



**MINISTERING
TO
OTHERS**

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* "And when he had called unto him his twelve *
 * disciples, he gave them power against un- *
 * clean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal *
 * all manner of sickness and all manner of *
 * disease. These twelve Jesus sent forth, *
 * and commanded them,.....'as ye go, preach, *
 * saying, The kingdom of heaven is at hand. *
 * Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the *
 * dead, cast out devils: freely ye have *
 * received, freely give.'" *
 * Matthew 10:1, 5, 7, 8 *

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LESSON 1
GUIDELINES FOR PERSONAL MINISTRY

- A. Ministry - the call upon every Christian (Eph. 4:1)
1. Created for good works (Eph. 2:10)
 2. Salt of the earth (Matt. 5:13)
 3. Light of the world (Matt. 5:14)
 4. God remembers our ministry (Heb. 6:10)
 5. Jesus is our example (Matt. 20:28)
- B. Basic concepts for ministry
1. We are the Body of Christ (I Cor. 12:12, Eph. 5:30; Rom. 12:5)
 - a. We do His work as if He were here in flesh (John 5:17-20)
 2. Witness (minister) Jesus - not a church or a doctrine (Acts 1:8)
 - a. That means promote the Word.
The Word is (Jesus John 1:1 & 14, Rev. 19:13)
 - b. The Word makes men free (John 8:31-32, & 36)
 - c. Jesus (the Word) is the life - not the church organization (I John 5:11-12, John 6:63)
 3. The personal example of the ministry of Jesus (I Peter 2:21)
 - a. Sent on a mission just as He was - in the same way (John 20:21)
 - b. Do same works (John 14:12)
 - c. Study gospels for insight to personal ministry
 4. Love must be the motivating force for ministry to succeed
 - a. Jesus was love made flesh (I John 4:16, John 1:14)
 - b. Not for personal gain (Is. 42:8)
 - c. True faith only works by love (Gal. 5:6)
 - d. Faith without love is nothing - hollow (I Cor. 13:2)
 - e. Jesus, our love example (John 13:34, Mark 10:21, 1:41)

LESSON 2
GUIDELINES FOR PERSONAL MINISTRY CONT.

C. Go...or follow?

1. Jesus said: "Go ye into all the world"
(Mark 16:15, Matt. 28:19)
2. He also said: "Follow me..."
(Matt. 4:19, 16:24, Jn. 21:19)
3. We are to "Go" by "following"
"Come, follow me" (Luke 18:22)
 - a. Come (go) - the command
 - b. Follow - the method
4. Life style for a Christian (John 12:26, 10:4) - every area of life
5. Sons of God are led of the Spirit
(Romans 8:14)
6. "Be ready always" (I Pet. 3:15)
7. Key is to do what Holy Spirit tells you -
he will lead specifically if you will
listen
(Matt. 10:5-8, Acts 16:6-10)
 - a. If you are an evangelist, he'll show
you where to preach or share.
 - b. For the rest, stay ready, let your
light shine, and obey the prompting of
the Spirit when it comes.
 - c. The church is a body with many
members (Rom. 12:4-5)
8. Example of Jesus
 - a. Mostly, He waited until the people
came to Him for ministry
(Luke 4:40, 5:15, 6:17)
 - b. Upon Spirit's leading, He took the
initiative (Luke 6:6-10, John 9:1-7)

D. God is the source of all ministry

1. You are simply a channel thru which the
ministry flows. The Lord must do the work.
2. You cannot give the blessing (eternal life,
healing, etc.) - only help the person
receive it from God.
3. "Every good gift...is from above" (James 1:17)
4. Available to every man without respect of

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- persons (Rom. 2:11, Acts 2:34-35)
5. Your responsibility
 - a. Stay full of the living water
 - b. Help the needy person to open the tap and receive
 - c. Think about a cup of water with you being the straw...or a water pipe with a spigot on the end
 - d. See Jesus, our example, at Jacob's well (John 4:10)

LESSON 3
GUIDELINES FOR PERSONAL MINISTRY, CONT.

