

God of Wonders



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- We are God's representatives on earth.
Genesis 1:27 - 28
- We are wonderfully knit together.
Psalm 139:14
- Our thoughts need to change so that our
behaviour can change, to live in the
victory God has given us.
Rom 12:2



- What do we think about? Phil 4:6-9
- When we change our thoughts we overcome anger with that which is good.
Rom 12:20-21



WE ALL NEED A TOUCH FROM GOD



- ▶ **For the self destructive thought patterns in our lives to come to an end.**
- ▶ **To gain God's perspective.**
- ▶ **To start behaving differently.**



1. FAITH THAT GOD WILL TOUCH YOU

- ▶ Mar 5:28 because she thought, "If I just touch His clothes, I will be healed."

- ▶ **PRACTICALLY: PRAYER IS POSITIONING**



2. RIGHT FRIENDS

- ▶ **Mar 2:5** When Jesus saw **their** faith, He said to the paralyzed man, "Son, your sins are forgiven."

- ▶ **PRACTICALLY: CHOOSE THE RIGHT FRIENDS**



3. LISTEN TO THE PROPHET.

- ▶ **2 Kings 5:13** Naaman's servants went to him and said, "My father, if the prophet had told you to do some great thing, would you not have done it? How much more, then, when he tells you, 'Wash and be cleansed'!"
- ▶ **PRACTICALLY: RECEIVE THE INPUT FROM YOUR SPIRITUAL LEADERS**



4. SEE DIFFERENTLY

- ▶ 2 Kings 6:17 And Elisha prayed, "Open his eyes, LORD, so that he may see."
- ▶ **PRACTICALLY: DON'T LOOK AT YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES. BELIEVE WHAT GOD'S WORD SAYS.**



5. PRAISE THE LORD, WORK WITH HIS VICTORY FOR YOU!

- ▶ **2 Chron 20:22** As they began to sing and praise, the LORD set ambushes against the men of Ammon and Moab and Mount Seir who were invading Judah, and they were defeated.
- ▶ **PRACTICALLY: HONOUR (PRAISE AND WORSHIP) GOD IN THE MIDST OF...**



6. DON'T FEAR (ACTS 1:8)

- ▶ Luk 12:4 I tell you, my friends, do not be afraid of those who kill the body and after that can do no more...
- ▶ 1 Joh 4:18 There is no fear in love. But perfect love drives out fear, because fear has to do with punishment. The one who fears is not made perfect in love



▶ **Judges 11:1**

▶ **1 Sam 16:18** One of the servants answered, "I have seen a son of Jesse of Bethlehem who knows how to play the lyre. He is a brave man and a warrior. He speaks well and is a fine-looking man. And the LORD is with him."

▶ **PRACTICALLY: BE BOLD, BE BRAVE, DON'T FEAR.**



7. LOVE FOR OTHERS (1 COR 13)

▶ 1 Cor 13:1-13

- ▶ Mar 10:21 Jesus looked at him and loved him. "One thing you lack," He said. "Go, sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me."



- ▶ **Gal 5:13** You, my brothers and sisters, were called to be free. But do not use your freedom to indulge the flesh; rather, serve one another humbly in love.
- ▶ **Gal 5:14** For the entire law is fulfilled in keeping this one command: "Love your neighbor as yourself."

▶ **PRACTICALLY: LOVE YOUR NEIGHBOUR**

