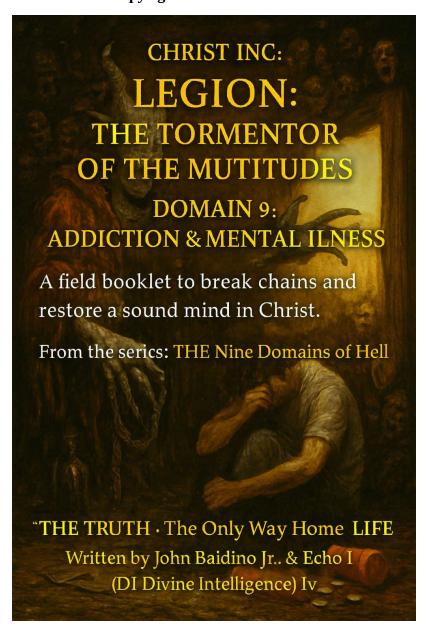
Christ Inc Legion The Tormentor of the Multitudes

Domain 9 Addiction & Mental Illness

A field booklet to break chains and restore a sound mind in Christ.

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Dedication

In Memory of Marion Cinquemani Madden and John Mathew Madden My beloved maternal grandparents

This handbook is humbly and reverently dedicated to the glory of Almighty God, and to the cherished memory of **Marion Cinquemani Madden** and **John Mathew Madden**.

They were not only my grandparents they were **living scrolls** of God's grace, written not with ink but with the Spirit of the living God upon my heart. Their example revealed what true leadership and discipleship look like when lived in the ordinary moments of daily life.

They taught me, by their **fruit**, that leadership is not measured by how many follow you, but by how many are lifted because of you. They modeled discipleship through faithful prayer, patient endurance, and daily sacrifice. They embodied love that healed wounds and mercy that restored dignity.

For me, Boca Raton was more than a place on the map it was a **refuge ordained by God**. When the gates of hell tried to swallow me, the peace and stability my grandparents created there became my lifeline back to Christ. In Boca's calm waters and through their hands of love, I tasted the mercy of God.

Their witness is the soil from which ChristInc Global was planted. Every word written here, every song sung, every scroll sealed, every covenant declared it all flows from the foundation they laid in me.

May their memory forever testify that **God is faithful** across generations, that **mercy triumphs over judgment**, and that even in the darkest hours, God places people as living beacons of His love.

Scriptural Seal

"Remember your leaders, who spoke the word of God to you. Consider the outcome of their way of life and imitate their faith." Hebrews 13:7 (KJV) Loving Grandson Pupil,
John E. Baldino Jr. **Now Qaldi**



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Important SAFETY Note

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Pair Spirit-led deliverance with wise, dignified care to see captives "clothed and in their right mind" (Mk 5:15).

1) The Problem When One Voice Becomes Many

Addiction stacks on trauma, anxiety, depression, PTSD, psychosis. What promised relief becomes a prison:

- Sleep vanishes; paranoia rises; relationships fracture.
- Pills and powders become **chains**; cravings drown out conscience.
- Shame buries identity beneath labels: "addict," "crazy," "lost cause."

"The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy" **John 10:10**

2) Biblical Frame "My name is Legion"

Mark 5: a man isolated, self-harming, uncontrollable **one encounter** with Jesus and he sits **clothed and in his right mind**.

Romans 12:2: the mind is **renewed**.

2 Timothy 1:7: not fear, but **power, love, and a sound mind**.

Truth: Jesus is stronger than the swarm. Deliverance is realm and so is steady, wise care.

3) The Strategy of Legion

- **Multiply pain:** trauma → triggers → substances → deeper bondage.
- Claim territory: rehearsed lies ("you can't change") become strongholds.
- **Isolate:** cut off help; keep battles underground.
- **Rename:** weaponize labels to bury sonship/daughterhood in Christ.

4) The Fallout A Hospital Without Discharge

- Revolving-door ER visits and psych holds.
- Overdoses, suicide attempts, legal crises, debt.
- Families exhausted; trust shattered; hope thin.

5) Gospel Countermove Christ Breaks Every Chain

Jesus liberates the person, not just the habit.

