

Return, Rediscover, Rebuild Your Faith

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Talking Points

Psalms 81:13, Isaiah 31:6, Matthew 13:34-35 "Adaptations"

Introduction: This is not a Black thing. This is a national crisis, including a matter of national security. The question is what or who is the answer? And what can each person do?

Let's begin with facts and research, then actions to help:

Fact Check 1: President Abraham Lincoln's 13th Amendment ratified by all the states was greatly influenced by Christianity freeing nearly four million slaves in December 1865.

Fact Check 2: President Lyndon B. Johnson with powerful influence from Black Christian leaders and others gripped the nation through the power of God almighty passing Civil and Voting Rights.

Fact Check 3: Fifty years after the passage of landmark Civil and Voting Rights legislation, how have African Americans done with the freedom and laws? As with the nation, estimates are that less than 20% of people even attend church.

Fact Check 4: One researcher has found more than 270 studies on the impact of faith on young people. More than 240 of them showed the positive effect of religiosity on disadvantaged young people.

Fact Check 5: Few sociologists are connecting the dots to religious faith, and particularly the fifty year decline from the Christian faith as the "root cause" for the condition of the African American family.

Essentials to overcoming illness: No person or people are healed ignoring illness.

Therapy and healing barriers: Denial, projecting fault on others, or marginalizing the condition prevents healing. The following represent a sample of the African American Family's condition:

- † Less than 50% of African American males graduate from high school
- 70% of African American children are being born out of wedlock.
- † Below the poverty level, 80% of African American fathers abandon their children.
- † African Americans are 14% of the population, but responsible for more than 50% of the homicides in the nation.
- † African Americans are 37.5% of the prison population.
- † The cultural music is so violent and vile the Journal of Black Psychology, American Academy for Pediatricians and Teen Link report, it has devastating consequences.
- † Voting and politicians is not the greatest need. This we know!
- † Consider 70% of broken African American families with black males absorbing violent and vile music daily, many who drop-out, the future is not sustainable.

Fact Check 6: The nation's families are only as strong as the weakest link. This is a national crisis.

Everyone regardless of race must work to save the African American family.

Fact Check 7: Nothing stated here is without a conviction to action. Everyone has a part:

1. The goal is one person, and one family at a time.
2. Whatever the discussion is, move from talking to action in whatever small way. Here's what we all can do as believers in Christ:
 - a. Share this fact sheet or parts with everyone you can. Let them know these facts are accurate, and it means the extinction of the African American family should they continue.
 - b. Let people know the African American's road to freedom and rights in this nation were paved through the Christian faith. This is powerful, accurate, and undeniable.
 - c. This can be reversed by returning to the same faith that saved us in years past.

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