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The Door

What if I told you there was a door that led to treasure and all you had to do was open it. I am not talking about a billion dollar lottery to fulfill every material desire, for what amount of money can save you from death and destruction. I am talking about treasure that is beyond price... something that supersedes the natural and creates in the supernatural.

John 10:7,9 Verily, verily, I say unto you, I am the door of the sheep. 9 I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved, and shall go in and out, and find pasture.

This Scripture has been classi-

fied as ONLY a salvation Scripture, but I am telling you the door is there for whenever you need saving...for any situation. Look at the wording under the Hebrew translation for door: *portal which is the entry way and the exit way.* It is a way created by God. There are situations we desire to enter but some we need to exit. This door leads to both. A way to prosperity and a way out of ruin and despair. Jesus, Himself IS THE DOOR. He is not *at the door or on the other side of the door...HE IS THE DOOR!*

Salvation is the Hebrew word *yeshû'âh*— something *saved*, that is: *aid, victory, prosperity, deliverance, health, help (-ing),*

salvation, save, saving (health), welfare.

Yeshuah is Jesus the door.

Recently praying for a friend with a health issue, I perceived a door in my spirit that was right in front of her. I had the understanding that all she needed to do was open and enter for her healing. When she entered my house she willingly entered the door of prayer. Literally she opened and went through the Jesus door acknowledging Jesus as her answer.

What is of more value than having a door right in front of us that leads to the pasture of aid, victory, prosperity, deliv-

erance, health and our welfare?

That door is not a once saved then gone door. Once you have opened the door to Jesus that door is yours for your stay here on earth. It is your “get out of jail free” door when you depart this earth.

You have access. Open the door.



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Flesh Is Weak/Spirit Is Willing

Jesus' Words have eternal meaning. Like a diamond, His Words are timeless and multifaceted. For example just look at this Scripture: ***Matt 26:41 Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.***

Our spirit is ageless though our

body fails here and there with age. Our spirit is eternal and WILLING without age or deterioration. Our spirit will continue even when our flesh has decomposed.

That little word WILLING has new meaning to me. It is the word *próthumon*. Pro is to say in the fore front, superior,

ready, willing, alacrity.

You have heard of someone losing a limb, like an arm or leg etc., yet they can still feel it as if it was still there. It is still there! Just because your flesh fails or is damaged does not mean your spirit was. Your spirit is still intact.

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Look at this Scripture with new eyes: **Prov 17:22** *A merry heart (mind/thinking) doeth good like a medicine: but a broken spirit drieth the bones.*

What does a broken spirit mean? It is the word *nākā'* meaning to drive away, reject or separate from. Going back to Matt 26:41, the disciples followed their weary flesh and they slept. Even though their spirit was fully ready and willing, they separated from their spirit and succumbed to the directive of flesh, which was sleep.

Just imagine if we would actually put our spirit in the forefront with the endless potential it has over the flesh. It is the supernatural part of us that we do not use. It is the 90 percent of the brain that the flesh merely uses 10...on a good day. Mankind wastes its most valued part.

Here is another potent Scripture: **Rom 8:10-11** *And if Christ be in you, the body is dead because of sin; but the Spirit is life because of righteousness. 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 spirit living in us can quicken the mortal body. Quicken is *zoo-poieo*: to vitalize, make alive, give life to

Our spirit is the most vital person of us yet untapped. It is the miracle of who we are reaching bounds beyond the natural. How do we tap into the most important part of us? To answer that we must understand what came first the chicken or the egg...flesh or spirit: **John 1:1-4** *In the begin-*

ning was the Word (spiritual divine thought), and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 The same was in the beginning with God. 3 All things were made by him; and without him was not any thing made that was made. 4 In him was life; and the life was the light (shine or make manifest) of men.

God is Word and Word is God. God, in "divine thought", proceeded to speak forth: **"Let there be light."** God's Spirit produced light. God's Spirit dwells in us and is alive through His Word. Life for the body is in the blood and our spirit was quickened by receiving the blood of Jesus. Our spirit is fed through the Word, which in turn quickens our mortal parts as we digest and apply the Word.

