## Message: The filthy garment

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**Memory verse: Psalm 19:14 KJV** Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength, and my redeemer.

The words from the mouth, the meditations of the heart can be filthy. To be filthy means to be dirty, unacceptable, abominable, sinful and when this is the case, the devil will have the legal ground to accuse a life before God, that is why we must pray against every form of filthiness in our lives......

**Zechariah 3:1-4 KJV** And he shewed me Joshua the high priest standing before the angel of the Lord, and Satan standing at his right hand to resist him. [2] And the Lord said unto Satan, The Lord rebuke thee, O Satan; even the Lord that hath chosen Jerusalem rebuke thee: is not this a brand plucked out of the fire? [3] Now Joshua was clothed with filthy garments, and stood before the angel. [4] And he answered and spake unto those that stood before him, saying, Take away the filthy garments from him. And unto him he said, Behold, I have caused thine iniquity to pass from thee, and I will clothe thee with change of raiment.

**Matthew 22:11-13 KJV** And when the king came in to see the guests, he saw there a man which had not on a wedding garment: [12] And he saith unto him, Friend, how camest thou in hither not having a wedding garment? And he was speechless. [13] Then said the king to the servants, Bind him hand and foot, and take him away, and cast him into outer darkness; there shall be weeping and gnashing of teeth.

2 Timothy 2:16 KJV But shun profane and vain babblings: for they will increase unto more ungodliness.

**Matthew 12:36-37 KJV** But I say unto you, That every idle word that men shall speak, they shall give account thereof in the day of judgment. [37] For by thy words thou shalt be justified, and by thy words thou shalt be condemned.

Filthy garment will

- Make a man unfit to be in God's presence
- It will make a man to smell
- It will also make a man to be spotted as a sinner and defiled

The words we speak, the thought and our meditations and the associations we keep can become filthy garment, that is why we need God to purge us with hot coal of fire as seen in **Isaiah 6:5-7 KJV** Then said I, Woe is me! for I am undone; because I am a man of unclean lips, and I dwell in the midst of a people of unclean lips: for mine eyes have seen the King, the Lord of hosts. [6] Then flew one of the seraphims unto me, having a live coal in his hand, which he had taken with the tongs from off the altar: [7] And he laid it upon my mouth, and said, Lo, this hath touched thy lips; and thine iniquity is taken away, and thy sin purged.

## Prayer

- 1. My father with your fire remove filthiness from my thoughts in the name of Jesus
- 2. My heart and soul be purge by fire in the name of Jesus
- 3. Set a watch on my lips and guide my heart daily with your spirit in the name of Jesus
- 4. O God my father envelop my tongue and mind with your fresh fire in the name of Jesus
- 5. My tongue and thoughts shall not defile by body in the name of Jesus