- E. As He wills or as we will?
1. Supernatural gifts operate as God wills - when, where, to whom, and thru whom he pleases (I Cor. 12:11)
 2. Faith works as we will - when we need it and will exercise it (Mark 11:22-24, Matt. 21:22)
- F. Faith is the key or the switch
1. Only way to please God (Heb. 11:6)
 2. It is the evidence of what you cannot see (Heb. 11:1)
 3. It is acting on what you believe (Mark 5:25-34)
 4. Degree of faith determines result (Matt. 8:13, 9:29, 9:22, Mark 10:52)
 5. Test the faith of the person by observation (Acts 14:9) or by questioning (Matt. 9:28)
 6. If faith is lacking, it must be built before blessing can be received.
 7. Faith comes from:
 - a. Hearing God's Word (Rom. 10:17)
 - b. Testimony of others (Rev. 12:11)
- G. Believing for someone else
1. Won't work for certain eternal things; i.e., New Birth, Baptism in the Holy Spirit, etc. (Ezek. 18:1-32, esp. 4, 20 & 30, Rev. 3:20, Acts 2:38, Luke 11:9-13)
 - a. Every man responsible personally to God
 2. Will work on other temporal things - healing, prosperity, deliverance
 - a. Palsied man (Luke 5:17-26, esp. vs. 20)
 - b. Nobleman's son (John 4:46-54, esp. vs. 50)
 - c. Centurion's servant (Matt. 8:5-13, esp. vs. 10)
 - d. Jairus' daughter (Mark 5:21-24 & 35-42 esp. vs. 36)
 3. Unbelief will cancel or hinder your faith & render it ineffective
 - a. You cannot "outfaith" unbelief
 - b. Jesus couldn't overcome it (Mark 6:5-6, Matt. 13:58)

- c. The Word erases unbelief & replaces it with faith (Rom. 10:17)
- 4. You must be in agreement with person receiving ministry (Amos 3:3)
- 5. Lack of faith is not the same as willful unbelief (Mark 9:24, John 20:25)

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LESSON 4
GUIDELINES FOR PERSONAL MINISTRY CONTINUED

- H. Condition of receiver's heart is critical
1. If the heart is open, there is no limit to what God can & will do (Mark 9:23, Mark 10:27)
 2. The heart is the key to all of life's issues (Prov. 4:23)
 3. If heart is closed (doubt, unbelief, unwillingness, unforgiveness, etc.) you must get it open and turned toward God or further ministry is useless (II Cor. 3:15-16)
 4. Remember you are merely the channel - God is the source of the wisdom and power to be ministered. You can't give it - only allow it to flow through you. (Mark 10:17-22)
- I. The Word of God is essential
1. God's Word is the power for effective ministry (Rom. 1:16, Luke 4:32)
 2. Word saves (I Pet. 1:23, Rom. 10:13-17)
 3. Word heals (Psalm 107:20)
 4. Word delivers and sets free (John 8:31-32)
 5. Word cleanses (John 15:3, Eph. 5:26)
 6. Word judges (John 12:48)
 7. Word strengthens (Ps. 119:28)
 8. Word endures - never changes (Ps. 119:89, Is. 40:8)
 9. Word gives guidance (Ps. 119:105, 130)
 10. Word wins in combat (Eph. 6:17)
 11. Word separates spiritual from soulish or sensual (Heb. 4:12)
 12. Word produces hope and confidence (Rom. 15:4)
 13. Word warns (I Cor. 10:11)
 14. Word produces faith (Rom. 10:17)
 15. To minister effectively and regularly, you must have the Word in your heart (Ps. 119:11, Col. 3:16)
 16. Counsel outside the Word is dangerous & forbidden (Prov. 30:6, Deut. 4:2, 12:32)

- J. Obstacles to overcome
1. An unwilling heart - the love of God is required to break through, oftentimes vocal gifts will be used.
 2. Demonic oppression or interference
 - a. Desire is there and willingness, but the person does not seem to be able to receive. Oftentimes, fear or strong doubt is evident.
 - b. Deliverance must be ministered first to set the person free.
- K. Check list for personal ministry
1. Does the individual sincerely desire to have this blessing? - condition of heart (John 5:6)
 2. Does he know that God has promised it to him - is his faith based on God's Word or is he hoping? (Rom. 10:17)
 3. Has he asked God himself? (James 4:2, John 16:23)
 4. Has he acted on the promise and received by faith? (Heb. 3:19, 4:2)

