

B. BREAK FORTH

- Get as far away from your former prison as possible.
- Genesis 12:1, NIV - *The LORD had said to Abram, "Leave your country, your people and your father's household and go to the land I will show you."*
- If we want to break out of our containment, and be free, we have to go to a place that we know nothing about. We have to leave the familiar, to move into the unfamiliar.
- Isaiah 58:7-8, NIV – (7) *Is it not to share your food with the hungry and to provide the poor wanderer with shelter -- when you see the naked, to clothe him, and not to turn away from your own flesh and blood? (8) Then your light will **break forth** like the dawn, and your healing will quickly appear; then your righteousness will go before you, and the glory of the LORD will be your rear guard.*
- Your life will never break forth until YOU break forth

C. BREAK IN

- Break-in is discovering God's personal assignment for your life, and breaking in to it
- Acts 13:36, NIV – *"For when David had served God's purpose in his own generation, he fell asleep ..."*
- Ephesians 1:11, NIV - *In him we were also chosen, having been predestined according to the plan of him who works out everything in conformity with the purpose of his will.*

D. BREAK THROUGH

- When you are no longer contained, when you have broken out of your boundaries, and have broken into your God-given assignment, then break-through gives you great results!

BREAK OUT – FORTH – IN - THROUGH!

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INTRODUCTION – GOLD FISH

WE WERE NOT CREATED FOR CONTAINMENT

1. We Were Created To Increase!

- Genesis 1:26-28, NIV – (26) *Then God said, "Let us make man in our image, in our likeness, and let them rule over the fish of the sea and the birds of the air, over the livestock, over all the earth, and over all the creatures that move along the ground."* (27) *So God created man in his own image, in the image of God he created him; male and female he created them. (28) God blessed them and said to them, "Be fruitful and increase in number; fill the earth and subdue it. Rule over the fish of the sea and the birds of the air and over every living creature that moves on the ground."*
- We were created:
- To rule (or have dominion); to be fruitful in all we do; to increase; to fill the earth (to expand our territories); to subdue the earth (and cause it to come into alignment with God's purposes).

2. The Consequence Of Containment

- As Christians, often we are set free in our spirit, but in our thinking we are still imprisoned to the lie of containment

ADDICTED TO BREAKTHROUGH

- We start to live our lives from breakthrough to breakthrough to breakthrough, and we become addicted to the breakthroughs
- But most of us don't need another break-through – we need a break-out
- The break-out starts with breaking out of the lie that we were created to live in containment

A. BREAK OUT

1. Stop Believing The Lie!

- 2 Samuel 5:17-20, NIV – (17) When the Philistines heard that David had been anointed king over Israel, they went up in full force to search for him, but David heard about it and went down to the stronghold. (18) Now the Philistines had come and spread out in the Valley of Rephaim; (9) so David inquired of the LORD, “Shall I go and attack the Philistines? Will you hand them over to me?” The LORD answered him, “Go [up], for I will surely hand the Philistines over to you.” (20) So David went to Baal Perazim, and there he defeated them. He said, “As waters break out, the LORD has broken out against my enemies before me.” So that place was called Baal Perazim.
- Let’s use a bit of sanctified symbolism on this passage
- Philistines = (root meaning) to mourn, to wallow in sorrow
- Valley = deep place
- Rephaim = to be discouraged, to hang limp, to fail, to collapse, to be abandoned, to be helpless
- Go up = to ascend, climb, arise, spring up, rise up, bring up, charge up, break
- Break out = a bursting forth, to breach, to out burst, to break forth, to break out, to increase, to become prosperous
- Baal Perazim = the possessor of breaches, Lord of breaches, Lord of breakthroughs and break outs

2. Rise Up!

- You will never break out, by just doing the same thing you are doing now. Doing the same thing you used to do, is what keeps you in containment. Change is the key to break out.
- 2 Samuel 5:19-24, NIV – (19) so David inquired of the LORD, “Shall I go and attack the Philistines? Will you hand them over to me?” The LORD answered him, “Go, for I will surely hand the Philistines over to you.” ... (22) Once more the Philistines

came up and spread out in the Valley of Rephaim; (23) so David inquired of the LORD, and he answered, “Do not go straight up, but circle around behind them and attack them in front of the balsam trees. (24) As soon as you hear the sound of marching in the tops of the balsam trees, move quickly, because that will mean the LORD has gone out in front of you to strike the Philistine army.”

- Every new victory requires a new revelation
- a) Change Your Thinking - Renew Your Mind
- Romans 12:2, NIV – (2) Do not conform any longer to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. ...
- b) Change Your Feeling - Speak Faith Not Feeling
- 2 Corinthians 4:13, NIV – (13) It is written: “I believed; therefore I have spoken.” With that same spirit of faith we also believe and therefore speak.
- You will never change how you feel, until you change how you think, because every feeling starts with a thought
- But once you change your thinking, then you start declaring your new thoughts. You speak out of faith, not feeling, and then your feelings start to change
- c) Change Your Actions – Choose To Do Things Differently
- 1 Peter 4:3,7 NIV – (3) For you have spent enough time in the past doing what pagans choose to do ... (7) ... Therefore be clear minded and self-controlled ...
- Once you think and feel differently, then you must practice self-discipline, and make daily choices to do things differently.