**Series:**  Divine Healing

**Lesson 1**- Get Rid of the Stumbling Blocks, and Get it Settled in Your Heart

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Let me be clear at the start of this lesson: The Bible is not against medicine, doctors or treatments. I am not trying to teach you to do something because I did it , nor am I basing anything off of another’s experience. I only desire to show you the Word, andI encourage every person to take action according to their faith. This is not denying that an illness exists. It is standing on the promises of God and elevating God’s Word and His healing power over that of man or medicine. My goal is that we all develop a Biblical foundation on this issue, in order that we can see it as God sees it. I desire to introduce people to the healing of their body which was already paid for by Jesus Christ. If you have any questions- please email me: Itsthrivetime66@gmail.com.

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**Does God Still Heal? - Your healing has been paid for at through the death, burial and resurrection. We must receive it through faith in this truth.**

There is not one Scripture verse that says healing, deliverance, and tongues do not exist today. While this is widely taught in many denominations, it is not a Biblical truth. It is, what I believe to be, a unintentional misinterpretation of Scripture. But I also believe at times, it is taught as it takes us off the hook! Some may think, “if I pray and they don’t get well, I’m gonna look really bad!” What we must understand is that we were never “on the hook”, God keeps His Word, healing has already been paid for, and it’s not about us! We are simply vessels that Holy Spirit works through. It is His power flowing through us, and what it is dunamis power!!

**Stumbling blocks will stand in the way of faith!**  What are those stumbling blocks? Let’s look at those blocks, toss them in the trash and replace them with the truth of the Word of God!

**\* Toss the stumbling block of DENOMINATIONS/TRADITIONS - God didn’t create denominations and traditions, man did! They aren’t sinful by themselves, but they become sinful when we elevate them above the Word.**

Building a foundation on anything else will cause one to stumble!

**\*Replace this block by building our foundation on the Word of God alone!**

Denominations will fail us, people will fail us, God’s Word will never fail us. Build your foundation on the Word of God alone!

As we have seen, especially in recent decades, denominations and men change their mind concerning the Word and what they believe about the words in it. God has never changed His mind about His Word AND He never will!

**\*Toss the stumbling block of your experiences and opinions**

Our experiences are just that! We all have experiences, but they play no part in the doctrine of healing. We can’t build on a foundation of “experiences”. They are not consistent and they are unique to you. As for opinions, we all have them, and truth be told, we can’t wait to share them with everyone (even if no one has asked them). Our opinions are subject to change, based on the circumstance we are walking in. Many things shape our opinions but we should want to be shaped by the Word of God. God isn’t interested in our opinion concerning His Word!

**\*Replace this block with the Word of God-** specifically the stories of Jesus healing people in the Gospels.

**Train your mind to align with God’s Word, not your opinions. This is done by:**

1. When “opinion” enters in (your opinion or the opinion of another, immediately take it captive and cast it out if it is not in agreement with the Word. **(II Corinthians 10:5**) Submit yourself to God, resist the devil and he has to leave! (**James 4:7**) Quote Scripture out loud and say out loud “I believe this…..(quote the verse)!
2. You need to hear yourself say it! Fill your mind to the brim with Scripture!! Hang a **“NO VACANCY”** at the door of your mind - letting the enemy know that you have no room in your mind and heart for his deception.

 **\*Toss the stumbling block of other people’s opinions and experiences.**  Treat it the same as you would for your own opinion. In addition, carefully consider who is in your inner circle. Do they cast doubt on the Word of God? You don’t have to stop your friendship with folks, but don’t be afraid to kindly let them know that you don’t wish to hear their opinion or experience concerning healing. If they don’t honor your request then you might need to block them from social media or your phone. Again, not because you’re ending the relationship but while you see contending for your healing. Rest assured that the enemy will use words of well meaning family and friends, hoping to plant seeds of doubt in your mind and heart.

 **\*Replace that block with Scriptural teaching on healings.** Make sure your inner circle is comprised of those friends that will stand in agreement with you and give you encouragement that comes from the Word of God!