LESSON 5
THE NEW BIRTH

- A. Condition of the lost
1. Dead (spiritually) in sin & trespasses (Eph. 2:1)
 2. Without God & without hope (Eph. 2:12)
 3. Blinded by Satan (II Cor. 4:3-4)
 4. Limited understanding of spiritual things (I Cor. 2:14, II Cor. 3:14-16)
 5. Child of Satan (I John 3:7-10, Ps. 58:3, Ps. 51:5, Gen. 8:21)
- B. Remember, however, that:
1. God loves the lost (John 3:16-17, Rom. 5:8)
 2. Price has already been paid for his sin - it is already dealt with - God is not mad at him (II Cor. 5:19)
 3. He must be born again (in his spirit) to enter the kingdom of God and receive his inheritance (John 3:3-8)
 4. God wants (His written will) every person to be saved without exception (I Tim. 2:3-4, II Pet. 3:9, John 6:40, Matt. 18:14)
- C. How does one become saved?
1. Three persons involved
 - a. God, the Holy Spirit, convicts and reproves (John 16:7-9)
 - b. Witnesses (you and others perhaps) share testimony and declare the gospel message - the Word (Rom. 10:14, Acts 1:8, Rom. 1:16, I Peter 1:23)
 - c. Lost person believes and receives Jesus as Savior & Lord (I John 5:1, Acts 10:43, John 1:12-13)

LESSON 6
THE NEW BIRTH, CONTINUED

2. Two facets (Rom. 10:9-10)
 - a. Believe - in the heart - that God raised Jesus from the dead includes:
 1. Jesus is alive today
 2. Price is paid for your sins
 3. God is satisfied
 4. Jesus is more powerful than Satan and can keep you and can do what he promised for you.
 - b. Confess - with the mouth - that Jesus is Lord includes:
 1. Reject Satan as Lord & repent (turn away) from his way
 2. Jesus is God almighty
 3. You have submitted to Him and invited Him in to control your life
 4. You will follow and serve him as Lord
 5. You are receiving salvation as you speak life with your mouth.
3. The candidate must:
 - a. Believe the gospel (Acts 10:43, John 3:36, 5:24)
 - b. Repent from dead works and turn away from sin (Acts 2:38, Heb. 6:1, Acts 17:30, 26:20, Mark 1:15)
 - c. Invite Jesus in (Rev. 3:20)
 - d. Confess his salvation (Matt. 10:32-33, I John 4:2, 4:15, Acts 20:21)

- D. What happens at the New Birth?
1. Child of Satan becomes a child of God and enters His kingdom (John 1:12-13, Gal. 3:26, I John 5:1)
 2. All his sins are forgiven and forgotten by God (Col. 2:13-14, I John 1:9, Heb. 10:16-17)
 3. He is made alive spiritually (Eph. 2:5)
 4. He becomes a new creation - a new person (II Cor. 5:17)

- E. How to lead a person to Jesus
(assuming that the witnessing and declaring of the Word has been done)
1. "Do you know that you need to be saved - born again?"
(Rom. 3:10, 3:23, 6:23)
 2. "Will you (are you willing to) turn away from sin - repent?"
 3. "Do you believe that Jesus is God's son, that He died in your place, and that He's alive now?"
 4. "Do you want to receive Jesus as Savior and Lord of your life?"

At this point, have candidate pray aloud or follow you in a prayer of repentance and invitation. It is important for candidate to specifically invite Jesus into his heart.

5. "Now begin to thank God for your salvation aloud and to declare that Jesus is Lord of your life."

Help candidate do this if necessary by having him follow you aloud.

LESSON 7
THE NEW BIRTH, CONT.

