

God's Words for Healing

Charles Capps wrote a great booklet on utilizing God's Powerful Words for healing. The following are my notes from that book.

There is supernatural help for people with incurable diseases. God's Word is supernatural. Mixing believing with God's Word by speaking it out of your mouth is a means of applying God's medicine. It's up to the individual as to whether or not they have the confidence to take God's medicine on a regular basis. How to apply principles from God's Word to obtain healing is the purpose of this practical information. Many today seek healing but yet they talk sickness and suffering until they establish that image in them. Their thoughts and words produce a vivid blueprint and they live within the bounds and limitations of that blueprint. We are going to make our blueprint line up with the Word of God. Your words are building blocks of which you construct your life and future. Your words set the cornerstones of your life, and you live within the confines of that boundary you make with your own words. Situations, circumstances and conditions are all subject to change, but with the support of your words you can establish them in your life. People that have an image of themselves being in poor health will talk about poor health. Even though they may be in good health, they seem to live out the reality of the image they have of themselves even unto death.

Proverbs 18:21

Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof.

What you believe and speak not only affects your body but your immune system as well. Your words become either a blessing or a curse to you.

Luke 6:45

A good man out of the good treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is good; and an evil man out of the evil treasure of his heart bringeth forth that which is evil: for of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaketh.

James 3:2-7

For in many things we offend all. If any man offend not in word, the same is a perfect man, and able also to bridle the whole body. Behold, we put bits in the horses' mouths, that they may obey us; and we turn about their whole body. Behold also the ships, which though they be so great, and are driven of fierce winds, yet are they turned about with a very small helm, whithersoever the governor listeth. Even so the tongue is a little member, and boasteth great things. Behold, how great a matter a little fire kindleth! And the tongue is a fire, a world of iniquity: so is the tongue among our members, that it defileth the whole body, and setteth on fire the course of nature; and it is set on fire of hell. For every kind of beasts, and of birds, and of serpents, and of things in the sea, is tamed, and hath been tamed of mankind:

The words you speak are vital to your health and well-being. There are some diseases that will never be cured unless people learn to speak the language of health that the body understands. God's Word is infused into you by giving voice to His Word with your own mouth, and this is the language of health to your body.

A continual affirmation of God's Word in believing will build into your immune system a supernatural anointing that is capable of eliminating sickness and disease in a natural manner.

Job 22:28 Thou shalt also decree a thing, and it shall be established unto thee: and the light shall shine upon thy ways.

Proverbs 18:7 A fool's mouth is his destruction, and his lips are the snare of his soul.

Mark 11:23 For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.

Proverbs 16:9 A man's heart deviseth his way: but the LORD directeth his steps.

Proverbs 18:20, 21 A man's belly shall be satisfied with the fruit of his mouth; and with the increase of his lips shall he be filled. Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof.

Proverbs 21:23 Whoso keepeth his mouth and his tongue keepeth his soul from troubles.

Isaiah 57:19 I create the fruit of the lips; Peace, peace to him that is far off, and to him that is near, saith the LORD; and I will heal him.

Medical science aids healing through physical means by administering medicine into the physical body. God's Divine Healing is Spiritual. It is administered through the human spirit:

I Corinthians 2:9-12 But as it is written, Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him. But God hath revealed them unto us by his Spirit: for the Spirit searcheth all things, yea, the deep things of God. For what man knoweth the things of a man, save the spirit of man which is in him? even so the things of God knoweth no man, but the Spirit of God. Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God.

Psalms 107:20 He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions.

God considers it DONE, not maybe. God is no respecter of persons, but He does require believing His Word.

Proverbs 4:20-22 My son, attend to my words; incline thine ear unto my sayings. Let them not depart from thine eyes; keep them in the midst of thine heart. For they are life unto those that find them, and health to all their flesh.

God's Word is LIFE. It is also HEALTH, or medicine to all your flesh. God's Word WILL HEAL YOUR BODY, but it does it through spiritual means. Healing can be received into the human spirit of God through the Word. Once it is conceived there, it permeates the physical body. Just as you would take medicine into your physical body to aid healing by physical means, so YOU MUST RECEIVE God's Word concerning healing from the supernatural.

You must speak God's Word to our individual circumstance or situation, someone else can't do it for you.

James 1:21b ...receive with meekness the engrafted word, which is able to save your souls. (It produces results in your body as well).

When God's Word is engrafted it becomes part of you. It cannot be separated from you. When it takes root it becomes greater than disease and healing is the result.

John 15:7 If ye abide in me, and my words abide in you, ye shall ask what ye will, and it shall be done unto you.

When you speak God's Word from your heart, then believing gives substance to the promises of God. Your believing frames your world daily. In Genesis chapter one God spoke, creation took place! Words are the carriers of believing. The worlds were framed by the Word of God.

Hebrews 11:3 Through faith we understand that the worlds were framed by the word of God, so that things which are seen were not made of things which do appear.

Without words there wouldn't have been creation. Your words make IMAGES and eventually you will live out the reality of that image. Every time you speak your belief, it forms a stronger image inside you. If it is healing you desire, the healing image is made by God's Word and your continual affirmation and agreement with it. Life is infused in you by believing God's promises.

