



Open Heaven 25 January 2026 Today Devotional & Commentary

Description

The Open Heaven 25 January 2026 devotional for today is **TRUE FRUITFULNESS**.

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TOPIC: TRUE FRUITFULNESS

MEMORISE:

Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the savour of his knowledge by us in every place.

2 Corinthians 2:14

READ: Matthew 28:18-20

18 And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.

19 Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

20 Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

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When God says you should be fruitful, He is not just talking about you being successful materially and having children; He is also talking about you winning souls.

In John 15:16, Jesus said:

Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he may give it you.

As a disciple of Jesus Christ, being fruitful is primarily about leading people to Christ and ensuring that they grow and remain in the faith.

A soul won to Christ is a fruit that brings eternal joy to God and also to you. The Bible says in Luke 15:7 that there is so much joy in heaven when a soul is saved from eternal damnation and won into the kingdom of the Almighty God.

God wants us to multiply spiritually. This is why Bible scholars often refer to Matthew 28:18-20 as the Great Commission. Jesus commands us to go into all the world and make disciples of all nations. To make disciples means to teach others to follow Christ just as you are following Him. This involves preaching the gospel to unbelievers and mentoring other Christians with the word of God to help them grow in their walk with God. God wants you to make disciples; He wants you to reproduce yourself.

Apostle Paul understood this principle and taught it to Timothy. In 2 Timothy 2:2, he said,

“And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.” He instructed Timothy to pass on what he had learned to faithful believers who would teach other believers in turn. This is the multiplication God desires – fruitfulness that extends beyond you to others and continues through generations.

Beloved, the Bible says that a person who wins souls is wise (Proverbs 11:30). Are you spiritually fruitful? Are you leading others to Christ? Are you teaching and mentoring others in the faith?

If you have not been doing these, it is time to start. Begin with those around you – your family, friends, colleagues, and neighbours.

Share the love of God with them and invite them to experience the blessings you enjoy in Christ. When you do all these, you will be truly fruitful, and God will make you shine like the stars forever and ever (Daniel 12:3).

REFLECTION

Are you truly being fruitful according to God’s standard?

BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

Exodus 31-34

HYMN 32: TO THE WORK! TO THE WORK! WE ARE SERVANTS OF GOD

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MEMORISE: 2 Corinthians 2:14

“Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the savour of his knowledge by us in every place.”

This verse frames the believer’s life as a perpetual victory procession led by Christ. In this triumph, we are not merely spectators; we are the means by which the fragrance of Christ’s knowledge is diffused everywhere we go. Our fruitfulness in soul-winning is the aroma of His victory over sin and death.

BIBLE READING: Matthew 28:18-20

This is the resurrected Christ’s declaration of absolute authority and His final command. It links His supreme power (“All power is given unto me”) directly to our mission (“Go ye therefore”). Making disciples—converting and mentoring—is the primary task of the church, empowered by His presence and backed by His dominion.

The Mandate of Spiritual Fruitfulness: Soul-Winning and Disciple-Making

Daddy Adeboye defines true biblical fruitfulness, moving it beyond personal prosperity to the multiplication of spiritual sons and daughters. The “Great Commission” is not a suggestion for specialists; it is the core job description for every disciple. Your fruitfulness is measured by the souls you bring and nurture into God’s kingdom.

1. The Nature of True Fruit: Souls That Remain

The Ordained Purpose:

John 15:16 clarifies that our primary ordination is to “go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain.” This fruit is first and foremost **converted and established souls**. Material blessings and physical children are secondary to this eternal reproduction. A soul saved from damnation is the only “fruit” you can take to heaven.

Heaven’s Joy Meter:

Luke 15:7 reveals that a single sinner repenting triggers more joy in heaven than over ninety-nine righteous persons. Soul-winning directly fuels heaven’s joy and brings the Father pleasure. When

you win a soul, you are orchestrating a celestial celebration.

