

Soul Ties

“And Dinah the daughter of Leah, which she bare unto Jacob, went out to see the daughters of the land. And when Shechem the son of Hamor the Hivite, prince of the country, saw her, he took her, and lay with her, and defiled her.

And his soul clave unto Dinah the daughter of Jacob...”

Genesis 34:1-3 KJV

The Webster’s Dictionary defines “cleave” as **“to adhere to firmly, to lock together”**.

What is a soul tie?

“Soul tie” is not a term used in the Bible. It is the name for the spiritual tie that occurs when two people “become one flesh”. Thus, a soul tie is “the _____ of two souls”.

How does a soul tie occur?

A soul tie occurs during intercourse between _____ two people. The Bible has much to say about this subject. The Word states that,

*“...a man shall leave his father and mother and shall cleave to his wife:
and they shall be one flesh.” Genesis 2:24*

God intended for a man to be joined to his wife, and a wife to her husband, body, soul and spirit. This is an incredibly powerful experience! When a husband and wife love each other and they come together physically, the tie that occurs **is binding**. You not only exchange bodies, but your souls become intertwined as well. In a _____ relationship this is a beautiful phenomenon... It is meant to give wholeness to both husband and wife. We are to gain strength from our partner. We are to give strength as well.

However...

This beautiful experience has been perverted through the ages. Satan has taken this precious gift and used it to _____ on the lives of humans for thousands of years...Because sexual intercourse is meant to have a “binding” effect, the enemy has been using it to entangle us, bind us, and keep us locked in unseen prisons.

God Warns His Children...

Our Father knows how devastating unholy soul ties can be. He understands that when we have these soul ties, we **cannot and will not ever be free as He intended**. God wants His children to live whole. He has provided His word that warns all those who will listen and heed his warning. There is so much scripture that tells us to _____!

“Do you not know that your bodies are members of Christ himself? Shall I then take the members of Christ and unite them with a prostitute? Never! Do you not know that he who unites himself with a prostitute is one with her in body? For it is said ‘The two will become one flesh.’ But he who unites himself with the Lord is one with him in Spirit. Flee from sexual immorality. All other sins a man commits are outside his body, but he who sins sexually sins against his own body. Do you not know that your body is a temple of the Holy Spirit, who is in you, whom you have received from God? You are not your own, you were bought at a price. Therefore honor God with your body.”

1Corinthians 6:15-20

“But among you there must not be even a hint of sexual immorality...”

Ephesians 5:3

“My son, pay attention to my wisdom, listen well to my words of insight, that you may maintain discretion and your lips may preserve knowledge. For the lips of an adulteress drip honey, and her speech is smoother than oil; but in the end she is bitter as gall, sharp as a double-edged sword. Her feet go down to death; her steps lead to the grave. She gives no thought to the way of life; her paths are crooked, but she knows it not...

Why be captivated, my son, by an adulteress? Why embrace the bosom of another man’s wife? For a man’s ways are in full view of the Lord and he examines all his paths. The evil deeds of a wicked man ensnare him; the cords of his sin hold him fast. He will die for lack of discipline, led astray by his own great folly.”

Proverbs 5:1-6,20-23

“With persuasive words she led him astray; she seduced him with her smooth talk. All at once he followed her like an ox going to the slaughter, like a deer stepping into a noose till an arrow pierces his liver, like a bird darting into a snare, little knowing it will cost him his life.

Proverbs 7:21-23

There is ample warning both from the Old and New Testaments about sexual sin. If we could only realize how devastating it actually is! We are tied to every person we have ever been intimate with. There are parts of our soul cleaving to others, and we have parts of other souls cleaving to us! As long as this is the case, there is no way we can ever be “whole”.

In light of what we have learned about how demonic strongholds are located in the soul, we must realize that we can be suffering from demonic activity that we have received from another through an unholy soul tie! It is _____ that we break these _____!

Four Steps To Break A Soul Tie

- 1) Repent of the Sin**
- 2) Renounce the Enemy**
- 3) Break the Soul Tie in Jesus Name**
- 4) Speak Blessing**

This may seem too simple, but it is very effective. Here is a sample prayer...

Father, thank you for allowing me to come to you and repent of this sin. Thank you for your Son, Jesus Christ, who died for my sin. I choose to repent now, of my sin with _____ . I receive your forgiveness.

And now Satan, I renounce you and all of your demonic spirits that have had a legal right to torment me as a result of my sin. You have been defeated by the blood of Jesus Christ, my savior and Lord.

I now break the soul tie with _____. I break any and all ties to _____. In Jesus name, I release all parts of his soul that are clinging to mine. And I ask you, Jesus, to retrieve my soul from _____. Please cleanse it and return it to me pure and whole. Thank you for restoring my soul! I love you Lord! I praise you for your power to restore.

And finally, I speak blessing into my life and in the life of _____. I ask that you bless him. And please bless me. In the mighty name of Jesus I pray! Amen

It is amazing what this simple prayer can do for your life! I encourage you to make a list of EVERY person you have had a sexual encounter with. Some may have a very short list. Some may have a very long one. It does not matter. Ask the Holy Spirit to guide you. Even if you do not know the name of the person. Write down a detail such as "at the beach." The Lord will know. Then pray this pray separately for each one. God will do the rest!