One of the most vital parts of access to our spirit...brace yourself...**1 Cor 14:14-19** *For if I pray in an unknown tongue, my spirit prayeth, but my understanding is unfruitful. 15 What is it then? I will pray with the spirit, and I will pray with the understanding also: I will sing with the spirit, and I will sing with the understanding also. 16 Else when thou shalt bless with the spirit, how shall he that occupieth the room of the unlearned say Amen at thy giving of thanks, seeing he understandeth not what thou sayest? 17 For thou verily givest thanks well, but the other is not edified. 18 I thank my God, I speak with tongues more than ye all: 19 Yet in the church I had rather speak five words with my understanding, that by my voice I might teach others also, than ten thousand words in an unknown tongue.*

I pray in the spirit with the under-

standing. The understanding is what I speak or write in my "known tongue". Now there is so much controversy about praying in tongues. I am not interested in debating the issue of tongues and interpretation. The language of the Scriptures is the language of Truth and the most important tongue and language there is. Paul was saying that in verse 19, I believe. Praying in the spirit was not something I was raised believing, since I was not even sure who the Holy Spirit was other than just a third name in the Trinity. I discovered praying in the spirit when praying for a young girl with Hodgkin's lymphoma. I was prostrate before the Lord praying every Scripture that came to mind until I had exhausted all I knew to pray. I was like the boy repeating the alphabet over and over because he did not know what he needed to pray. In giving the Lord the alphabet, he allowed God to pick out the letters for the right words he needed. It was then that the Scripture came to me: **Rom 8:26-27** *Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered. 27 And he that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because he maketh intercession for the saints according to the will of God.*

Like I said before, I am not interested in debating what this Scripture means to anyone else. In that moment I was a willing vessel yielding to the Holy Spirit. Something in me, that I had not known before, began to release my spirit in a divine power of prayer that I had never known or experienced. That same week the little girl I had prayed for was healed.

I will tell you that throughout the next 43 years my spirit has touched God's Spirit and His Spirit mine. My spirit has a voice greater than my own reasoning or intellect. I do not err with prayers of my flesh when my spirit is in the forefront. Whether it be right in the sight of God to hearken unto the controversies on the subject of tongues more than unto God, judge it for yourself. For I cannot but speak the things which I have seen and heard in the Lord by the Spirit. (Acts 4:19-20)

Christians have relied on our senses, feelings and fleshly desires as our rudder steering us, while our spirit, the most ignored part of us, can soar in the supernatural and miraculous.

Let me just say that it is not our spirit that is anxious, depressed, aged, sickly, paralyzed, deaf and blind or stressed...those things are in the flesh of man. Our spirit is intact and if our soul would apply, react and live more closely the Word of God, it would quicken our mortal body into the submission of the miraculous.

Our spirit does not doubt but is ever ready to perform, to lead and guide us into a prosperity that reaches beyond price.

Jesus said it best this way: **John 16:12-13** *I have yet many things to say unto you, but ye cannot bear them now. 13 Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.*

In most cases the flesh needs the back seat.

Form Of Religion

2 Tim 3:1-5 This know also, that in the last days perilous times shall come. 2 For men shall be lovers of their own selves, covetous, boasters, proud, blasphemers, disobedient to parents, unthankful, unholy, 3 Without natural affection, trucebreakers, false accusers, incontinent, fierce, despisers of those that are good, 4 Traitors, heady, high-minded, lovers of pleasures more than lovers of God; 5 Having a form of godliness, but denying the power thereof: from such turn away.

Out of all of that, which we can definitely see in our world today, the thing standing out most to me is in verse 5. *Having the form of godliness* or the original word *morphoosis* signifying a draught, sketch, or summary, applying to those who have all their religion in their creed, confession of faith, catechism, bodies of divinity, etc., while destitute of the life of God in Spirit and power.

Love is one, if not THE greatest power of God. God loved the stinky, sinning world so much that He wrapped Himself in flesh and died for us. He was the Good that died for the bad and ugly.

I believe the hardest people to convert is the religious holding a

form of piety yet rejecting power of God.

In the Triune Godhead we see God the Creator, Jesus the Redeemer and the Holy Spirit as the Power of God. The supernatural gifts and fruit are of God's Spirit.

There are many things that divide the church from its own body by different interpretations making doctrinal forms of religion identifiable to a particular sect of denomination. These lines are drawn in the sand that restrict where to extend our acceptance or more like except-ance.

