

God's Provision
for People's
Healing, Health,
and Wellness

A Comprehensive Overview

Do You Know Anyone with Any of These Issues?

- Cardiovascular
- Heart issues
- Cancer
- Allergies
- Autoimmune issues
- Lung /breathing issues
- Attention issues
- Hormone issues
- Thyroid hypo/hyper
- Sensitivity to fragrance
- Sensitivity to chemicals
- Food intolerance
- High cholesterol / low
- Pain
- Back issues
- Diabetes/Hypoglycemia
- Gall bladder issues
- Prostate issues
- Tumors/cysts
- Infertility/Sterility
- Acid reflux/heartburn
- Skin issues
- Toxicity issues
- Osteoporosis
- Stress
- High blood pressure/low
- Sleep issues
- Digestion issues
- Joint pain/ Arthritic
- Headaches
- Overweight/ Underweight
- Sinus issues
- Circulation issues
- Gout
- Depression
- _____

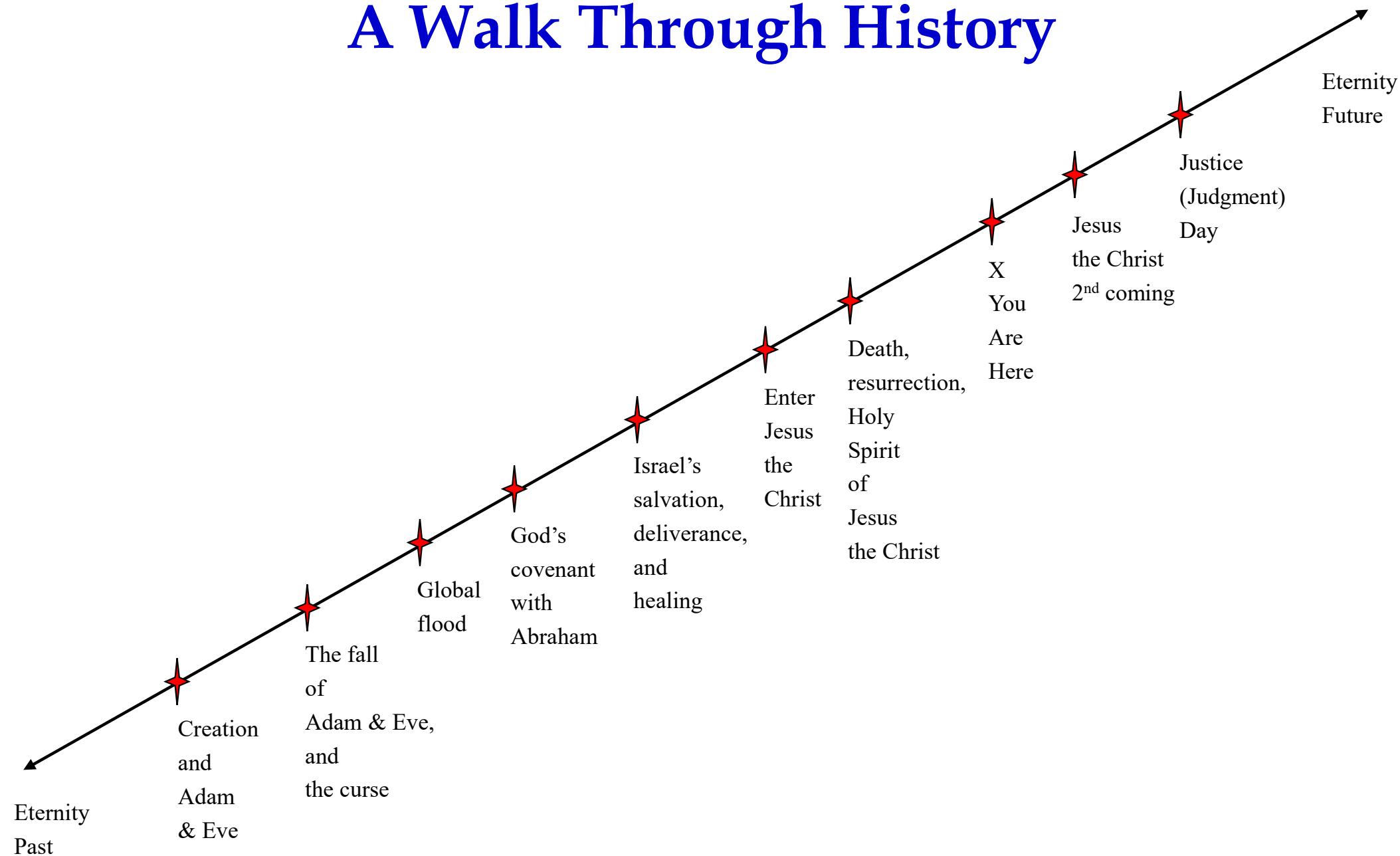
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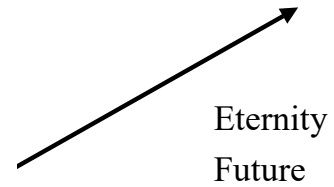
- Compulsive alcohol use
- Compulsive drug use
- Prescription drug abuse
- Compulsive spending
- Obsessive working
- Obsessive sports
- Obsessive gambling
- Obsessive exercise
- Obsessive social media
- Obsessive TV / Internet
- Addiction
- Eating disorder(s)
- Hoarding
- Rage
- Chronic sadness
- Fear / Anxiety
- Phobia(s)
- Perfectionist
- Driven
- Compulsive
- Obsessive
- Gluttony
- Codependent
- Post traumatic stress
- Religious righteousness
- Happy fixation/denial
- Stress
- Worry
- Self abusing
- Excessive talking
- Inordinately quiet
- Chronic lust thoughts
- Unsettled mind
- Controlling
- Controlled / passive
- Victimizing
- Approval addiction
- Inordinate pet affection
- _____