2. The Process of Multiplication: The Great Commission Cycle

From **Go** to **Teach**:

Matthew 28:19-20 outlines the full cycle of spiritual multiplication: **Going** (proactive evangelism), **Baptizing** (leading to formal covenant with Christ), **Teaching** (systematic discipleship). Stopping at conversion is spiritual abortion. Fruit that **remains** requires nurturing.

The Paul-Timothy-Faithful Men Chain (2 Timothy 2:2):

This verse provides the model for generational multiplication: **Paul** **Timothy** **Faithful Men** **Others Also**. This is a four-generation impact from one life. True fruitfulness is not just winning one person; it is creating a lineage of disciples who can disciple others. Are you in a chain?

3. The Identity of the Fruitful: The Wise and The Shining

The Mark of Wisdom:

Proverbs 11:30 declares, **he that winneth souls is wise**. This wisdom recognizes the supreme value of a soul, understands the urgency of eternity, and employs loving strategy to reach people. Foolishness is being occupied with everything except the one thing that fills heaven with joy.

The Eternal Reward: Glorious Influence:

Daniel 12:3 promises that **they that turn many to righteousness [shall shine] as the stars for ever and ever**. Soul-winning translates into eternal glory and radiant influence. Your spiritual offspring become your eternal crown and joy (1 Thessalonians 2:19).

How to Become and Stay Spiritually Fruitful

Start with Your Immediate **Jerusalem** (Acts 1:8):

Your family, friends, colleagues, and neighbors are your primary mission field. Begin by praying for them by name, showing consistent Christ-like love, and sharing your testimony. Look for the **person of peace** (Luke 10:6) in your network.

Adopt a **One and One** Mentality:

Commit to the goal of leading at least one person to Christ each year and personally discipling one new believer for a season. This simple, reproducible goal ensures continuous fruitfulness.

Become a Disciple-Maker, Not Just a Soul-Winner:

When someone comes to Christ, take responsibility. Help them find a Bible, connect them with a church, meet with them regularly to pray and answer questions. Use simple tools to ground them in faith. Your goal is their spiritual independence and reproduction.

Warning: A Fruitless Christian is a Contradiction

A branch in Christ (John 15:5) that bears no fruit is not just unproductive; it is in a dangerous state of disconnect. To ignore the Great Commission is to live outside of our core purpose. A life focused solely

on personal blessing is a shriveled branch.

Conclusion: Pray for a Fruitful Heart and Harvest

Pray this:

“Lord Jesus, Captain of my salvation, thank You for triumphing over sin and including me in Your victory parade. Make me a diffuser of the fragrance of Your knowledge everywhere I go. Burden my heart with the souls for whom You died. Grant me divine appointments, boldness, and wisdom to win souls and to make disciples who will make disciples. Let my life be a channel for heavenly joy and a catalyst for generational faith. I choose to be fruitful; make me a wise winner of souls, shining for Your glory, in Jesus’ name!”

Action Steps:

1. **List of Five:** Write down the names of five unsaved people in your life. Commit to praying for them daily and look for opportunities to show and share the gospel with them this month.
2. **Prepare Your Testimony:** Write out a clear, 3-minute version of your salvation testimony. Practice it so you’re ready to share when the opportunity arises.
3. **Get a Discipleship Tool:** Obtain a simple booklet or guide for new believers (e.g., “The First Steps with Christ”). Pray for God to lead you to someone you can walk through it with.
4. **Evaluate Your “Chain”:** Are you being discipled? Are you discipling someone? If either answer is no, take a step this week to change that. Speak to your pastor or a mature believer.

Remember: Your greatest legacy will not be what you built, but who you brought to Christ and raised in the faith. This is the fruit that remains forever.

“Now thanks be unto God, which always causeth us to triumph in Christ, and maketh manifest the savour of his knowledge by us in every place.” (2 Corinthians 2:14). You are a winning fragrance—spread it.

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