Many Christians trump the power of the Holy Spirit believing that the Holy Spirit came only in the day of the apostles and then left the earth not to be seen or heard.

What was the Tower of Babel if not man making his own doctrine and building his own way to heaven. Many, like the church of the Fathers, which denied the Word that became flesh and walked among them, continue in that same form of religion. The Jewish faith was based on the Word of God through men of God, yet through the generations they created more addendums to it building doctrines of man. Jesus broke their doctrinal rules,

so they cast Him out.

Saul of Tarsus was one of the most religious of Pharisees. Was he about ministering to the poor and weak about a God who loved them? No, he was about stopping the early church because they were not in compliance with his doctrine. It was the religious Sauls for which Jesus had the harshest of words. Only the hungry could receive Jesus, no matter what day of the week it was or whether in a temple or by the seashore. Jesus did not consider the gender or race. He was not politically or religiously correct. Religion rejected Him and in so doing had only the form of godliness but rejected the power thereof.

Jesus said it best. ***Matt 11:5-6 The blind receive their sight, and the lame walk, the lepers are cleansed, and the deaf hear, the dead are raised up, and the poor have the gospel preached to them. 6 And blessed is he, whosoever shall not be offended in me.***

I wonder if Jesus visited each church, stood up and gave a personal Word for them, whether He would be received or rejected? I believe Jesus is come in the flesh to many churches today and been rejected. *1 John 4:2-3*

Hereby know ye the Spirit of God: Every spirit that confesseth that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is of God: 3 And every spirit that confesseth not that Jesus Christ is come in the flesh is not of God: and this is that spirit of anti-christ, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world.

I believe just as in the early days that the Word is being written by testimonies currently happening through the power of God by His Holy Spirit through Jesus wrapped in the children of God. *John 21:25 And there are also many other things which Jesus did (does), the which, if they should be written every one, I suppose that even the world itself could not contain the books that should be written. Amen. KJV*

This Scripture in the original reads slightly different, in that, instead of past tense it makes it present tense. In other words, it reads: *"...and there are also many other things which Jesus DOES, which, if they should be written..." etc. etc.* The power of God has not stopped. "Many things" are being etched in the hearts of many today whether written or testified.

Knock, Knock... Who's There?

Who do you know that is the most unlikely leader holding a high position being totally thought as unqualified? Whose main theme is to drain the swamp of corruption? Whose character could be described as: politically incorrect, offensive, abrasive, unpolished, insulting, name-calling, castigating and harsh yet can draw huge crowds

many might refer to as "deplorables"? Who is it that can make the political arena break out in hives while foaming at the mouth?

Knock, knock... Who's there? Of course you know of him well. He is none other than John the Baptist of whom Jesus said, *"Verily I say unto you, Among them that are born of women there hath*

not risen a greater than John the Baptist..."

He pointed out corruption from the top down to purge the swamp of sin. He was admired and loved but hated with a vehemence by those who felt threatened by the changes he was making.

Great though he was, he was imprisoned then beheaded by the malice of a liaison, but then the One who called him great was crucified. Corruption has never been able to handle truth. John was a fore-runner to Jesus, which makes me wonder if we are coming to the last "Trump".

Heart Language

There are many languages of different nationalities, centuries, genders, spirit, and generation etc., yet the one least understood is the language of the heart. It is as unique as a fingerprint.

God also has a heart language. All creation has a voice expressing an awesome God. All the Words and actions of Jesus, He credited to God.

Sometimes our heart language is misunderstood because it is so unique that another ear might misinterpret...I said this/ but he heard that or he said this/ but I heard that. If you think the language was confounded at Babel...that ain't nuthin' compared to the confusion and misunderstanding of our heart language. God is never confused by it and knows our heart perfectly, which is good to know.

God's heart language is expressed best in this well known Scripture: *John 3:16-17 For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten*

Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but have everlasting life. 17 For God sent not his Son into the world to condemn the world; but that the world through him might be saved.

There is no greater love.

God's Word is translated in almost every language known to the world, yet not everyone sees the same God because of the way we receive His Word through our own interpretation. God is not created by us; we are created by Him. We did not think God into being; He thought us into being.

