

How to receive healing

DIVINE HEALING IS ALWAYS THE WILL OF GOD

The Word of God tells us that it is always God's will for us to receive divine healing and better yet, to stay in perfect health.

- ❖ *Bless the Lord, O my soul, and forget not all His benefits: who forgives all your iniquities, who heals all your diseases. Ps. 103:2-3*
- ❖ *Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers. 3 John 2*

GOD DOESN'T WANT YOU TO ACCEPT AND TOLERATE YOUR SICKNESS

You shouldn't accept this sickness, because all sickness is the work of the devil. Jesus never accepted sickness and He came to destroy all the works of the devil, and all sicknesses.

- ❖ *For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil. 1 John 3:8*
- ❖ *How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him. Acts 10:38*
- ❖ *So ought not this woman, being a daughter of Abraham, whom Satan has bound - think of it - for eighteen years, be loosed (healed) from this bond on the Sabbath? Luke 13:16*

JESUS HAS ALREADY PAID FOR YOUR SICKNESS ON THE CROSS

- ❖ *Surely He has borne our griefs (infirmities) And carried our sorrows (sicknesses); Yet we esteemed Him stricken, smitten by God, and afflicted. But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace was upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed. Isa. 53:4-5*
- ❖ *And He cast out the spirits with a word, and healed all who were sick, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: "HE HIMSELF TOOK OUR INFIRMITIES AND BORE OUR SICKNESSES." Matt. 8:16-17*

BY HIS GRACE, HEALING BELONGS TO YOU AND IT HAS ALREADY BEEN GIVEN TO YOU IN JESUS CHRIST

- ❖ *As His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness... 2 Pet. 1:3*
- ❖ *Who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness - by whose stripes **you were healed**. 1 Pet. 2:24*

Please note that your healing by the stripes of Jesus is in PASSED TENSE. Why? Because the price has already been paid on the cross, some 2000 years ago. It is already done, finished and accomplished.

God has already given you and granted you this healing, but this healing is still in the spiritual world, which is invisible but yet very real and it is by faith that you must take possession of it and make it a reality in the physical world.

HOW?

→ Exercise your authority against sickness, symptoms et pain

- ❖ *Resist the devil and he will flee from you. James 4:7*
- ❖ *And He said to them, "I saw Satan fall like lightning from heaven. Behold, I give you the authority to trample on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy, and nothing shall by any means hurt you." Luke 10:18-19*

Command the sickness, the pain to leave your body in the Name of Jesus. This is what Jesus did.

- ❖ *So He stood over her and rebuked the fever, and it left her. (...) Luke 4:39*
- ❖ *For assuredly, I say to you, whoever says to this mountain, 'Be removed and be cast into the sea,' and does not doubt in his heart, but believes that those things he says will be done, he will have whatever he says. Mark 11:23*

In your case, your sickness, your pain & your symptoms are a mountain...

Notice that Jesus didn't tell us to :

- ❖ Speak to the father about the mountain (sickness).
- ❖ To ask the Father to remove the mountain (sickness).
- ❖ He told us to speak directly to the mountain (sickness) and command it to go.

You have authority and the right to curse sickness and to command the sickness to leave your body in Jesus' Name.

→ Ask and receive what Jesus has already given through His work on the cross

- ❖ *Therefore I say to you, whatever things you ask when you pray, believe that you receive them, and you will have them. Mark 11:24*

Jesus said that you must believe that the moment you ask , you receive it, you have it, it is yours. WHY ? Because this healing has already been given and granted to you in Jesus.

- ❖ *By the stripes of Jesus....YOU HAVE BEEN HEALED.... (Passed Tense). 1 Pet. 2:24*

→ You must receive BY FAITH, even if you do not see or feel anything

- ❖ *Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen. Hebrew 11:1*

You believe that you have received, not because you can feel it, or see something different, but because the Word confirms and promises that healing has already been given to you.

- ❖ *"So I say to you, ask, and it will be given to you; seek, and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened." Luke 11:9-10*
- ❖ *For all the promises of God in Him are Yes, and in Him Amen. 2 Cor. 1:20*

→ At that moment, the power of God will start to work in you

What is happening in your body, after you prayed?

After cursing the sickness and commanding it to leave your body in the Name of Jesus, the sickness left...

But now the power of God is working to repair, to mend and reverse what the enemy has done in your body. Sometimes, healing might be a process, and even though you might not feel anything you must believe that something is happening inside.

- ❖ *But if the Spirit of Him who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Christ from the dead will also give life to your mortal bodies through His Spirit who dwells in you. Rom. 8:11*

Here is an example :

- ❖ *And seeing from afar a fig tree having leaves, He went to see if perhaps He would find something on it. When He came to it, He found nothing but leaves, for it was not the season for figs. In response Jesus said to it, "Let no one eat fruit from you ever again." And His disciples heard it. Mark 11:13-14*
- ❖ *Now in the morning, as they passed by, they saw the fig tree dried up from the roots. And Peter, remembering, said to Him, "Rabbi, look! The fig tree which You cursed has withered away." Mark 11:20-21*

We can see in verse 13 & 14 that Jesus cursed the fig tree and commanded it to die and apparently nothing happened yet because the disciples heard Him but said nothing. But in verse 20 & 21, **one day later**, the disciples saw the dead fig tree and were amazed. What happened? At the moment Jesus cursed the tree, immediately the power of God went into the tree and attacked the root of the fig tree and 24 hours later, the tree was totally dead. The same thing is happening in your body. At the moment you speak to the sickness the power of God starts working in you, it attacks the root of the sickness and starts destroying it, and reversing it and starts repairing what the sickness had done inside of you. You see, sometimes healing is not always instantaneous, but sometimes it might take a little time to show any physical manifestation. Don't be discouraged, but KNOW and DECLARE that the power of God is IN YOU and working in you, producing healing and a cure.

- ❖ *Imitate those who through faith and patience inherit the promises. Heb. 6:12*

→ **By faith, start to do what you could not do before**

In Christ you are healed.... Now start doing what the sickness and body said you could not do when you were sick.

- ❖ If you could not run, start running!
- ❖ If you could not eat, start eating!
- ❖ If you could not bend over, bend over! Do it boldly and with confidence!
- ❖ Start to declare: "The healing power is working in me. I am healed!"

This is why oftentime, Jesus would say... pick up your bed and walk... or go and show yourself to the priests.

- ❖ *Jesus said to them, "Go, show yourselves to the priests." So it was that as they went, they were cleansed. Luke 17:14*
- ❖ *But do you want to know, O foolish man, that faith without works (actions) is dead? Do you see that faith was working together with his works (actions), and by works (actions) faith was made perfect? James 2:20 & 22*

To produce a miracle, Mary told the servants in *John 2:5: "Whatever He says to you, do it."* The servants listened to Jesus, obeyed and a miracle was done through them. So if you do not know what to do, then ask the Holy Spirit and whatever He tells you to do, DO IT, and as you do, you will witness your miracle.