

Speak Life (Prophecy)

Ezekiel 37:4 (ESV)

Then he said to me, "Prophecy over these bones, and say to them, O dry bones, hear the word of the LORD.

Ezekiel 37:7 (ESV)

So I prophesied as I was commanded. And as I prophesied, there was a sound, and behold, a rattling, and the bones came together, bone to its bone.

Insights:

- Ezekiel was to speak the word of the lord over the dead bones.
- As He did the scattered and separated bones began to come into alignment.
- The bones represented a spiritually dry and dead nation.
- By speaking into a hopeless situation as the Lord directed the situation began to change.

Life Prayer (example):

- Lord I speak life change, rearrangement and alignment with your will and purpose over my life, those I love and my church.
- Help me continue to pray these prophetic words regularly and with urgency.
- I prophesy life over my spiritual walk, my church family and our community.
- I declare that your vision for what can be, will become my vision, my passion and my heart.

Ezekiel 37:9-10 (ESV)

Then he said to me, "Prophecy to the breath; prophecy, son of man, and say to the breath, Thus says the Lord GOD: Come from the four winds, O breath, and breathe on these slain, that they may live." So I prophesied as he commanded me, and the breath came into them, and they lived and stood on their feet, an exceedingly great army.

Insights:

- The same God that breathed life into dust and formed man can do the same to any dead situation.
- Breath and wind are also a type of The Holy Spirit.
- This fresh wind and breath came as Ezekiel Prophesied God's word and the results were Life!

Life Prayer (example):

- God breathe new life into your people.
- Breathe your word deep into my spirit as I read and pray.
- Then I will breathe out your life-giving words into the world around me.
- Lord breathe your Holy Spirit into my life and our church like never before.
- May we come alive as the army of the Lord.

Ezekiel 37:11 (ESV)

Then he said to me, "Son of man, these bones are the whole house of Israel. Behold, they say, 'Our bones are dried up, and our hope is lost; we are indeed cut off.'

Ezekiel 37:14 (ESV)

And I will put my Spirit within you, and you shall live, and I will place you in your own land. Then you shall know that I am the LORD; I have spoken, and I will do it, declares the LORD."

Insights:

- Many today speak death and hopelessness all around us.
- Our nation and our community is spiritually dry.
- We too need His Holy Spirit within us.
- God has declared He will do it. (2 Chron 7:14)

Life Prayer (Example):

- I speak sincere repentance over my life and in our church concerning concealed sin.
- I prophesy renewal of hope and resurrection of faith in the lives of people.
- I declare spiritual insight and deeper unity of Spirit in the church body.
- Life giving revival and a new harvest is the will of the Lord, so I declare, "Now is the time"!