***You Can Have Faith To Be Healed***

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**♥** **Faith is simply Trusting In God and His words**  Emunah is a Hebrew word that translated means faith or belief. It’s a conviction or perception of Truth that goes past reason. It also conveys the ideas of faithfulness and reliability that we can have in God. It also signifies an active trust in the goodness of God and expresses loyalty to His will. The root word of Emunah means an artisan, craftsman, or practitioner. While an artist often begins with an inborn talent, if not exercised it can remain undeveloped. Just as one needs to nurture a talent or keep up an exercise routine to maintain a fit body, the soul, too, needs regular nurturing to keep its faith vibrant.

 < Habakkuk 2:4 > *“Behold the proud, his soul is not upright in him; But the just shall live by his faith.*

1. **What and Who we Believe in matters.**

< Proverbs 3:1-2 > *My son (or daughter), forget not my law; but let your heart keep my commandments; For length of days, and long life, and peace shall they add to you.*

< Proverbs 4:10 >    *Hear, O my son (daughter), and receive my sayings; and the years of your life shall be many.*

1. **God’s words are medicine to all our flesh**

**<Isaiah 53:1>***Who has believed our report? And to whom has the arm of the Lord been revealed?*

**♥ A Certain Man at Lystra**    < Acts 14:6-10 > *NKJ* *they became aware of it and fled to Lystra and Derbe, cities of Lycaonia, and to the surrounding region. And they were preaching the gospel there. And in Lystra a certain man without strength in his feet was sitting, a cripple from his mother’s womb, who had never walked. This man heard Paul speaking. Paul, observing him intently and seeing that he had faith to be healed, said with a loud voice, “Stand up straight on your feet!” And he leaped and walked.*✨This man had never walked and more than likely was begging to survive. The marginalized in that day and age were not treated well. There were no social programs and sickness and/or a disability were often looked down upon. This man’s self-esteem was more than likely low, and he may have thought no one cared about his life or would give him the time of day.

But he heard the gospel preached, and Paul looking right at him saw faith in him to be healed. He believed the words he heard. So, when Paul spoke a word to him, “stand up on your feet”. He had never walked from his mother’s womb. He responded to those words and leaped up (strength came into his feet) and he walked for the first time.

You may have felt that you are without strength in an area of your life, and people pass you by all the time. But upon hearing the gospel, faith can rise and develop in your life that God observes and sees. And as you are reading your Bible and praying He can speak a word to you that gets you on your feet again.

**♥ Healing is God’s Will and Plan for you**

1. **You can grow in your Faith and Trust in God and His Words**

< Proverbs 4:20-22 > NKJ  *My son, give attention to my words; Incline your ear to my sayings.*
*Do not let them depart from your eyes; Keep them in the midst of your heart; For they are life to those who find them, And health/medicine to all their flesh.*

< Romans 10:17 >  *So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.*

1. **Faith is not a feeling, it’s what you believe**

<II Corinthians 5:7> For we walk by faith, not by sight.

< Romans 4:19-20 > NKJ *And not being weak in faith, he did not consider his own body, already dead (since he was about a hundred years old), and the deadness of Sarah’s womb*.*He did not waver at the promise of God through unbelief, but was strengthened in faith, giving glory to God,*

1. **Faith speaks and is an action you can begin to do.**

< II Corinthians 4:13 > *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;*

< Matthew 17:20 >Jesus said … if you have faith as a mustard seed, you will say to this mountain, ‘Move from here to there,’ and it will move; and nothing will be impossible for you.