Men of old interpreted God to say many things that Jesus restated in God's own Words: *Matt 5:38-39 Ye have heard that it hath been said, An eye for an eye, and a tooth for a tooth: 39 But I say unto you, That ye resist not evil: but whosoever shall smite thee on thy right cheek, turn to him the other also.*

Matt 5:43-44 Ye have heard

that it hath been said, Thou shalt love thy neighbour, and hate thine enemy. 44 But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;

The vast differences from the Old Testament to the New is that good men of God interpreted God, but Jesus WAS God. (Read Matt 5:20-45)

You know how easy it is to misread the intent of a text message...well, God left the biggest text called the Bible and an unbelievable amount has been misread.

God said/ but I heard can be problematic for us, yet God understands all matters of the heart, which is why He said it like this: *Ps 103:13-14 Like as a father pitieth his children, so the LORD pitieth them that fear him. 14 For he knoweth our frame; he remembereth that we are dust.*

Knowing that our interpretation of another's heart is faulty, we need to remember that we do not know another's frame like God does. It is far better to extend grace rather than assumption when in doubt.

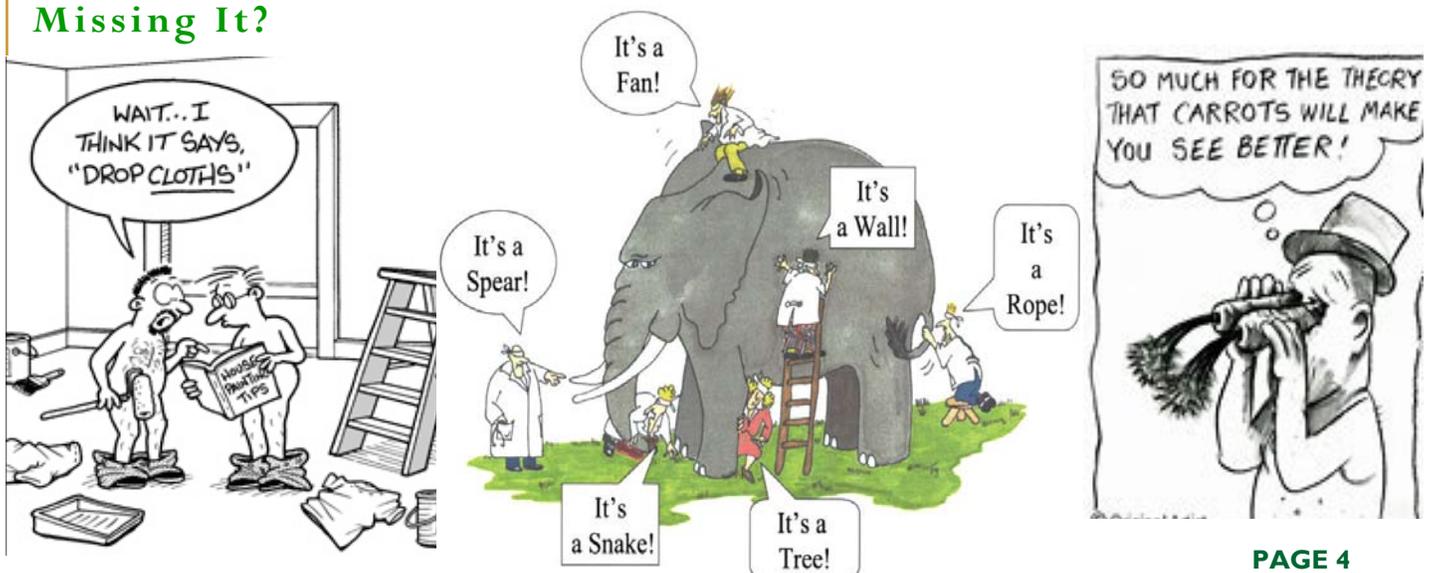
Often many times the soul wounds that people unconsciously carry can get bumped into by something said that had no ill intent, yet the tender area triggers a response...she said/ but I heard etc.

I would rather be guilty of grace than judge something unfairly.

1 Cor 2:11 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.

With enough tension and misunderstanding in the world: *Rom 12:18-19 If it is possible, as far as it depends on you, live at peace with everyone. (NIV)*

Missing It?