F. Obstacles and hindrances

1. No repentance - "I'm OK."
 - a. Pray for Holy Spirit to convict (John 16:8-9)
 - b. Share Word if person is open (Rom. 3:10, 3:23, I John 1:8-10)
 - c. If person says they were saved long time ago but there is no fitting fruit, note I John 2:3-6.
2. Guilt - "I'm not good enough."
 - a. Caused by:
 1. Sin
 2. Erroneous teaching - see Ezek. 18
 3. Lack of the Word
 4. Too much tradition (Mark 7:13)
 - b. Solution:
 1. Confess the sin & receive forgiveness (I John 1:9)
 2. Share Word to produce faith (Rom. 10:17)
 3. Confess (declare) Word, not feelings
 4. Remember about condemnation (Rom. 8:1 & 33-34)
3. Fatalism - "I'm too far gone."
 - a. Caused by:
 1. Sin
 2. Erroneous teaching (Judas, Esau, etc.)
 - b. Solution:
 1. Share the Word (John 8:31-32)
 2. Remember Saul who became Paul (Acts 8:1-3, 9:1-6)
 3. Pray for a manifestation of God's love
4. Unpardonable sin - "I've blasphemed the Holy Spirit." (Matt. 12:31-32)
 - a. Remember John 6:37
 - b. If person really desires to come to Jesus he has not committed the unpardonable sin. If he had, his heart would

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be hardened (John 12:37-40)

5. Begging - "Please God, Oh, please forgive me, God. Please God."
 - a. Share Word (I John 1:9, etc.)
 - b. Have person begin to thank the Lord for forgiveness and receive with his mouth. (Rom. 10:10)
6. Unbelief - "I just can't believe."
 - a. Deliverance may be needed - pray for discerning.
 - b. Share Word after identifying specific area of doubt.
 - c. Faith is absolute necessity (Heb. 11:6, Acts 20:21, Eph. 2:8)
7. Fear - "I'm afraid."
 - a. Deliverance may be needed.
 - b. Share more Word after identifying specific area of fear, i.e.:
 1. "It won't take." (Rev. 3:20, John 6:37)
 2. "I'll lose my friends, relatives, etc." (Luke 9:26, Mark 10:28-30)
 3. "I won't measure up as a Christian, I'm not strong enough." (Eph. 6:10, 3:20, Acts 1:8)
8. No feelings - "I didn't feel anything."
 - a. Share Word on faith (Heb. 11:1 & 6, II Cor. 4:18, 5:7, Mark 11:23 & 24)
 - b. Encourage person to confess aloud the Word (John 1:12, 5:24, etc.)
9. Unforgiveness - resentment, bitterness, anger, grudge-keeping also in this category.
 - a. Let person look at himself in mirror of God's Word (Mark 11:25-26)
 - b. Have him confess it to God as sin and forsake it (Ps. 66:18, Prov. 28:9)
 - c. The Lord may lead him to make restitution (Matt. 5:23-24)

G. Reclaiming backslider

1. Dangerous situation for the backslider (Ezek. 33:13 & 18, Heb. 10:38, II Peter 2:20-22)

- a. Bad teaching abounds on this subject that a backslider can't return to God (based on Heb. 6:4-6)
 - b. This is not true however - God will receive a repentant backslider (Jer. 3:12-14 & 22, Hosea 14:4)
2. If he's unrepentant, pray for conviction by the Holy Spirit. You love him.
3. If he's repentant but bound by unbelief or bad doctrine, share Word - from above and also from Luke 15:11-24, the Prodigal Son. Remember also John 6:37.

H. Remitting sin

1. Jesus gave the church - his followers - this authority (John 20:23, Matt. 16:18-19, I John 5:16)
2. He demonstrated how this was to be done (Mark 2:3-12)
3. We are to do his work (John 14:12)
 - a. We are one with him (I John 4:17, Heb. 2:11)
 - b. We have his authority (Eph. 1:22-23)
 - c. This is part of our commission (II Cor. 5:19)
 - d. We are now the sons of God (I John 3:1-2)
4. Essential key however is as the Holy Spirit leads (note John 20:22 precedes 20:23) Only He knows the heart and whether true repentance is there.
5. Often spiritual gifts will confirm this.