**\*Toss the stumbling block of the doctor’s report -** I am not saying to deny the issue, (the report, the x-ray, etc.) What I do mean, is that you don’t give it greater weight than the report of the Lord (which is healing!). Don’t own that report.

  **\*Replace this block by filling your mind, your heart, and your words with God’s Word! Read the Word of God more often than you read the medical report!** Have conversations that align with His Word! Expect healing! Receive healing in the spiritual realm and thank God for it ! Praise and worship God! Begin thanking God for your healing! When we receive it in spiritual, we will see it in the natural! Fix your mind on Jesus, not the doctor’s report! **(Philippians 4:8, Hebrews 12:2, Colossians 3:2)**

You will find that the Holy Spirit is a wonderful teacher and encourager! Invite Him to join you on this journey

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**Lesson 2**- “If it be Thy Will” - The Nuclear Bomb to Our Faith

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Having a “Last Will and Testament” is a good way to be certain that your money and personal possessions go into the right hands after you die. When an individual passes the executor of that will brings family/friends together for a reading of the will. The will is followed according to the one who wrote it, and it is illegal for the executor to alter the will in any way! The only individual that authored that will can make changes to that will. Time, culture, circumstances do not ever annul the will.

How does one know if they receive any inheritance? We have to read the will!

We have a copy of the will of God! We call it the Bible! (The Old Testament and the New Testament). Within it we read the agreement God made with man through Jesus Christ.

Testament- An English word derived from a greek word being “covenant”.

If healing is God’s will for His children (as the Bible states so clearly), then to say that it is not God’s will to heal, or says we cannot know the will of God concerning divine healing, is to alter the Will (which is the Word of God)

Jesus Christ is the testator of the Will (the Word of God)!

Testator- “One who dies leaving a will or testament in force”

Jesus Christ is also the mediator of the will (I Timothy 2:5). Jesus is the One who clears believer’s guilt, He is our representative standing on our behalf, reconciling us to God and guarantees eternal life for all that believe Him and call upon His name for salvation. He will not rob us of our inheritance.

Jesus said: “For I came down from heaven, not to do My own will, but the will of Him who sent me.” (John 6:38,68)

Jesus fulfilled the Will of His Father- I Peter 2:21

We read in the Gospels that Jesus “healed them all”. Those who asked for their healing were healed. Jesus healed them all as it was the will of His Father for all to be healed. For Jesus to not have healed would mean that Jesus was disobedient to His Father. For Jesus to heal someone that was sick because “it was God’s will” for him to be sick, would be disobeying His Fathe! We know that He did not disobey His Father! Jesus was the physical expression of the Father’s will.

No where do we read that someone sought healing from Jesus and He told them that it was not His Father’s will.

I am often asked this question: “If it is God’s will that His children be healed, why do some die in their illness?” - We will discuss that in an upcoming teaching, however, we don’t believe or disbelieve the Word of God based on one’s experience.

I often hear people say this about healing: “If it’s the will of God, it will happen. If it is not the will of God, then it won’t happen.”

This could not be farther from the truth! God is not willing that any should perish (II Peter 3:9) God does not want anyone to die in their sins and spend eternity in hell! Yet, we know that people die every day and undoubtedly, many of them die in their unbelief and are in hell today!

Abortion, suicide, abuse, addictions, broken families, murder, rape, sickness and death are just a few of the issues that exist today, even among His children! Am I supposed to believe that the God who gave the command to not kill, the God who hates divorce, the God who created the family (the first ordinance set up by God), the God who gave Himself the name “Jehovah Rapha”(I am the God that heals you) then turns around and wills these things upon His children? Yet somehow we so often hear this phrase when praying for the sick, “If it be Thy will……”

Let’s look at how Jesus handled this. We read in Matthew 8:2 about a man that was a leper. Approaching Jesus, He said “Lord, if You are willing, You can make me clean.” What is the first thing Jesus does? He corrects the man’s theology! Jesus says: Matthew 8:3 tells us that Jesus reached out His hand saying “I am willing, be healed” and the man was immediately cleansed of His leprosy. First priority for Jesus was to let the man know that He was willing to heal him!

