

**The Hannah Anointing**

**Day 1 of 5**

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DEVOTIONAL

**DAY ONE: What is the Hannah Anointing?**

One aspect of the Hannah anointing is the spirit of endurance. Modern-day Hannahs stand on the promises of God and are not swayed by the criticism of others. They are relentless in the face of doubt. They do not settle for anything less than the will of God for their lives.

The Hannah anointing is the ability to tolerate and hold up under pressure and persecution, never yielding the posture of faith in the promises of God. It is the ability to never lose courage under the pressures of unfulfilled promises. Hannahs are God-assured rather than self-assured. They are persevering, persistent, resilient, humble, prayerful, prophetic, and nurturing.

Hannah prayed, she persistently and relentlessly pursued the promise of God in her life, and she would not let go until the Lord blessed her. She stood in the face of torment, mocking, and being misunderstood for the way she prayed. She withstood the temptation to compromise, settle for what she had, and give up on her dream of having a son. Hannah’s story is the prophetic archetype for women everywhere to pray and never lose heart until they see a release of the promises of God, until they see the enemy’s hand lifted off of them, and until they see the spirit of barrenness broken and fruitfulness returned.

*These devotionals are based on Michelle McClain-Walters’ book* [The Hannah Anointing: Becoming a Woman of Resilience, Fulfillment, and Fruitfulness](http://michellemcclainbooks.com/).

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[1 Samuel 2:1](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/2/segment/2)

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**DAY TWO: Profit From Your Pain**

I believe Hannah encountered God in an unusual way in her season of heartache and pain. He revealed things about Himself to Hannah as she continually drew near to the Lord. At the end of her testing and trial she prophesied and declared wisdom and revelation never mentioned before in Scripture. For example, she spoke of inheriting a throne of glory.

When Hannah declared that no one was like God, they weren’t empty words—she had a personal encounter with the Lord, the kind of encounter the Lord wants with all of us.

Just as Hannah did, I want you to profit from your pain. Take your setbacks, disappointments, and lack of understanding to the throne of glory. There is something bigger going on in your life. God will shape your heart to understand His perspective of your life. Take advantage of God’s focus on your heart during this time. He is preparing it to grow and nurture the seed He will soon deliver. Let Him show you any unholy things hiding in your heart. Hannah prayed year after year for a son, but it wasn’t until her prayers changed and she made a new vow to God that she received what was promised.

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[John 15:16](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/3/segment/2)

[Galatians 5:22](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/3/segment/3)

[Song of Songs 2:15](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/3/segment/4)

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**DAY THREE: Bind Up the Little Foxes**

Could it be that you are not seeing fruitfulness in your life because your character needs an alignment? Sometimes we hunger after the wrong things. We want to be in leadership and be known as prophets, prophetesses, apostles, pastors, or this or that, but those positions will pass away. The fruit that God imparts to us—the fruit of the Spirit—will remain. He chose us for this very thing.

Therefore, it is important to confront and eliminate hindrances that get in the way of your fruitfulness. Such hindrances might include erroneous mind-sets, soul ties, a poor self-image, pride, blame shifting, self-justification, or people pleasing. They are like the little foxes that spoil the vine (Song of Sol. 2:15). Pray that the fire of the Holy Ghost will burn up any little foxes—any little vice, demonic fox, relationship, or mind-set—spoiling your fruit. God can heal our hearts and bring us back into alignment with His will so it can come to fruition in our lives.

Be bold and repent of anything that is stopping your fruitfulness. Cast out anything that is not like God. No vice is worth holding on to at the expense of not bearing much fruit.

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[Romans 8:31](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/4/segment/2)

[Psalms 46:1](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/4/segment/3)

[Psalms 23:4](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/4/segment/4)

[Psalms 118:6](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/4/segment/5)

[1 John 4:4](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/4/segment/6)

**DAY FOUR: You are More Than a Conqueror**

Knowing that God is our Deliverer and our Rock, that He is fighting for us, and that He is with us should sustain our hope and trust during the fruitless seasons.

If you’ve ever had to endure a challenging season of any kind, then you know the value of having a friend who stays with you through the ups and downs, praying with you, working beside you, making you laugh, and keeping you encouraged. The Bible says that God is the ultimate partner in times like this.

He is a very present help (Ps. 46:1). We know that when God is with us, we have nothing to fear (Ps. 23:4). When God is for us, what can man do to us (Ps. 118:6)? Greater is He who is in us than he who is in the world (1 John 4:4).

We must get a picture of this: God our Defender, God our Deliverer, the One who fights our battles and wins. This is a revelation that we can have as Hannahs in this season. We can know God as our Deliverer and Defender while the battle is raging to give us the strength we need to hold on until we see the fulfillment of God’s promises.

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[Psalms 141:1](https://www.bible.com/users/rondib/reading-plans/14337-the-hannah-anointing/subscription/1036098448/day/5/segment/2)

**DAY FIVE: Rise Up, Modern-Day Hannahs!**

It’s time, Hannah.

The Lord is releasing a strong spirit of discernment on modern-day Hannahs. The Holy Spirit will set a watch over our mouths that we will not sin with our words. The ears of modern-day Hannahs will be open to the voice of God, and they will have the tongue of the learned, speaking right words in right seasons.

Silence was one of Hannah’s strategies against her enemies. On some things we have to learn how to pull back, surrender, and stay low on our face before God. Even after the fulfillment of God’s promise, we must remain humble, knowing that it is God who gives seed to the sower.

There isn’t much credit a barren woman can take for suddenly bearing a child. It is all God. All we did is surrender it all to Him. The devil keeps trying to get us to walk in the flesh, but we must remain in a place of “I surrender all”—for real.

It’s time to know who God is and who you are. It’s time to stand on God’s promises and pray persistently until you bear fruit that remains. Stand still and see His salvation. Your promised seed is on the way.