LESSON 8
BAPTISM IN THE HOLY SPIRIT

- A. What is it?
1. Promise of the Father (Acts 1:4-5, Luke 24:49)
 2. Gift of God (Acts 2:38, Luke 11:13)
 3. Power enduement (Luke 24:49)
 4. Experience subsequent to the New Birth (Acts 8:14-17)
 5. A full surrender to the Lord, to be filled to overflowing with the Holy Spirit
- B. Filled or baptized
1. Filled makes you full (Acts 4:31)
 2. Baptized makes you overflowing - covered or immersed (Acts 10:44-46)
- C. Purpose
1. Power (ability) to witness effectively (Acts 1:8)
 2. Power (ability) to do works of Jesus (John 14:12-17)
 3. Gateway to supernatural gifts of the Spirit (I Cor. 12:1-11)
 4. Growth of fruit of spirit (Gal. 5:22-25)
- D. Why tongues?
1. Speak to God in the spirit (I Cor. 14:2, John 4:24)
 2. Edify self (I Cor. 14:4, Jude 20)
 3. Praise & worship (Eph. 5:18-19)
 4. Intercessory prayer (Rom. 8:26-27)
 5. Spiritual warfare (Eph. 6:11, 12, & 18)
- E. Tongues and tongues
1. Divers tongues (I Cor. 12:10)
 - a. With interpretation to edify the church (I Cor. 14:5)
 - b. As the Spirit wills (I Cor. 12:11, 18, & 30)
 2. Devotional tongues
 - a. Evidence of Holy Spirit baptism (Acts

2:4, 19:6)

b. Speaking to God (I Cor. 14:2)

c. As we will (I Cor. 14:14-15)

F. How to help a person receive

1. "Are you born again? Have you received Jesus as your Savior?"

a. Promise is for believers only
(John 7:38-39)

b. World (unbelievers) can't receive
(John 14:16-17)

c. If person not saved or unsure, share salvation scripture & lead him in a salvation prayer. (See lesson 5,6, &7)

2. "Do you believe that this gift is for you personally?"

a. To all God's children (Acts 2:39)

b. God is no respecter of persons (Rom. 2:11, Acts 10:34)

3. "Ask Jesus to baptize you in the Holy Spirit.

a. Jesus is the baptizer (John 1:33)

b. Candidate must ask (Luke 11:9-13, James 4:2)

(Lead candidate in prayer if necessary)

4. "Now, thank him for baptizing you in the Holy Spirit."

a. This is the expression of faith
(Phil. 4:6)

(Help candidate to do this.)

5. "Now, begin to speak out in tongues."

a. "Don't speak any English - can't speak two languages at same time."

b. "Begin to speak forth whatever comes, believing the Holy Spirit is giving the utterance." (Acts 2:4)

c. The mouth confesses the experience

G. Hindrances and obstacles (Rom. 10:10)

1. Doubt

a. Caused by:

1. Lack of Word

2. Previous erroneous teaching

3. Possible demonic interference

- b. Solution
 - 1. More Word
 - 2. Bind demonic influence
 - 3. Prayer
- 2. Fear - same causes and same solution as for doubt

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LESSON 11
DELIVERANCE

- A. Part of the church's ministry
1. Jesus said he came to bring "deliverance to the captives...and liberty to the bruised."
(Luke 4:18)
 2. Approximately 25% of Jesus' earthly ministry was casting out demons (See Mark 1:23-26, 34, 3:11, 5:1-13, etc.)
 3. Satan's purpose is to steal, kill, and destroy...ours, as Jesus' body is to bring life (John 10:10)
 4. Jesus cast out devils "by the Spirit of God". (Matt. 12:28) The church, as His body, should do likewise. (John 14:12-14)
 - a. His instruction and promise is "they shall.." (Mark 16:17)
 - b. "Freely give" (Matt. 10:1 & 8)
- B. Children of Israel give us example
1. Land was legally theirs (Jos. 1:2-3)
 2. But they had to possess (take) it (Jos. 1:11)
 3. Enemies still occupied the land of promise (Jos. 3:10)
 4. But enemies had great fear of God's people (Jos. 2:9-11)
- C. What are demons (devils)?
1. Fallen angels that sinned with Lucifer (Satan or the devil) and were cast from Heaven (Rev. 12:4, 9)
 2. Evil spirits operating in the heavenly or spiritual realm doing wickedness (Eph. 6:11-12)
 3. They have a rank and order with more or less authority (Eph. 6:12)
 4. Disembodied - they seek a body to manifest themselves and their nature and character (Luke 11:24, Matt. 12:22)
 - a. They oppress the one indwelt (Acts 10:38, Luke 13:11, 16)
 - b. Occupy the soul and/or body of believers

