



World Victory Church

“From Healing to Wholeness” part 4 Sun July 1, 2018

Foundation Scripture: ***Psalm 103:1-5***

I. ***III John 1:2***

A. Even as your soul prospers

1. Remember, you are a 3 part being

- Spirit, soul, and body
- If you want to prosper and be in health in this life, you must first establish the principles in your spirit and soul (***Prov. 4:23*** “*Keep your heart with all diligence, for out of it (spirit & soul) flow the issues of life.*”)

2. Disease Prevention not Disease Management

B. Spiritual Roots Identified (Connections with the Soul & Spirit)

1. ***Abandonment & Self-Rejection*** (At the very top of the list) – ***Psalm 27:10***

- This is where auto-immune diseases have their spiritual root: self-rejection, self-hatred, self-bitterness, judgment, blame, and guilt. Abandonment & Abuse are also key factors in homosexuality (demon spirit – discuss later)

2. ***Un-forgiveness & Bitterness*** – ***Hebrews 12:15***

3. ***The Spirit of Fear*** – ***II Timothy 1:7, Philippians 4:6, Job 3:25***

- Anxiety and Stress are major factors that are side-effects of fear

4. ***Envy & Jealousy*** (Covetousness) – ***Proverbs 14:30***

5. ***Pride & The Hardened Heart*** - (***Proverbs 16:18, Mark 16:14*** – destitution of spiritual perception)

6. ***Broken Spirit*** – ***Proverbs 17:22*** (*Broken – smitten, afflicted, wounded*)

7. ***Generational Curses*** – ***Exodus 20:5***

II. Understanding Demons & Disease

A. ***Ephesians 6:10-13***

1. 4 classes of demons: *principalities, powers, rulers of darkness of this world, spiritual wickedness in high places*

2. ***Matthew 8:16*** – Understanding the difference between a sickness that exists under the curse and a demon-influenced disease.

- ***Mark 9:22-25*** Deaf & Dumb Spirit in a child
- ***John 9:6-7*** Blind man who had no eyesight (Why did Jesus use dirt in this case and at other times, simply lay hands on them?)

B. ***Luke 13:10-13***

1. Spirit of Infirmity – this is how the scripture classifies many common ailments that exist today: Migraines, Bi-polar, Dementia, Alzheimer’s, Tourette, Parkinsons, Epilepsy, Spinal Diseases (Scoliosis, Spinal Stenosis, Degenerative Disc Disease, Osteoporosis, Muscle Atrophy, etc.), etc...

2. A person with a demon must have it cast out, then healing will come. You cannot pray for healing when a demon is the root problem!

C. **Matthew 12:43-45**

1. Yes, Christians can have a demon; it's actually quite common in fact (Greek word is demonized – understanding the human anatomy)
2. Viruses – Intelligent in Nature which defies common bacteria that abides under the law of the curse (**Viruses** are even smaller than **bacteria** and require living hosts — such as people or animals — to multiply. Otherwise, they can't survive. When a **virus** enters a body, it invades some of the cells and takes over the cell machinery, redirecting it to produce the **virus**.) (In recent times, viral infections have been responsible some major outbreaks: the 1918-1919 “Spanish [flu](#)” epidemic that killed 20-40 million people; the Bubonic Plague had numerous outbreaks from 1350-1720, including smaller outbreaks in the early 1900's, killing an estimated 100+million)
3. From Oppression (Harassment) to Possession (Ownership – my house – Legion in Mark 5)
 - Addictions and Disease scripturally qualified: Since addictions cannot be medically explained and since they are properly grouped into behavior issues, they cannot and should never be mentioned as a disease. This is a Satanic ploy to keep people from knowing the truth!
 - Addicts have a drive on the inside of them that they are unable to control; that drive is a demon.