KINDS OF CURSES

I. CURSES THROUGH SIN. (Genesis 3:14-20)
   A. Curse of the Law. ((Galatians 3:10; Deuteronomy 28; (Galatians 5:1:22-23; Hebrews 10:26-31)
   B. Sins of the Fathers’. (Numbers 14:18; Exodus 20:5)
   C. Curse of illegitimate birth. (Deuteronomy 23:2)
   D. Curses of contact with witchcraft and occult things. (Deuteronomy 18:9-13; Revelation 21:8; Revelation 22:15)

II. CURSES FROM WORDS
   A. Broken vows. (Jonah 2:9; Numbers 30:2; (Galatians 3:15)
   B. Words (yours or others). (James 3:1-12; Proverbs 12:13-14; Romans 12:14) spoken through emotional reviling. People get mad at us and begin to make negative pronouncements upon us or we upon them.

   Words spoken to you as a child by your parents or others. Parents confessions about their children are very detrimental. (You are dumb, stupid, fat, lazy, ugly, skinny, you will never amount to anything, you are good for nothing, etc.). A child hears, begins to believe what he hears, agrees with it, speaks it and then a stronghold is developed. “As a man thinketh in his heart, so is he”.

   Refuse to speak negative words about yourself or others. When someone speaks something negative about you, refuse to receive it and renounce it in the Name of Jesus.

III. CURSES THROUGH DISOBEDIENCE AND DISORDER
   A. Family disorder. (Malachi 4:6; Proverbs 3:33)
   B. Church disorder and disobedience. (Malachi 2:2; Jeremiah 17:5; Acts 13:40; (Galatians 3:1)
   C. Giving. (Robbing God of offerings). (Malachi 3:9)
   D. Doing the Lord’s work negligently. (Jeremiah 48:10)

   Ask the Holy Spirit to reveal any curses spoken upon you by others, yourself or that have come upon you as a result of your sin.

Please CHECK OFF the following Biblical curses that have been characteristic of YOUR LIFE or of YOUR FAMILY TREE. (Deuteronomy 21:22-23 says “any sin worthy of death is cursed of God”.) (See also Proverbs 26:2)