I believe that if Jesus were here in the flesh, He would be saying to us “stop praying that way! I am willing!”

God’s will is healing, but He will never go against our will by imposing His will on anyone. He will let people go to hell if they want to reject Him. In the same way, He will let people remain sick should they refuse to receive their healing. Make no mistake, neither are His will.

If healing is not God’s will, why did is healing the sick part of the Great Commission?

THERE ARE 101 SCRIPTURES CONCERNING HEALING THAT I HAVE INCLUDED IN THIS LESSON! READ THEM, SPEAK THEM, MEDITATE UPON THEM! FAITH COMES BY HEARING AND HEARING BY THE WORD OF GOD

ROMANS 10:17!

**God’s Will to Heal**

 Keith Moore

GOD SAID SO!

How do we know whether it’s God’s will to heal us or not? It makes little difference what others say about it. What did He say about it? Remember that God is no respecter of persons (**Acts 10: 34**) and He never changes (**Mal. 3:6**). So what He said to them yesterday, He is saying to you today. God’s word is God speaking to me. (These statements are taken directly from the Bible with little or no variation. The verbs and construction have been changed to apply to you personally and to sum up the thoughts in some instances. Also, many of these statements are prefaced by phrases like, “If you walk in My commandments”, “If you believe…obey…” etc.) What did God say?

**101 THINGS GOD SAID**

**Old Testament God said…**

 **1) I am the Lord that healeth thee (Ex. 15:26).**

**2) Your days shall be one hundred and twenty years (Gen. 6:3).**

**3) You shall be buried in a good old age (Gen. 15:15).**

**4) You shall come to your grave in a full age like as a shock of corn cometh in his season (Job 5:26).**

 **5) When I see the blood, I will pass over you and the plague shall not be upon you to destroy you (Ex. 12:13).**

 **6) I will take sickness away from the midst of you and the number of your days I will fulfill (Ex. 23: 25, 26).**

**7) I will not put any of the diseases you are afraid of on you, but I will take all sickness away from you (Deut. 7:15).**

**8) It will be well with you and your days shall be multiplied and prolonged as the days of heaven upon the earth (Deut. 11:9,21).**

**9) I turned the curse into a blessing unto you, because I loved you (Deut. 23:5 and Neh. 13:2).**

**10) I have redeemed you from every sickness and every plague (Deut. 28:61 and Gal. 3:13).**

**11) As your days, so shall your strength be (Deut. 33:25).**

**12) I have found a ransom for you, your flesh shall be fresher than a child’s and you shall return to the days of your youth (Job 33:24, 25).**

**13) I have healed you and brought up your soul from the grave; I have kept you alive from going down into the pit (Ps. 30:1, 2).**

**14) I will give you strength and bless you with peace (Ps. 29:11).**

**15) I will preserve you and keep you alive (Ps. 41:2).**

**16) I will strengthen you upon the bed of languishing; I will turn all your bed in your sickness (Ps. 41:3).**

**17) I am the health of your countenance and your God (Ps.43: 5).**

**18) No plague shall come near your dwelling (Ps. 91:10).**

**19) I will satisfy you with long life (Ps. 91:16).**

**20) I heal all your diseases (Ps. 103:3).**

**21) I sent My word and healed you and delivered you from your destructions (Ps. 107:20).**

 **22) You shall not die, but live, and declare My works (Ps. 118:17). 23) I heal your broken heart and bind up your wounds (Ps. 147:3).**

**24) The years of your life shall be many (Pr. 4:10).**

**25) Trusting Me brings health to your navel and marrow to your bones (Pr. 3:8).**

**26) My words are life to you, and health/medicine to all your flesh**

**(Pr. 4:22).**

**27) (My) good report makes your bones fat (Pr. 15:30).**

**28) (My) pleasant words are sweet to your soul and health to your bones (Pr. 16:24).**

 **29) My joy is your strength. A merry heart does good like a medicine (Neh. 8:10; Pr. 17:22).**

**30) The eyes of the blind shall be opened. The eyes of them that see shall not be dim (Isa. 32:3; 35:5).**

**31) The ears of the deaf shall be unstopped. The ears of them that hear shall hearken (Isa. 32:3; 35:5).**

 **32) The tongue of the dumb shall sing. The tongue of the stammerers shall be ready to speak plainly (Isa. 35:6; 32:4).**

