Are You Thinking Free From Disease?

We are not of this world. The people of the world are really freaking out because of the news being reported. It's almost like they're trying to convince us that everyone on the planet is going to get sick and die. I've been viewing the chaos, and I believe I have some answers for the Church. We must ask ourselves some questions and find the answers in the Bible.

Question 1: Where did sickness and disease originate?

Acts 10:38 KJV How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: Who went

about doing good, and healing all that were **oppressed of the devil**; for God was with Him

 ${\color{red} \textbf{John 10:10 KJV}} \text{ The } \underline{\textbf{thief}} \text{ cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they}$

might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

Matthew 12:22 KJV Then was brought unto Him one possessed with a devil, blind, and dumb: and He

healed him, insomuch that the blind and dumb both spake and saw.

In these verses we see very clearly that God didn't make the people sick; the devil did! When Jesus or His disciples came on the scene, they brought healing.

Question 2: How was the devil able to make people sick?

He got mankind to sin, and in the sin came sickness and death.

Matthew 9:5-6 KJV For whether is easier, to say, Thy **sins** be forgiven thee; or to say, Arise, and walk?

[6] But that ye may know that the Son of man hath power on earth to **forgive sins**, (then saith He to the

sick of the palsy,) Arise, take up thy bed, and go unto thine house.

When Jesus forgave the sin, the sickness went away.

Question 3: Many Christians today know that Jesus has forgiven them, so why are they still sick?

They don't know that they are **not supposed to be sick** after they are forgiven, and that in our forgiveness is our healing. They have not known this truth, and that's why the devil has been able to put sickness on them... **illegally!** The devil has no authority to make us sick, after we have received Jesus' forgiveness! However he will make us sick illegally, if we don't stand up for our Christian rights. The religious church world has erroneously taught that we have to die before we can be free from sickness. Well if that is true, Jesus would have never healed anyone in His earthly ministry; He would have just forgiven them.

With the corona virus spreading all over the world, people that love the Lord must understand this message. In their forgiveness is their healing from <u>ALL diseases</u>. We must not get into a panic, because whom the Son sets free is free indeed!

Remember when the Egyptians were suffering from the ten plagues? Well do you remember any of those plagues coming on God's children? No! Not one of them touched God's family! Well it should be this way with Christians today. The corona virus will not be able to touch us, if we know we are forgiven from our sin. Put your faith in God's forgiveness, and keep the devil out of your body!

Love you, Pastor Paul *+*+*+*+*+*+*+*+ 3-15-20

*This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday Isaiah chapter 56
Tuesday Isaiah chapter 57
Wednesday Isaiah chapter 58
Thursday Isaiah chapter 59
Friday Isaiah chapter 60
Saturday Isaiah chapter 61
Sunday Isaiah chapter 62

*Upcoming Events

- 1. **Baptisms:** Sunday at end of Services
- 2. Singles Eating at: Sam's Soul Food
- 3. Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Fri 9:30-10:30am in the Gym
- 4. Faith Fellowship Meetings: Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 7pmin the Mall Chapel
- 5. Women's Discipleship: Wednesday pm
- 6. **Mobile Prayer:** Fridays 1:30-3pm in Sam's Warehouse Parking Lot
- 7. Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in Mall Chapel
- 8. **Door to Door Witnessing:** 9:30 each Saturday. Meet on Lee Blvd side of Church house
- 9. Horse Ministry: Saturday 10am-1pm at Camp Faith

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- ** Here is a list of the many gatherings we have for you to get together and fellowship with your brothers

and sisters. Please take advantage of them, and you will bless yourself and others also.

Sundays Prayer: 9am Lee side entrance

Fellowship in Café 9:15-9:45 am. Services 10:45 am

Adult, Youth, and Children classes 9:45-10:30 am

Faith Class: -----Michael Whitley Financial Class: -----Terry Boyd Foundation 1 Class: ---Pastor Paul Foundation 2 Class: ---Mike Wiggins

Healing Class: -----Lester/Monica Witherspoon Marriage Class:-----Danny/Demetrius Williams

Prayer Class: -----Joe Cunningham

Children's Sunday School: 6 months - 5th grade Youth Services: -----Lucas/Cyndi Moore

Young Singles/College & Career —Eliav/Kim Nash

Daily * Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday6:15-7:15am

> * Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Friday in Chapel on Lee Blvd side of

Church

Weekly * Adult, Youth & Children Services: Wednesday night 7pm

> * Faith Fellowship Meeting: Each Mon, Tue, & Thur 7-8pm in Mall

Chapel

* Friday Night Prayer: 7-8pm in Mall Chapel * Men's Friday Night Basketball: Friday 7pm in Gym

* Door to Door Witnessing: 9:30am every Saturday * Men's Meeting:

Monthly Corral

9am 1st Saturday of each month at Golden

* Crosses at the Corner: 12-1pm 1st Saturday at corner of Sheridan

and Cache Rd.

* Women's Meeting: 9am 2nd Saturday of each month

* Horse Ministry: 10am-1pm 3rd Saturday of each month