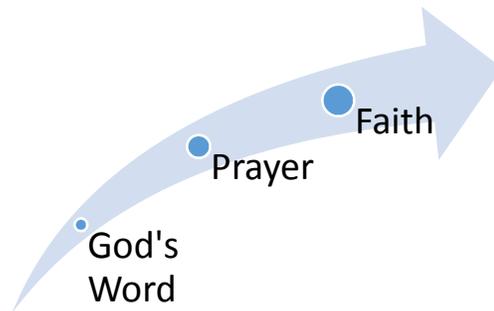


## INTRODUCTION – Supernatural Healing

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### Hear God's Word

"If you will give earnest heed to the voice of Yahweh your God, and do what is right in His sight, and give ear to His commandments, and keep all His statutes, I will put none of the diseases on you which I have put on the Egyptians; for **I, Yahweh, am your healer.**" (Exo 15:23-26 NAU)



Before we can have steadfast faith for healing or receiving any of the promises of God, we must eliminate any doubt or uncertainty concerning God's will in the matter. Do the Scriptures teach that God's will is to heal us?

Romans 10:17 – Until we know what God's will is, there is nothing to base our faith on. Faith for receiving God's promises is the result of **knowing** and **acting** on God's Word. Faith is having confidence and trust that God's Word is true and He is faithful to carry it out.

Psalm 107:20 – He sent His word and healed them, and delivered *them* from their destructions.

Matthew 8:1-13 – "...Just say the word, and my servant will be healed."

Isaiah 55:11 – Accomplishing what God desires

1 Thessalonians 2:13 – The Word works effectually in you.

Hebrews 4:12 – The Word of God is powerful.

Romans 1:16 – The Gospel is the power of God unto salvation.

Matthew 4:4 – We live by every word that proceeds out of the mouth of God.

1 Peter 1:23 [Matthew 13:19-ff; Mark 4:4-ff; Luke 8:5-ff] – The Word of God is often referred to as seed. Until a person seeking healing is sure from the Scriptures that it is God's will to heal him, he is trying to reap a harvest where no seed is planted. It would be impossible for a farmer to have faith for a harvest before he was sure the seed had been planted. To plant seed is to know, receive, and trust that God will heal.

The aim of this class is to plant seed that produces faith for healing bringing glory to God. The Scriptures provide right doctrine that eliminates ignorance and wrong teaching.

Psalm 103:3 and 4; 107:17-22; Matthew 8:14-17, 9:35; Luke 4:16-21; Acts 10:38; 1 Peter 2:24 – God’s will is to heal His people when they are sick.

James 1:13 – Praying for healing with the faith-breaking words “If it be you will” destroys the seed. People who say, “God gave me this cross to bear to make me a better person,” are attributing sickness to God and contradicting and terminating their seed of faith. God can indeed make you a better person using the negative situation without being the author of it.

Hebrews 2:14 – Ignorance and wrong understanding about the true God cause insurmountable stumbling blocks for faith. If we attribute death to God, how can we have faith that He has our best interest in mind?

“Many, instead of saying, ‘Pray for me’ should first say, ‘Teach me God’s word, so that I can intelligently cooperate for my recovery.’” F.F. Bosworth

### **Receive and retain by doing**

Faith grows with practice, so asking God for help and receiving it builds faith. We can learn with the smaller matters such as controlling our lusts as a prelude to the big things such as cancer.

Proverbs 4:20-22:

- 1) Give attention to my words
- 2) Incline your ear to my saying
- 3) Do not let them depart from your sight
- 4) Keep them in the midst of your heart

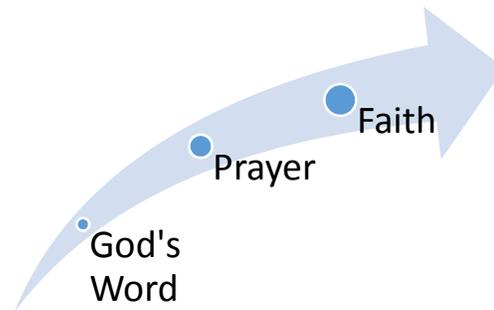
Instead of having eyes on the symptoms and being occupied with them, let not God’s words depart from your eyes; that is, look at them continually and, like Abraham, wax strong in faith by looking at the promises of God and at nothing else.

Romans 4:18-21; Hebrews 10:36-39

The only way seed works is to keep it in the ground. A farmer plants the seed and maintains confidence that the crop will grow. He never digs the seed back up to see how it is doing. He remains steadfast and patient.

Exodus 15:26:

- 1) Give earnest heed to the voice of Yahweh your God
- 2) Do what is right in His sight
- 3) Give ear to His commandments
- 4) Keep all His statutes



The sacrifice of the wicked is an abomination to Yahweh, but **the prayer of the upright is His delight.** Proverb 15:8

Yahweh is far from the wicked, But **He hears the prayer of the righteous.** Bright eyes gladden the heart; Good news puts fat on the bones. Proverbs 15:29-30

Psalms 107:1-ff – God’s response when people pray

17:1-9 – David had absolute confidence that Yahweh would hear his prayers.

Psalm 30:2-3; 91:14-16

Psalm 141:1-5 – David absolutely believed that God heard and was pleased with His prayers.  
Revelation 8:3 and 4

2 Kings 20:1-5 – God responded to Hezekiah’s prayer.

2 Chronicles 14:1-12; 15:1-7; 16:1, 2, 7-13 – God responded to Asa, and then Asa forgot God. Perhaps he did not continue in His word and prayer.

Ps. 34:1-15 – Yahweh’s eyes and hears are open to the righteous.

Psalm 5:1-8; 88:13 – He started his day with prayer to his King and God and diligently looked to Yahweh for help

35:1-ff; 42:8-11 – Sometimes it just takes time. Have patient endurance and complete confidence in God. Do not allow yourself to give up or to do it on your own. Keep on praying.

Luke 18:1-14 – Steadfastness, resoluteness, and humility are to accompany prayer.

Come *and* hear, all who fear God, And I will tell of what He has done for my soul.

I cried to Him with my mouth, And He was extolled with my tongue.

If I regard wickedness in my heart, The Lord will not hear;

But certainly God has heard; He has given heed to the voice of my prayer.

Blessed be God, Who has not turned away my prayer Nor His lovingkindness from me.  
Psalm 66:16-20

Prayer Scriptures to consider:

Psalms 54:1-ff; 61:1-4; Matthew 7:7-11;21:22; Mark 11:23 and 24; James 3:1-2; Psalms 66:16-20;  
69:13-18; 86:1-ff