John 6:63 It is the spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the words that I speak unto you, they are spirit, and they are life.

Romans 8:11 But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you.

The woman with the issue of blood in Mark chapter 5 continued to speak until she saw herself well! Before this she didn't look healed or feel healed, but she had an image and she had to call for it until it came into being. (Mark 5:34)

Believing is the substance (title deed) of things hoped (desired, prayed) for, the evidence that they are your before they are seen. (Hebrews 11:1) It is the principle of BELIEVING AND CALLING FOR THINGS THAT ARE NOT YET MANIFEST.

Mark 9:23 Jesus said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth.

Luke 17:6 And the Lord said, if ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye might say unto this sycamine tree, Be thou plucked up by the root, and be thou planted in the sea; and it should obey you.

God's Word is spoken of in Proverbs 4:22 as being medicine to all our flesh. It is the most powerful medicine available today, and it is capable of healing your body without side effects.

According to Isaiah 53:5, 6 and I Peter 2:24, healing is a fact as far as God is concerned. It belongs to us because healing was in the price paid from God's only begotten son:

Isaiah 53:5, 6 But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed. All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned everyone to his own way; and the LORD hath laid on him the iniquity of us all.

Our confession of the Word of God calls for healing which is already ours but is not in manifestation in our bodies.

We don't depend on doctors or medicine alone to keep you healthy. There are some diseases that medical science cannot cure. But, if you need a doctor, see a doctor, then believe for quick recovery.

It takes time to renew your mind and develop believing in your words as well as God's Word. The things you confess continually eventually become a part of you. It takes commitment and discipline. Confess the Word (promises of God for healing) audibly over your body 2 to 3 times a day. Confess it with authority.

God declares that His Word will not return to Him void.

Isaiah 55:11 So shall my word be that goeth forth out of my mouth: it shall not return unto me void, but it shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it.

Confessing God's Word is a way we can fellowship with Him and increase our believing at the same time. Make it a practice to take God's medicine on a regular basis, just as you would any other medicine. Then it will be LIFE to you and HEALTH to your flesh.

The following principle is the key to us being a partaker of God's provisions concerning healing. No other principle is more important to your healing and health than the CALLING OF THINGS THAT ARE NOT.

Romans 4:17 As it is written, I have made thee a father of many nations, before him whom he believed, even God, who quickeneth the dead, and calleth those things which be not as though they were.

The way Abraham became fully persuaded that God would do what He had promised was by calling those things which were not manifest as though they were. When God inspired him by telling Abraham that he would be the father of many nations, Abraham changed his image and it caused him to be fully persuaded that he and his wife would have a child in their older years. This method that God used is the method used for us which is any truth He has already promised us for our situation, then we get fully persuaded. The Apostle Paul gives insight into this principle. God uses spiritual forces which are not seen to nullify natural things that are seen. This is the principle of calling things that are not as though they were.

I Corinthians 1:27, 28; II Corinthians 4:13 But God hath chosen the foolish things of the world to confound the wise; and God hath chosen the weak things of the world to confound the things which are mighty; And base things of the world, and things which are despised, hath God chosen, yea, and things which are not, to bring to nought things that are: We having the same spirit of faith, according as it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe, and therefore speak;

The Word of God is FIRST in your mouth and (then) in your heart. There is nothing more important to your believing than declaring what God has said about you with your own voice. Giving voice to God's Word is a method of calling for things that God has given by promise and are not yet manifest.

When you do this, some would say that you are denying what exists, but that's not true at all. Some have misunderstood this principle, and they call things that are, as though they are not. They deny what exists. The power is in calling for healing and health by mixing believing with God's Word. You are calling for what God already provided. You are establishing what God has said to be true concerning healing even though it is not yet a reality in your body. You don't deny that sickness exists, but you deny its right to exist in your body, because you have been redeemed from the curse of the law and delivered from the authority of darkness:

Galatians 3:13; Colossians 1:13 Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree: Who hath delivered us from the power of darkness, and hath translated us into the kingdom of his dear Son:

When you are sick and confess that you are healed by the stripes of Jesus, you are calling for what God has already given you, even though it is not yet manifest.

1Peter 2:24 Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed.
Notice, it is past tense as far as God is concerned.

Your body was made with the ability to heal itself, and if every part functions properly, it will. Some sickness is caused by a chemical imbalance in the body, and the part of the brain that controls the speech also controls the secretion of chemicals to the body. This sheds some more light on what Jesus said in Mark 11:23, "...he shall have whatsoever he saith."

Rom 8:13 For if ye live after the flesh, ye shall die: but if ye through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the body, ye shall live.

Your flesh wants to say it the way it is, but if trained properly we will say it the way God said it in His Word. If you feed yourself God's Word you will make demands on the flesh to line up with the Word of God. When you exercise, you demand more energy from your body. The heart beats faster and more blood flow brings more oxygen to body cells, and your body responds to your demands in a natural manner. SO, CHOOSE YOUR WORDS CAREFULLY. God created man's body to live forever but sin brought the curse of sickness and death. The human body has an inherent ability to heal itself, but because of improper chemical balance and improper functioning of certain organs, certain medicines and chemicals will aid the body in the healing process. But God's Word is the original and most powerful medicine available today.