   ___ Disobedience to the Voice of God and to His Commandments and Statutes. (Deuteronomy 28:15-68; Revelation 22:7; Hebrews 10:26-31; Galatians 3:10; Galatians 3:18,22; I Corinthians 16:22; John 14:15; Psalms 81:15; Deuteronomy 11:28; Daniel 9:11; Jeremiah 11:3)
   ___ Those who curse or mistreat the true Israelites (also Christians, who are spiritual Jews). (Genesis 27:29; 12:13,17; Psalms 109; Romans 2:28-29; Romans 9:6-8; (Galatians 6:13-16)
   ___ Idolatry (includes false religions, worship of false gods, Free-masonry, Indian or Gypsy ancestry. Eastern religions, Buddhism, occult, etc.). (Jeremiah 44:8; Deuteronomy 29:17-29; Psalms 81:15; Exodus 20:5, 7; Deuteronomy 5:8-9; Revelation 9:20-21; Exodus 22:20; Matthew 5:34-37; Leviticus 5:4,5; James 5:12; Romans 12:17-20)
   ___ Those who keep or own cursed objects (i.e., your idols or someone else’s idols, runes, amulets, talismans, occult literature, objects used in occult activities, unicorns, Buddhas, goat or ram heads, fetishes, etc.). (Deuteronomy 7:25; Joshua 6:18; Acts 19:19)
   ___ Those who refuse to come to the Lord’s help. (Judges. 5:23)
   ___ The house of the wicked. (Proverbs 3:33)
   ___ He who does not give to the poor. (Proverbs 28:27)
   ___ Thieves and those who swear falsely. (Zechariah 5:3,4; Proverbs 15:27)
   ___ He who says to the wicked, “You are righteous.” (Proverbs 24:24)
   ___ Priests (also Christians, see Revelation 1:6) who fail to give glory to God. (Malachi 2:1-7)
   ___ Those who rob God of tithes and offerings. (Malachi 3:8-11; Luke 6:38; I Corinthians. 9:6)
   ___ Those who hearken to their wives rather than God. (Genesis 3:17; Ephesians 5:23-24)
   ___ Those who lightly esteem their parents or treat them with contempt. (Deuteronomy 27:16; Leviticus 20:9)
   ___ Those who make graven images. (Deuteronomy 27:15; Exodus 20:4; Deuteronomy 5:8; Revelation 9:20-21)
   ___ Those who willfully cheat people out of their property or move a landmark (Deuteronomy 27:17; Zechariah 5:3-4). (This would also include what we have done to the American Indian and the Negro.)
   ___ Adding to or taking away from the Word of God. (Revelation 22:18-19; Galatians 1:6-10)
___ Those who take advantage of the blind (also spiritually blind).  (Deuteronomy 27:18; Luke 17:1,2)
___ Those who oppress strangers, widows, or the fatherless. (Deuteronomy 27:19; Exodus 22:22-24)
___ He who lies with his father’s wife, mother-in-law, sister, brother, father, daughter, aunt, uncle, cousin, sister-in-law, etc. (incest). (Deuteronomy 27:20-23; Leviticus 20:11-12,14; Leviticus 20:17-21; I Corinthians. 5:1-5)
___ He who lies with any animal (Deuteronomy 27:21; Leviticus 20:15-16; Exodus 22:19)
___ Those who smite their neighbors (Hebrews can be neighbor but usually means someone very close, husband, wife, mother, father, sister, or brother) (also slander). (Deuteronomy 27:24; Matthew 7:1-5; Luke 6:36-37; Romans 12:14; James 3:8-10)
___ Those who take money to slay the innocent. (Deuteronomy 27:25)
___ Adulterers (physical and spiritual). (Leviticus 20:10; Job. 24:15-18; Deuteronomy 22:22-27; Numbers 5:27; Matthew 5:32; Luke 16:18; II Corinthians. 11:1-4; James 4:4; Hosea 3 and 4)
___ Those who trust in man (the power of the flesh) and not the Lord. (Jeremiah 17:5; Galatians 3:1,2)
___ Those who do the Lord’s work deceitfully and negligently. (Jeremiah 48:10; Malachi 1:6-14, 2:1-17)
___ Him who keeps back his sword from blood (i.e., spiritual warfare). (Jeremiah 48:10; I Kings 20:35-42; Jeremiah 42; Proverbs 12:24)
___ Those who reward evil for good. (Just one example of this would be if someone asks for your forgiveness and you would refuse to forgive. (Proverbs 17:13; Psalms 7:3-5)
___ Illegitimate children. (Deuteronomy 23:2)
___ Children born from incestuous unions. (Genesis 19:36-38; Deuteronomy 23:3)
___ Murder (also with words, hate, etc.). (Exodus 21:12, 1 John 3:15; Matthew 5:21,22; Numbers 35:16)
___ To murder with premeditation. (Exodus 21:14; Deuteronomy 27:25)
___ Children who strike their parents. (Exodus 21:15)
___ Kidnappers. (Exodus 21:16; Deuteronomy 24:7; Zechariah 5:3,4)
___ Those who curse (or speak against) their parents. (Exodus 21:17; Proverbs 30:17)
___ Those who cause the unborn to die (also abortion). (Exodus 21:22-23)
___ Those who do not prevent death. (Exodus 21:29)
___ Those who sacrifice to false gods. (Exodus 22:20; Psalms 31:6; Ezekiel 23:49; Deuteronomy 17:2-7)
___ Those who are involved in witchcraft (also rebellion). (Exodus 22:18; I Samuel 15:23; Deuteronomy 18:10-12; Leviticus 19:26; Revelation 21:8; Revelation 9:20,21)
___ Those who attempt to turn anyone away from the Lord (i.e., stumbling blocks). (Deuteronomy 13:6-10; Luke 17:2; Revelation 18)
___ Those who follow horoscopes. (Deuteronomy 17:2-7; Jeremiah 10:2-5)
___ False prophets. (Deuteronomy 18:20-22; Jeremiah 23; Ezekiel 33:30; Ezekiel 34:31; Deuteronomy 13:1-5)
___ Women who do not keep their virginity until they are married. (Deuteronomy 22:13-21)  
___ Parents who do not discipline their children but honor them above God. (I Samuel 2:17,27-36; 3:12-14; I Samuel 4:17-18)
___ Those who curse their rulers. (Exodus 22:28; Ecclesiastes 10:20; Acts 23:5; Romans 13:1-5)
___ Those who teach rebellion against the Lord. (Jeremiah 28:16-17)
___ Those who refuse to warn others of sin. (Ezekiel 3:18-21; Ezekiel 14:7-11; Jeremiah 48:10)
___ Those who are willing deceivers. (Joshua 9:22,23; Jeremiah 48:10; Malachi 1:14; Genesis 27:12)
___ The proud. (Psalms 119:21; Proverbs 15:25; Proverbs 16:5; Matthew 23:12)
___ Those who practice sorcery (magic). (Exodus 22:18; I Samuel 15:23; Deuteronomy 18:10-12; Leviticus 19:26; Revelation 21:8; Revelation 22:15)
___ Those who practice sacrifice human beings or put their children through the fire (also includes parents teaching their children to live after the world). (Leviticus 20:2-4; Deuteronomy 18:9-12; Psalms 106:33-37)
___ Participants in seances and fortune telling. (Leviticus 20:6; Deuteronomy 18:9-12; Isaiah 47:12-15; II Kings 21:5-6)
___ Homosexual and lesbian relationships. (Leviticus 20:13; Revelation 21:7-8; I Corinthians. 6:9; Romans 1:18-32; 2:1-6; Deuteronomy 21:18-21)  
___ Necromancers (Those who communicate with the dead and fortune tellers). (Leviticus 20:27;
II Kings 21:5,6; I Chronicles 10:13-14;
Acts 16:16-18)