LESSON 9
HEALING FOR THE BODY

- A. Source of sickness and disease
1. Satan is the source (Job 2:7, Luke 13:16, Acts 10:38)
 2. Not in God's good plan
 - a. Not in first creation (Gen. 1:31)
 - b. Not in heaven (Rev. 21:1, 3)
 - c. Not intended for the New Creation (II Cor. 5:17, Gal. 3:13)
- B. God's will is healing
1. Important to the Lord (III John 2)
 2. Jesus revealed God's will to heal (John 4:34, 6:38)
 - a. Anointed by Holy Spirit to heal - "do good" (Acts 10:38)
 - b. He said, "I will" heal (Mark 1:41)
 - c. He healed them all (Luke 6:17-19, Matt. 15:30-31) of every disease
 3. To Israel, He was Jehovah-Rapha, the Lord that healeth (Ex. 15:26)
 4. God's will has always been healing as well as forgiveness (Ps. 103:2-3)
 - a. New Testament church as well (Acts 5:16)
 5. Healing has already been provided for us (Eph. 1:3). See also Section I "Healing Scriptures"
- C. People don't know God's provision
1. Destroyed by ignorance (Hos. 4:6, Is. 5:13-14)
 2. Healing has already been given (Hos. 11:3, I Peter 2:24)
 3. Jesus bore our sicknesses (Matt. 8:17)
 4. Double mindedness prevents God's blessing from manifestation (Jam. 1:6-8)
- D. Healing from the Word of God
1. God heals thru the Word (Ps. 107:20)

- a. Jesus is the living word (Jn. 1:14)
 - b. The written Word is also alive (Heb. 4:12)
 - c. Does not return void (Is. 55:11)
- 2. Man lives by God's Word (Matt. 4:4)
 - 3. God's Word is the seed that produces a harvest of healing and health. (Mark 4:14-20)
 - 4. Word produces faith (Rom. 10:17) and faith produces the blessing (Gal. 3:5)
 - 5. God's Word is medicine (health) to the body (Prov. 4:20-22)

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G. Problems & Obstacles

1. Doubt - counter with the Word
2. Absence of instant healing
 - a. See Jesus' ministry (Luke 17:14, John 5:52)
 - b. Share Word on faith (Heb. 11:1, II Cor. 4:18, Mark 11:24, Rom. 4:19-21)
 - c. Encourage the patient to stand (Eph. 6:13, Heb. 10:35-36, 10:23, 6:12-15)
3. Alternate plan - identify where person's faith is and try to raise to a higher level with the Word.

H. Holding on to healing

1. Satan comes immediately to steal (Mark 4:15, I Peter 5:8) *John 21:22-23*
2. Must hold it fast (Rev. 2:25)
3. Resist devil and he will flee (James 4:7, I Tim. 6:12)
4. Pain, affliction, ridicule are robbers sent to steal the Word out of the heart.