A Woman Of Means

As of this writing I am a 69 year old woman, Christian, friend, teacher, writer, wife, mother, grandmother, cousin, aunt, and niece. My loving parents are with Jesus as many of those who touched my life in wonderful and amazing ways.

Even though at times we may all feel alone, I am never a lonely person. You have heard the saying "I'll have my people get in touch with your people." I am someone's person and I have people. It is what makes me a wealthy woman.

There are millionaires that cannot buy what I have because included, as well as the grandest part of my people, is One who created me and my destiny, One who saved, healed and delivered me and a supernatural Sidekick who comforts and directs me. That last Trio is the biggest part of who I am, what I do, and who holds the path of my journey and destination. Yes, I am indeed a woman of means.

Life has not always been in my

favor, for just as I have experienced the good, there have also been the bad and ugly. Yet, looking back over the 69 years, I have chosen to embrace everything that has brought me to a "learning place" for growth.

Stagnation is the thief that depresses the soul and dulls the heart. It gives no opportunity of discovery but leads a flat life void of the carbonation of inner joy in reaching beyond ourselves. There is nothing of substance living in the place of a hollow self and for this many end their lives for lack of value or knowing what is worthy.

I do not believe I could know happiness without sorrow. I could not trust without first experiencing worry. I know grace though all my mistakes and being mistaken. I know how to forgive by being forgiven and knowing how it feels when not. I have learned that I would prefer being disliked rather than tolerated because it feels the same but makes the giver of it seem the

better. In conclusion...I have learned, yet not at the end of the lessons.

Yes, people are complicated packages that sometimes we do not even want to tackle opening to find out what's inside. I get that, however, I have been a loner at one time in my life and now I have people, and I can tell you it has worth and value that comes into play when you least expect it and most need it.

In the family of God, we have pedigree with papers...well, we are on paper in the Book of the Living all of our members are written. We are given eternal life through Christ. Do you realize that we are chosen? You and I were purchased in the most expensive deal ever paid in blood! What we also choose matters.

The world has devalued people when "they" devalued birth and the elderly. They abort life and allow you to end it, when back in

the early days of my youth it was against the law.

Today's millennials have relationship with technologies. Their conversation is text. Their "people" are internet, which means you can be honest or a catfish with fake ID.

Text cannot give you a hug when you need human arms around you. It cannot hold your hand or wipe your tear. We need human touches. This is also why we need real people.

God was written by godly men of old and translated by the reader, but God became real by wrapping Himself in the flesh of man. Today Jesus is wrapped in the skin of His children. We know Him from His text to us, but we feel, see and hear Him in His children.

I have Jesus and I have my people...and I am a woman of means.

While You Were Sleeping

Matt 1:20 But while he thought on these things, behold, the angel of the Lord appeared unto him in a dream, saying, Joseph, thou son of David, fear not to take unto thee Mary thy wife: for that which is conceived in her is of the Holy Ghost.

The conscious mind has its own thoughts that, more often than not, congest the mind in a number of scenarios that the answer becomes easily lost. Yet, if you read the article on page 1 and 2 about the spirit, you realize you have a perfect spirit that touches God's Spirit. Your spirit holds answers

that the carnal mind merely conveys to confusion. ***Acts 2:17-18 And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams: 18 And on my servants and on my handmaidens I will pour out in those days of my Spirit; and they shall prophesy:***

When we finally dim the light of our mind in sleep the spirit, which does not sleep, becomes

active in sorting out the blurr. That is why often when we are freshly awake, even though we may not remember what we might have received in our spirit, we can feel more resolved about what we will do. This then goes through the reasoning of the carnal mind, and thoughts can get overwhelmed all over again.

We need to recognize that activity of our spirit. ***Acts 2:17-18 And it shall come to pass in the last days, saith God, I will pour out of my Spirit upon all flesh: and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young***

men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams: 18 And on my servants and on my handmaidens I will pour out in those days of my Spirit; and they shall prophesy:

Of course not all dreams are spiritually significant nor are they for old men only.

I learned to welcome the Holy Spirit to tell me the things I may not be getting until I put my carnal mind to sleep. If you had not thought of doing this, allow me to make the suggestion. The Holy Spirit can see what we cannot and will steer us in the right direction.