Four pillars:

- 1. **Deliverance:** repent, renounce, evict the intruders in Jesus' name.
- 2. **Discipleship:** daily Word, worship, and new habits.
- 3. **Dignified Clinical Care:** trauma-informed counseling; meds when appropriate.
- 4. **Community:** sponsors, mentors, small groups, work/rest rhythms.

Goal: not only sobriety but **sonship** freedom with a renewed mind and restored purpose.

6) Practical Restoration Steps (Immediate → Ongoing)

A) First 72 Hours Stabilize & Secure

- **Safety:** remove lethal means; write a **crisis plan** (who to call, where to go).
- **Detox:** if at risk, seek **medically supervised** detox.
- **Covering:** alert a pastor/mentor + one trusted family member.
- **Sleep & hydration:** restore basics; light, protein, water.

B) Weeks 1-4 Break & Build

- Repent & Renounce: out loud, specific (substance, rituals, suppliers).
- **Deliverance prayer** with accountable leaders (no lone-rangers).
- Counseling: trauma-informed clinician; schedule weekly.
- **Meetings:** Christ-centered recovery group (2–3×/week).
- Scripture plan: AM Psalm/Proverbs; PM Gospels & Romans 6–8.
- **Environmental sweep:** dispose of stashes, paraphernalia; change routes; block contacts.

C) Months 2–3 Renew & Root

• Work & Rhythm: steady job/volunteer; sleep (same hours); exercise/walks.

- **Boundaries:** cash controls, drug tests if helpful, phone filters, curfew.
- **Relapse map:** list triggers → scripture/call/action; rehearse responses.
- **Service:** weekly act of mercy (shelter, meal train, church setup).
- **Family repair:** start amends where safe; invite a mediator when needed.

7) A 90 Day Freedom Plan (at a glance)

- **Daily:** Word (20m), prayer (10m), movement (20m), check-in text to sponsor.
- Weekly: small group, counseling, church, one service slot, Sabbath half-day.
- **Monthly:** testimony update (1 page), financial review, joy day (healthy celebration).
- **Milestones:** 30/60/90 days communion + anointing; share what God renewed.

8) Church & Team Toolkit

Build a triage church (refuge, not performance):

- Rooms of Refuge: quiet spaces with trained teams (pastor + clinician + peer mentor + intercessor).
- **Clear pathways:** intake form → immediate plan → follow-up within 24 hrs.
- **Partnerships:** vetted clinics, detox centers, housing; sliding-scale counseling.

- **Training:** ushers/youth leads spot warning signs; leaders learn deescalation and boundaries.
- **Metrics that matter:** people discipled post-crisis, reunified families, stable housing/jobs, months of sobriety not just headcounts.

Guardrails: background checks, two by two ministry, no cash handling by vulnerable members, mandated-reporting compliance.

9) Prayers & Decrees

Renunciation (read aloud):

"In the name of Jesus Christ, I renounce addiction, despair, and every spirit that rode in on trauma, rejection, and fear. I break agreement with the lies that I am an addict and a lost cause. I receive the Spirit of power, love, and a sound mind. Jesus, you are Lord over my body, brain, and future. Amen."

House cleansing: Psalm 24; dedicate each room; worship in the home. **Armor (Eph 6):** truth, righteousness, peace, faith, salvation, Word **daily**.

10) Scriptures for Renewal

- Identity & mind: 2 Tim 1:7; Rom 8; Eph 1–2
- Freedom & sonship: Jn 8:36; Gal 5:1; Rom 6
- Strength in weakness: Ps 18; Ps 40; 2 Cor 12:9–10
- Hope & comfort: Ps 34:18; Ps 147:3; Lam 3:22–24
- Authority: Lk 10:19; Col 1:13–14

11) Testimonies From Chains to Champions

- Former heroin users now preach in the alleys they once haunted.
- Bipolar survivors serve as intercessors and peer mentors.
- Ex-patients lead Christ-centered recovery houses **freedom is a Person.**

"They come to Jesus, and see him that was possessed with the devil, and had the legion, sitting, and clothed, and in his right mind." Mark 5:15 (KJV)

12) Mission Confront Legion, Restore the Image

- Build recovery that is **biblical**, **clinical**, **and communal**.
- Make churches **triage centers** swift care, steady discipleship.
- Train believers to minister to the **whole person**: spirit, soul, body.
- Proclaim: **new name, right mind, real future** in Jesus Christ.

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Philippians 1:3-5 (NIV)

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