I. Healing scriptures

Isaiah 53:4-5 ✓

I Peter 2:24 ✓

Matthew 8:17

Galatians 3:13 ✓

Exodus 15:26

Exodus 23:25-26

Psalms 91:1, 10, 16

Psalms 103:2-3 ✓

Psalms 107:20 ✓

James 5:14-15 ✓

Mark 11:23-24 ✓

I John 3:8

Matthew 7:11

James 1:17

Matthew 8:2-3 *I will*

Acts 10:38 *Healed all* ✓

John 10:10

Matthew 9:35 *Healed all*

Hebrews 13:8 *Jesus the same*

John 14:12 *Greater works*

Mark 16:17-18

III John 2

Proverbs 4:20-22

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and the spirit of possessed unbelievers.
(Luke 11:24)

5. Not the old or carnal nature of man which is influenced (not controlled) by demons.
 - a. Carnality yields to prayer (Rom. 6:6, 11-12)
 - b. Demons yield only to resistance and deliverance (James 4:7)
6. Demons are liars (John 8:44) and deceivers (Rev. 12:9, 20:10)

D. Our weapons

1. Not worldly but spiritual (II Cor. 10:3-4)
2. Offensive
 - a. Sword of Spirit - Word of God (Eph. 6:17, Matt. 4:3-11)
 - b. Name of Jesus (Phil. 2:9-11, Matt. 28:18, Luke 10:17-19)
3. Defensive.
 - a. Shield of faith (Eph. 6:16, I Jn. 5:4)
 - b. Other armour (Eph. 6:13-17)
4. Gifts of the Spirit are necessary for effective ministry (I Cor. 12:8-10) See example in Acts 16:16-18
5. Fruits of the Spirit also necessary
 - a. Faith - see above
 - b. Love overcomes hate - good overcomes evil (Rom. 12:14-21)

E. Our authority - delegated power

1. Seated with Jesus spiritually at the place of authority (Eph. 1:22-23, 2:6)
 - a. We received authority when we became "in Christ" at new birth
 - b. We received the power or ability when we were baptized in Holy Spirit (Acts 1:8)
 - c. See story in Acts 19:13-16. They did not have the authority.
2. His enemies will become his footstool (Heb. 10:12-13)
3. Satan has no dominion over us (Col. 1:13, Rom. 6:9, 14)

LESSON 10
HEALING FOR THE BODY, CONT.

E. Methods of receiving healing

1. Anointing with oil (James 5:14-16, Mark 6:13)
 - a. Sick to call - releases his faith
 - b. Oil is symbol of Holy Spirit
2. Prayer of agreement (Matt. 18:19-20)
 - a. Be sure you are agreeing
3. Laying on of hands (Mark 16:17-18)
 - a. Point of contact for release of faith
 - b. Note Jesus in Luke 13:13, Mark 5:23, ^{- Touch and} 8:22-25 ^{Heal} ~~blind men~~
4. Gifts of healings (I Cor. 12:9)
 - a. Still in the church (I Cor. 12:28)
 - b. As the Spirit wills (I Cor. 12:11)
5. Just saying it (Mark 11:23)
 - a. Death & life are in the power of the tongue (Prov. 18:21)
 - b. The centurion's servant (Matt. 8:5-13)
6. Believing prayer (Mark 11:24, Matt. 21:22)
 - a. Believe when you pray regardless of circumstances or physical evidence.

F. Ministering healing

1. Know the healing promises from the Word
2. Be operating in faith yourself (Heb. 4:3)
3. Take patient's spiritual temperature by questioning
 - a. "Do you know God wants you well?"
 - b. "What scripture are you standing on?"
 - c. "What do you want the Lord to do for you?"
4. Deliverance may be needed during the ministry (Luke 6:18, 13:13)
5. Be open to the gifts of the Spirit as aids to faith.
6. Help the person receive by leading them to confess the Word (Mark 11:23, Phil. 2:6, Heb. 4:14, 10:23)

4. Demons must obey God's Word spoken in Jesus' name. They have no choice.
 - a. Binding & Loosing (Matt. 16:19, 12:29, Luke 13:16)
 - b. Satan's armour has been taken away (Luke 11:22)
 - c. He has been openly exposed as a defeated foe (Col. 2:15)
 - d. Jesus destroyed his power (I John 3:8, Heb. 2:14, Rev. 1:18)
 - e. Satan & his demons just roar like a lion (I Pet. 5:8) He can't deliver on his threats unless you receive his fear. This is how he deceives people.
 - f. Demons must be cast out; they cannot be prayed out. Jesus gave the authority to us.

