Hey, everyone! Great services, great crowds and a tremendous presence of God! Be blessed. You are loved,

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**Part 28: Kingdom Keys to an Abundant Life**

*Much Love, Many Blessings and Great Favor!*

**Texts:**

- Proverbs 4:20-22 (NKJV)
- Mark 9:21-24 (NIV)
- 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.

"Twelve Immutable Laws of Destiny" – Part 3

A. We have been speaking about the powerful laws in our universe, both natural and spiritual.

1. Through these laws, or principles, God has chosen to govern our world.
2. By aligning ourselves with earthly laws, we can achieve earthly objectives. Likewise, by aligning ourselves with spiritual laws or principles, we can fulfill kingdom purposes and human destinies.
3. When we clearly understand this concept, we'll never seek to determine our future through competition or trying to out-do the next guy.
4. **Joke:** Two campers walking through the woods are suddenly confronted by a huge brown bear about 50 feet away. As soon as the bear sees the campers, he begins walking toward them. The first guy drops his
backpack, digs out a pair of sneakers, and frantically begins to pull them on. The second guy asks, "What are you doing? Sneakers won't help you outrun that bear."

"I don't need to outrun the bear," the first guy says. "I just need to outrun you."

5. In our last two sessions, we spoke of eight immutable, or never-changing laws that relate to destiny. Today, we shall discuss a ninth powerful law that can transform your life!

B. For the sake of continuity, let's quickly review those eight principles:

1. **Law No. 1** - Everything God made has a purpose. Our text in Ephesians confirms this:
   a. **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."

2. **Law No. 2** - Since He made you, be assured that you also have a purpose and a destiny. Scripture declares that your purpose and works were "prepared in advance."
   a. **Ephesians 2:10 (NIV)** - "For we are God's handiwork, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared IN ADVANCE for us to do."
   b. In God's mind, your works have already been completed—in advance.
   c. How can this be? God lives in eternity, while you and I live in the three dimensions of time: past, present and future.
   d. Eternity has no past or future; only the present. This means that God sees your future as though it exists now, even though it is yet to be accomplished.

3. **Law No. 3** - When God created you, He equipped you with gifts, and then released every heavenly resource needed to fulfill your destiny.

4. **Law No. 4** – All of God's gifts come in seed form.
5. **Law No. 5** - Your responsibility is to develop and grow the “seed” gifts and resources given to you by God.

6. **Law No. 6** - When you achieve the purposes for which God created you, three things will happen:
   a. You will experience inner fulfillment, peace and satisfaction.
   b. God's Kingdom purposes and objectives will be advanced.
   c. You will bring glory and honor to your Creator.

7. **Law No. 7** - Satan always opposes the development of your gifts. He constantly tries to prevent you from exposing his fallen kingdom, just as he opposes the release of resources that will fund your destiny.

8. **Law No. 8** - The greater the opposition you encounter, the greater the destiny God has spoken over your life!

C. **Law No. 9** - If you remain faithfully committed to God's plan for your life, you will experience *divine immunity*.

   1. “Immunity” means you will be unaffected by circumstances, such as:
      a. Immunity from disease or illness
      b. Immunity from prosecution
      c. Diplomatic immunity
      d. Spiritual immunity, which literally means: “no weapon the enemy forms against you will prosper.” You will be unaffected!

   2. This law is the fulfillment of Psalm 91. You will succeed—and not fail—because God cannot fail and will never allow His purposes to fail.
      a. **Isaiah 55:11 (NIV)** - “So is my word that goes out from my mouth: It will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.”

   3. Divine immunity allows you to step into God's supernatural, miracle-working dimension!

   4. When the enemy seeks to hinder your progress, God will perform a miracle to fulfill His purpose for you.

   5. If you'll obey His commands, a 'Red Sea' will be parted and giants will be slain; a glassy sea can become a paved, solid, sidewalk!
a. **Romans 8:37 (NIV)** - “No, in all these things we are more than conquerors through him who loved us.”

b. **Philippians 4:12-13 (NKJV)** - “I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me.”

6. From my interpretation of scripture, there are two basic categories of recorded miracles:
   a. A miraculous response to a human need, such as healing a leper or blind Bartimaeus.
   b. A miraculous intervention, such as closing the mouths of hungry lions to preserve Daniel's life or fire falling from heaven to consume Elijah's sacrifice on Mt. Carmel.
   c. Of these two types, our personal preference may be miracles that fix problems or supply a need. But from the Kingdom perspective, I believe the miracles that facilitate a divine purpose are most impacting because more people are affected.
   d. Which type do you think God would be more interested in performing?

7. If your life is fully committed to God's ordained plan, expect to see miracles that will achieve His will.

8. In other words, if you are not living according to His divine purpose, you'll be chasing after miracles. But when you're in alignment with His plan, miracles will be chasing you!
   a. Why is this true? Because God has already spoken—and His Word will never return empty or void! When the occasion demands, He will perform a miracle simply to fulfill what He said would happen!
   b. A miraculous intervention revealed to Abraham God's covenant name—Jehovah-Jireh.
   c. Because Abraham was prepared to obediently offer Isaac as a sacrifice, God supernaturally sent a ram to replace his son. This act of obedience in the Old Testament became a model for God offering His Son in the New Testament as a sacrifice for our sins.
d. At times, you will be looking for a miracle; at other times, a miracle will come looking for you!

9. Abraham's faith and obedience also allowed God to transfer the patriarchal blessing to Isaac. The divine purpose for creating a supernatural nation that would stand for holiness and become a vehicle to introduce the Messiah was also fulfilled.
   a. People are often blessed because God wants to release into the earthly realm what He has decreed would happen.
   b. Although the Messiah had already been promised, God needed someone to become the vehicle for the promise. Abraham simply made himself available!
   c. God wants to transfer anointing, wealth, divine strategies and other heavenly resources to earth. Anybody out there want to volunteer to be the one God uses as His intermediary?