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The Power of God

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First, I just want to thank the Lord for all he has done for me and my family. I give him all the honor for setting me free from the stuttering and shyness. I once was fearful of what others thought of me. I worried about what my peers, friends, and teachers would say or think of me when I struggled to speak. I was so shy that rarely I opened my mouth to talk around others. Some people can be cruel by laughing and making fun of you but I did not find it to be funny. It was embarrassing and frustrating to go through the struggle day after day. My mom was my biggest supporter and often encouraged me along with other family members. Most of the time, I avoided interaction with others therefore I became reserved. I was mentally and physically drained. Now that I'm a teen I ask myself did I stutter more because I was shy or was I shy because I stuttered? I truly don't have an answer to that question. What I do know is that it was the POWER OF GOD that

Set Me Free. God helped me to endure the shame, frustration, humiliation and embarrassment.

In every moment I want to thank God. He has truly smiled on me and he has set me free. I want to have a strong relationship that's rooted in God to better myself and learn more about his Word. With the Lord on my side, I know that my future will definitely be bright and fulfilling. I want to thrive in God's will and plan or my life.





Bible Quiz

Ten Commandments

Match the question with the answer on the right.

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| _____ What is the love of God? | 1. Mount Sinai |
| _____ What is the 5th commandment? | 2. Remember the Sabbath |
| _____ 'Thou shalt not kill' is which commandment? | 3. 6th commandment |
| _____ What were the Ten Commandments written on? | 4. 8th commandment |
| _____ What is the 4th commandment? | 5. Two tablets of stone |
| _____ Which commandment instructs us not to lie? | 6. 9th commandment |
| _____ Which commandment forbids stealing? | 7. Ark of the Covenant |
| _____ Which commandment forbids making idols to worship YHWH? | 8. 2nd commandment |
| _____ What was the name of the ark where the commandments given to Moses were kept? | 9. 1 John 5:3 |
| _____ Where did Moses receive the commandments from YHWH? | 10. Honor your father and mother |



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