What You're About to Receive

- Why people have issues
- Why Christians have them at the same rate as non-Christians
- How they can be prevented
- How we can be healed and well
- How to help others be healed and well

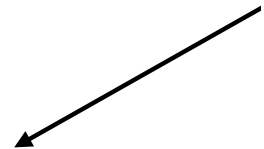
A Walk Through History





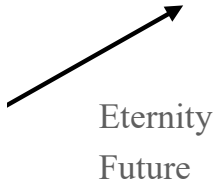
The Context

God's Outrageous
Love for Each of Us



Eternity
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God's Outrageous Love for You



1 John 4:8 declares, “God is love”

The universe, staggering in its vastness and complexity, is ruled entirely by love.

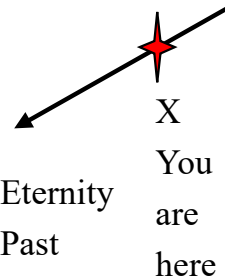
Even before He laid down earth's foundations, Father-God had you in mind. He had settled on you as the focus of His love.

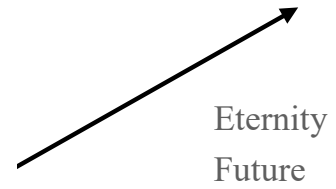
God loves you one hundred percent, one hundred percent of the time—regardless of your past, present, and future. God is love.

The (false) suspicion that we can somehow be separated from God's love is the primary root of every form of stress, tension, worry, fear, and anxiety, and the cure for it is **knowing** that nothing can tear us from God's love, ever. It is life-changing, life-enriching to **know** that deep and comforting truth: that our eternal spiritual self is more real than anything we perceive in this physical realm, and has a divine connection to the infinite love of Father-God the Creator!

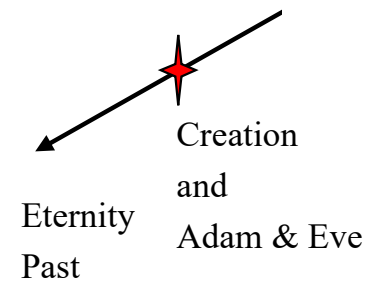
(1 John 4:7-8,16; Romans 8:37-39; 1 Corinthians 13:4-7)

For greater understanding, visit www.gotchoices.net/godslove

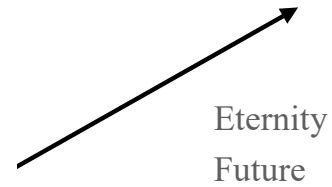




“In the Beginning...”

