## A DECLARATION OF WHOSE I AM

BECOMING ENTIRELY CONSECRATED TO THE LORD

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- 1) Father in Heaven, I declare these things before Your throne and the powers of darkness.
- 2) With a grateful heart and joy inexpressible I know these things to be true both by Your written record and by Your Spirit.
- 3) I have been redeemed by the blood of Christ—purchased from the powers of darkness, ransomed from sin.
- 4) The righteousness You have accredited to me through faith in Christ's finished work is enough.
- 5) I am complete only in Him who is the Head of all ruling authority and power.
- 6) You have declared me righteous before Your angels, and all the powers of darkness have been given notice. They know whose I am.
- 7) My search for peace, freedom, resolution to my past, significance, esteem, identity, and purpose has been ended by the precious blood of Christ. God calls me son (or daughter) and I call Him my Father. I can hear His voice and I can recognize counterfeit influences.
- 8) I need not and will not spend my days being tossed about by my feelings and the voices and influences of people and things that can neither justify or condemn me.
- 9) Any hidden claim and work of the devil in my life must come to the light of Christ. Any legal right the devil may claim is annulled and rendered powerless by Christ's overruling Lordship because I choose to turn from any wicked way that I have.
- 10) Father, I forgive anyone who has proclaimed a curse over me or has intended harm upon me in any way. Do not hold that sin against them. Enable me to recognize the effects of any such curse upon people with whom I associate.

- Let every dark work of oppression be exposed and removed that has or seeks to bring a curse upon me or at least stifle my Christian witness and keep me spiritually blind...
- 11) Father in Heaven, expose every work of darkness coming through any means, including things in my possession, that seeks to block, hinder, thwart, choke, smother, control, that makes me sick, keeps me under poverty, causes mental and emotional instability, causes accidents or misfortune, or holds me back and keeps me in the dark.
- 12) This includes the work of any unseen evil hand reaching down through my ancestry because of curses, of their practicing idolatry, false church doctrine, sexual immorality (including abuse and all the perversions of sexuality), drug abuse, any self-destructive addictive behavior and suicide, witchcraft and sorcery (including but not limited to seances, fortune telling, and horoscopes), Free Masonry and any religious cult that denies the Deity of Christ as defined by God's written word, and New Age teachings (including the Eastern religions), as in its version of meditation, self-discipline, and also yoga, and in any way where I have submitted to any such influences in society today.
- 13) Father in Heaven, let any wrong beliefs, mindsets, or practices, some of which may be considered good, be exposed before You and removed, coming from family, religion (including church), culture, and political platforms. I refuse to be a man-pleaser and choose to be a God-pleaser. Let everything be exposed and removed that keeps me in spiritual darkness or under oppression, that would cheat me of anything made available to me in Christ. This also includes me tolerating what You do not. I realize what I wrongly tolerate ends up enslaving me and invites Your displeasure.
- 14) I have been redeemed from the curse of the law which I deserve because of being a law breaker as it is recorded in Deuteronomy 28. Thank God, my redemption from the curse does not come through obedience to the law of Moses but through obedience to the Gospel of Christ. None of those curses

- can touch me as long as I abide in Christ, staying hidden in Him being made complete only by His righteousness through which I have eternal life.
- 15) Father in Heaven, thank you that I need only to embrace Christ as my only means of salvation. I am dead to the law of Moses. Attempting to relate to you that way only brings condemnation. It causes me to either be down on myself or self-righteous—a finger pointer and elitist.
- 16) I renounce any teaching that would in the least bit suggest that we can be righteous or even a better Christian by reintroducing Old Covenant observances or any observance outside of those commanded by Jesus and His apostles in the New Covenant.
- 17) I now embrace Christ as the only One who can fully complete me before the Judge of all judges—the One before whom satan himself trembles. I greatly rejoice and stand fully clothed in His garments of salvation and His robe of righteousness. I am covered and redeemed. Who can lay any charge against me?! I am hidden in Him and He lives in me. He is my refuge, high fortress, and tower of deliverance. This cannot be improved on.
- 18) If I have done evil to my neighbor, I choose to make it right as of now. If I have wrongly exposed anyone's sinful nakedness, if I have gossiped, slandered, or have counted peoples sins against them, I choose to stop that now and become a minister of reconciliation through the cross of Christ.
- 19) Thank you, Father, for hearing me. Give me the understanding and ability needed to stand fast in the liberty in which Christ has made me free, staying away from all the yokes of bondage. In Jesus' most excellent name have I declared these before Your throne, Your angels, these witnesses, and the powers of darkness.