___ Those who blaspheme the Lord’s Name or curse God. (Leviticus 24:15-16; Mark 3:29)

___ Those who are carnally minded. (Romans 8:6-7)

___ Rebellious child. (Deuteronomy 21:18-21;
II Timothy 3:2-9)

*Curses can continue on from generation to generation (passed down through the family tree) until the victory Jesus won for us at Calvary is appropriated in our lives. PLEASE ASK THE LORD TO FORGIVE YOU FOR EACH OF THE ABOVE THINGS YOU HAVE CHECKED OFF (naming each one specifically).
PRAYER FOR THE BREAKING OF CURSES

Father in the Name of Jesus, I thank you that I am your child and I have been purchased by the blood of Jesus. I thank you that you became a curse for me when you shed your precious blood at Calvary. I enter into the victory that you won for me and I take back what the devil has stolen from me in the Name of Jesus. Father, please forgive me for each of the above sins of mine and of my forefathers (naming each). I renounce them in the Name of Jesus. In the Name of Jesus I break all curses that came upon me and my family line as a result of my disobedience or the disobedience of any of my ancestors. I renounce any oaths that my ancestors or I ever made to any false god, idol, cult, or false religion such as (naming each). I break the curse of idolatry off me and my family line in the Name of Jesus. In Jesus Name, I break the power of every spoken curse such as (name each spoken curse), or evil word that came forth from my mouth or anyone else’s mouth which has had a negative effect upon my life.

I close all those doors that have been opened to Satan and in the Name of Jesus I command every evil spirit which has come in through the door of a curse to leave me now. Thank you Lord that whoever the Son sets free shall be free indeed. I claim my victory in the name of Jesus. Amen.

