband, therefore don't let anyone or anything mislead you against your calling and the calling of your husband... Remember that both were chased out of the garden...

How to overcome the misleading forces

- 1. Always watching and praying
- 2. Separate yourself from gossip
- 3. Keep family secrets within the family
- 4. Stop and never compare yourself, your children or husband with another family
- 5. Appreciate your own home
- 6. Make your husband your best friend and your husband make you his best friend
- 7. Never join those fighting your husband
- 8. Encourage him and see future in his ministry
- 9. Submit to him and treat him with dignity and respect
- 10. Support his vision and ministry

Prayer

- 1. Satan get thee behind me and my home in the name of Jesus
- 2. Powers planning to use me against my marriage depart from me now and die in the name of
- 3. I shut the door of my life against intruders and misleading forces in the name of Jesus
- 4. My father make a pillar in the ministry and not a Caterpillar in the name of Jesus
- 5. I shall not destroy the ministry and the ministry will not destroy me and my home in the name of Jesus