**33) The lame man shall leap as a hart (Isa. 35:6).**

**34) I will recover you and make you to live. I am ready to save you (Isa. 38:16, 20). 35) I give power to the faint. I increase strength to them that have no might (Isa. 40:29).**

**36) I will renew your strength. I will strengthen and help you (Isa. 40:31; 41:10).**

**37) To your old age and gray hairs I will carry you and I will deliver you (Isa. 46:4). 38) I bore your sickness (Isa. 53:4).**

**39) I carried your pains (Isa. 53:4).**

**40) I was put to sickness for you (Isa. 53:10).**

**41) With My stripes you are healed (Isa. 53:5).**

**42) I will heal you (Isa. 57:19).**

**43) Your light shall break forth as the morning and your health shall spring forth speedily (Isa. 58:8).**

**44) I will restore health unto you, and I will heal you of your wounds saith the Lord (Jer. 30:17).**

 **45) Behold I will bring it health and cure, and I will cure you, and will reveal unto you the abundance of peace and truth (Jer. 33:6).**

**46) I will bind up that which was broken and will strengthen that which was sick (Eze. 34:16).**

**47) Behold, I will cause breath to enter into you and you shall live. And I shall put My Spirit in you and you shall live (Eze. 37:5,14).**

**48) Whithersoever the rivers shall come shall live. They shall be healed and every thing shall live where the river comes (Eze. 47:9).**

**49) Seek Me and you shall live (Amos 5:4, 6).**

**50) I have arisen with healing in My wings (beams) (Mal. 4:2). New Testament**

 **51) I will, be thou clean (Mt. 8:3).**

**52) I took your infirmities (Mt. 8:17).**

**53) I bore your sicknesses (Mt. 8:17).**

**54) If you’re sick you need a physician. (I am the Lord your physician) (Mt. 9:12 & Ex. 15:26).**

**55) I am moved with compassion toward the sick and I heal them (Mt. 14:14).**

 **56) I heal all manner of sickness and all manner of disease (Mt. 4:23).**

**57) According to your faith, be it unto you (Mt. 9:29).**

**58) I give you power and authority over all unclean spirits to cast them out, and to heal all manner of sickness and all manner of disease (Mt. 10:1 & Lk. 9:1).**

**59) I heal them all (Mt. 12:15 & Heb. 13:8).**

**60) As many as touch Me are made perfectly whole (Mt. 14:36).**

**61) Healing is the children’s bread (Mt. 15:26).**

**62) I do all things well. I make the deaf to hear and the dumb to speak (Mk. 7:37). 63) If you can believe, all things are possible to him that believeth (Mk. 9:23; 11:23, 24).**

**64) When hands are laid on you, you shall recover (Mk. 16:18).**

 **65) My anointing heals the brokenhearted, and delivers the captives, recovers sight to the blind, and sets at liberty those that are bruised (Lk. 4:18; Isa. 10:27; 61:1).**