GENERATIONAL SIN PRAYERS

1. Recall family history. Draw up the family tree and identify those specific sins committed and possible curses. Identify re-occurring patterns of tragedies, sickness, early deaths, miscarriages, closed wombs, divorces, financial woes, etc.
   Leviticus 20:6 – descent of harm

2. In prayer, place the cross between the person and his parents, grandparents, great-grandparents. “Lord, may your blood flow back through the family bloodlines, throughout their history, by forgiveness and washing away Satan’s legal ground. Jesus, destroy the re-occurring patterns of ____________________________, and place it under Your blood.
   (Begin to name specific individuals in the family tree.)
   Lord, please forgive Uncle _________ for his sin of incest (Nehemiah 9:2) and cleanse and free the family from this curse. We renounce and break the assignment of any demonic forces sent to carry out results of this sin. I command you away from this family in Jesus name!”

Name each pattern, describing it, and calling specifically for the Lord to destroy.

“Lord, now send your angels to encamp about every member of the family (name members) (Psalm 34:2) to protect each one (Psalm 91:11,12) and to bring each one out of darkness into light (Hebrews 2:14). Lord, send forth warrior angels to do battle.”

Begin to praise God for what He has done and will do.
“THE KALLIKAK FAMILY”  
by H.H. Goddard  
Macmillan Company, New York, 1927  

FATHER’S ORIGIN  

Good English blood/Middle class  

41 Matings  
Both parents feeble-minded  
222 Feeble-minded children  
ONLY 2 normal children  

Father’s Name: Martin, Sr.  

First family: Honorable marriage  

496 descendants  
ALL NORMAL  
3 Listed as degenerates  
2 Alcoholics  
1 Sexually loose  

All the legitimate children married into “better families” in their state and became:  

Colonial governors  
Doctors, Lawyers, Judges  
Educators, Traders, Landowners  
Respectable citizens  

Among them was found:  

No feeblemindedness, No illegitimate children, No immoral women,  
No epilepsy, No criminals, No keepers of houses of prostitution  

Of the 496 descendants, only:  

15 children died in infancy  
1 case of insanity (religious mania)  
2 victims of habitual drunkenness  
1 sexually loose  

At the close of the War of Independence, the Father, Martin, Sr., went to a pub to celebrate the end of the war. There in an inebriated state he intercoursed a woman who was “loose and feeble-minded”. An illegitimate son, Martin, Jr. was born.  

Of that son Martin, Jr., there were 480 descendents.  
ONLY 46 were found to be normal  
36 were illegitimate, 33 sexually immoral  
24 confirmed alcoholics, 3 epileptics  
82 died in infancy, 3 criminals  
8 keepers of house of “ill fame”  

Of this large group some 1146 offspring were birthed. Of this large group there were:  

262 feeble-minded  
197 considered normal  
581 undetermined
“THE JUKES”

‘A study of the Relation of Crime, Pauperism, Disease, and Heredity in the 1900’s’
By R.L. Ragsdale

FATHER’S ORIGIN: Middle Class Dutch

Father: Max Hunter, Fisher, Hard Drinker, Jolly and Compassionate, Adverse to steady work. Became blind (probably due to syphilis)

Descendents: 1200

Of Those 1200 descendants there were:
280 paupers, 140 criminals
250 arrests and trials, 140 years of imprisonment
60 habitual thieves, 7 murderers
50 common prostitutes, 40 syphilitic women
400 men contracted syphilis, 40 wives contaminated
440 total contaminated by syphilis
300 children died prematurely
50 illegitimate births

In 75 years the family of some 1200 members cost the state $1,308,000.00.

Now let’s study the influence of the sins from generation to generation:

First Generation: Max, blindness, probably due to syphilis

Second Generation: Effie, no information

Third Generation: Name not recorded; harlot; married her cousin; not industrious

Fourth Generation: 4 males – illegitimate son