F. Our attitude

1. Hate the demon (Rom. 12:9, Amos 5:15)
2. Love the person
3. Even believers can be oppressed and harrassed by demons (I Tim. 4:1, II Cor. 11:3-4, Gal. 3:1, 4:3, 8-9)
4. Reckon the "greater one" indwells you (I Jhn. 4:4)
5. God won't allow you to be tested beyond your capacity (I Cor. 10:13)

LESSON 12
DELIVERANCE CONT.

G. Dealing with demons

1. First, live a vigilant life (I Pet. 5:8)
2. When attacked, resist (I Pet. 5:9, James 4:7) and draw near to God.
3. If an evil spirit gains entrance, cast him out (Matt. 12:28)
4. Walk (live, abide) in deliverance and freedom by faith and trust in the Lord (Col. 2:6-7, Eph. 6:16)

H. Deliverance technique

1. No pat formula - be led of the Spirit (Matt. 12:28, Luke 11:20)
2. How to identify demon (s)
 - a. Discern - supernaturally thru the spiritual gifts discerning of spirits and word of knowledge as the Spirit wills. Body ministry is important here.
 - b. Detection - observing person's behavior or listening. A force which opposes their own will is demonic.
3. The spirit's name is the description of the character in manifestation; or they will respond when addressed as such.
 - a. Examples: fear, doubt, lust, perversion, timidity, bitterness, infirmity, confusion, torment, destruction, etc.
 - b. Strong man possesses (Matt. 12:29)
 - c. Others come at his invitation (Luke 11:26, 8:30)
4. Ministry steps
 - a. Repentance - the sin which opened the door must be cleansed.
 - b. Renunciation - candidate must willingly renounce Satan and deny him place.
 - c. Prayer - ask God for deliverance and freedom.
 - d. Warfare - demand rights from Satan in Jesus' name. (John 14:13)

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5. Don't ask demon anything - tell him
 - a. "Shut up & come out" (Mark 1:25)
 - b. Talk out loud to the demon
 - c. Command with authority based on God's Word
 - d. Don't stop at one command if necessary. They can be stubborn.
 - e. Warfare is not prayer or begging.
 - f. Loudness does not determine effectiveness. Faith & authority do.
6. Manifestations
 - a. Diversionary tactics during ministry
 1. Sleepiness
 2. Squirming & fussing (children especially)
 3. Fear or doubt by candidate or minister
 4. Interruptions - telephone, etc.
 5. Occasionally violence
 - b. After ministry
 1. Fall down (Mark 9:25-26)
 2. Cough or sneeze or crying
 3. Yawn or throw up
 4. Many others, often surprising
 5. On occasion, no physical manifestation at all
 6. Sometimes just a cessation of the diversionary tactic.
7. Protect yourself with defensive weapons - especially the shield of faith. (Is. 54:17)
 - a. Don't listen to Satan's threats - either from the candidate or in your own mind.
 - b. Remember: "Shut up & come out."
8. The one who ministers
 - a. Best not to minister alone; never to member of opposite sex.
 - b. Fasting sharpens you spiritually
 - c. Praying in tongues ahead of time builds you up.

- 9. Misscellaneous
 - a. Can't cast them "into the pit" (Matt. 8:29-32)
 - b. "Enter no more into him"
 - 1. Jesus said only one time (Mark 9:25)
 - c. Sometimes a deliverance ministry must be done in stages; the person can't receive all of it at once.

- I. Helpful books for additional study
 - a. "Pigs In The Parlor", Frank & Ida Mae Hammond (Impact Books)
 - b. "Can a Christian Have a Demon", Don Basham (Whitaker House)
 - c. "Jesus Taught Me to Cast Out Devils", Norvel Hayes (Manna Christian Outreach)
 - d. "Seven Steps Toward Demon Possession", Lester Sumrall (World Harvest Press)
 - e. "Authority of the Believer", Kenneth E. Hagin (KHEA)
 - f. "The Origin & Operation of Demons", Kenneth E. Hagin (KHEA)
 - g. "Demons and How to Deal with Them", Kenneth E. Hagin (KHEA)
 - h. "Ministering to the Oppressed", Kenneth E. Hagin (KHEA)