**66) I heal all those who have need of healing (Lk. 9:11).**

**67) I am not come to destroy men’s lives but to save them (Lk. 9:56).**

**68) Behold, I give you authority over all the enemy’s power and nothing shall by any means hurt you (Lk. 10:19).**

**69) Sickness is satanic bondage and you ought to be loosed today (Lk. 13:16 & II Cor. 6:2).**

**70) In Me is life (Jn. 1:4).**

**71) I am the bread of life. I give you life (Jn. 6:33, 35).**

**72) The words I speak unto you are spirit and life (Jn. 6:63).**

 **73) I am come that you might have life, and that you might have it more abundantly (Jn. 10:10).**

**74) I am the resurrection and the life (Jn. 11:25).**

**75) If you ask anything in My name, I will do it (Jn. 14:14).**

**76) Faith in My name makes you strong and gives you perfect soundness (Acts 3:16).**

 **77) I stretch forth My hand to heal (Acts 4:30).**

**78) I, Jesus Christ, make you whole (Acts 9:34).**

**79) I do good and heal all that are oppressed of the devil (Acts 10:38).**

**80) My power causes diseases to depart from you (Acts 19:12).**

**81) The law of the Spirit of life in Me has made you free from the law of sin and death (Rom. 8:2).**

 **82) The same Spirit that raised Me from the dead now lives in you and that Spirit will quicken your mortal body (Rom. 8:11).**

**83) Your body is a member of Me (I Cor. 6:15).**

**84) Your body is the temple of My Spirit and you’re to glorify Me in your body (I Cor. 6:19, 20).**

**85) If you’ll rightly discern My body which was broken for you, and judge yourself, you’ll not be judged and you’ll not be weak, sickly or die prematurely (I Cor. 11:29-31).**

 **86) I have set gifts of healing in My body (I Cor. 12:9).**

**87) My life may be made manifest in your mortal flesh (II Cor. 4:10, 11).**

**88) I have delivered you from death, I do deliver you, and if you trust Me I will yet deliver you (II Cor. 1:10).**

**89) I have given you My name and have put all things under your feet (Eph. 1:21, 22).**

 **90) I want it to be well with you and I want you to live long on the earth. (Eph. 6:3).**

 **91) I have delivered you from the authority of darkness (Col. 1:13).**

**92) I will deliver you from every evil work (II Tim. 4:18).**

**93) I tasted death for you. I destroyed the devil who had the power of death. I’ve delivered you from the fear of death and bondage (Heb. 2:9, 14, 15).**

**94) I wash your body with pure water (Heb. 10:22; Eph. 5:26).**

**95) Lift up the weak hands and the feeble knees. Don’t let that which is lame be turned aside but rather let Me heal it (Heb. 12:12, 13).**

**96) Let the elders anoint you and pray for you in My name and I will raise you up (Jas. 5:14, 15).**

 **97) Pray for one another and I will heal you (Jas. 5:16).**

 **98) By My stripes you were healed (I Pet. 2:24).**

**99) My Divine power has given unto you all things that pertain unto life and godliness through the knowledge of Me (II Pet. 1:3).**

**100) Whosoever will let him come and take of the water of life freely (Rev. 22:17). 101) Beloved, I wish above all things that you may…be in health (III Jn. 2)**

Lastly, If God’s will is sickness, if God is trying to teach someone something, then they should not go to the doctor. They should want to remain sick, as they want to learn what God is trying to teach them! If sickness is God’s will then people shouldn’t take medicine to get better! After all, to take the medicine would be going against the will of God! And we should stop praying for the sick to be healed. After all, we would be getting in our way by laying on hands for healing and praying for their healing. (Sounds absurd, right? Yet, it is something we must think about.). Do we have a biblical understanding of healing. Or do we have an “understanding” of a man concerning healing? Build your foundation on the Word of God alone!

Some may need to correct their theology. If’ that’s you, praise God! No condemnation! Rejoice that God has opened your eyes and begin to stand in faith for yourself and for others that may be dealing with sickness!

We must understand that while Satan cannot take your soul. That was settled the day that you repented of your sin and received God’s Son. However, Satan will try to steal your faith, to plant seeds of doubt in your heart concerning the will of God. Sickness is limiting. If Satan can limit your abilities through sickness and disease, he can limit your ability to carry out God’s assignment for your life. Many sicknesses isolate individuals. They lay alone in their bed or a hospital bed all day and it is in isolation that the enemy will attempt to chip away at your faith through whispering lies to you.

“If God really loved you, you would not be sick”

“You are such a bad Christian, look God has made you sick because He is punishing you.”

“God doesn’t keep His promises. If He did, then you wouldn’t be sick”

On and on he goes, spewing lies. Jesus called him a liar and the father of lies.

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**Sola Scriptura!** (By Scripture Alone)