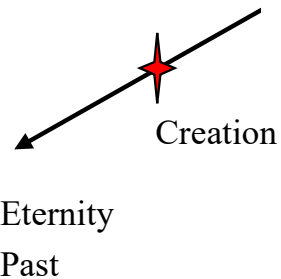


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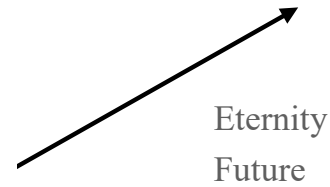


The Kingdom of God is universal

- A kingdom is a system of government
- God
 - Supreme moral Governor of the universe
 - Author of physical universe
 - Author of “heavens” including angels, spirit beings
 - Everything in harmony with His plan; “**very good**” (Genesis 1; Job 38; Daniel 4:17, 25, 32, 35)

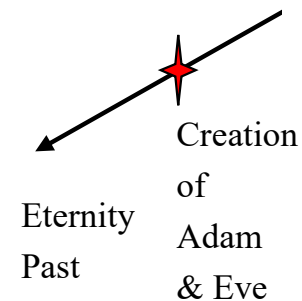


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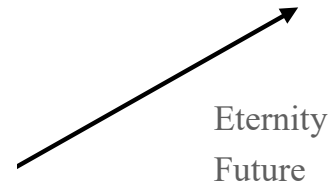


Origin of the First Human Body

- *Adam*
 - “...The LORD God formed a man's body from the dust of the ground and breathed into it the breath of life. And the man became a living person.”
 - Genesis 2:7; see also Acts 17:25; 1 Corinthians 15:45; Job 33:4; Isaiah 64:8; Ecclesiastes 12:7
 - God is the Author of the human body and life

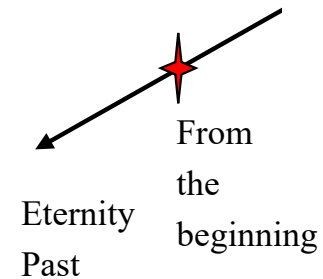


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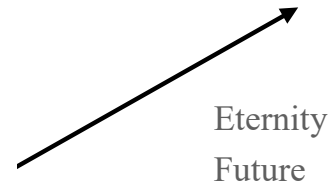


God's Purpose For The Human Body

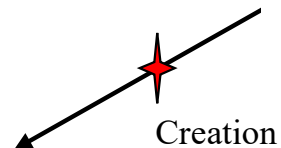
- "...Your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit, who lives in you and was given to you by God..."
 - 1 Corinthians 6:20; see also 1 Corinthians 3:16; 1 Thessalonians 5:23; Romans 12:1



Formation of the Human Body

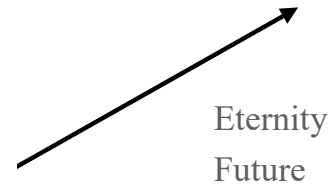


- “I [God] knew you before I formed you in your mother's womb...”
 - Jeremiah 1:5; see also Isaiah 49:1; Galatians 1:15
- “...You [God] made all the delicate, inner parts of my body and knit me together in my mother's womb. Thank you for making me so wonderfully complex! Your workmanship is marvelous – and how well I know it. My frame was not hidden from you when I was made in the secret place. When I was woven together in the depths of the earth, your eyes saw my unformed body...”
 - Psalm 139:13-16; see also Isaiah 49:5; Job 33:4
- **God is the Author of the human body and the law of reproduction**



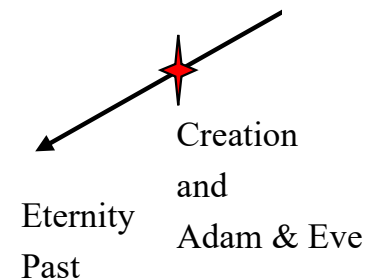
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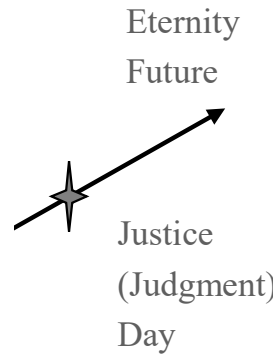


The Kingdom of God is universal

- A kingdom is a system of government
- *Adam & Eve*:
 - Crowned rulers of the Earth and all things therein
 - Participated with God
 - All needs provided, in abundance
 - Including health — “**very good**”
 - No worries; stress-free
- Genesis 1:26-2:15; Psalm 8:4-8; Hebrews 2:7-8



The Fall of Adam & Eve (Humankind)



- Satan deceived Adam & Eve, causing The Fall from dominion (Genesis 3)
- Satan gained the rulership through deception (Genesis 3)
- Earth changed **governments** — to Satan's kingdom

(Gen.3; Lk.4; John 12:31; 14:30; 2 Corinthians 4:4; Ephesians 2:2; 6:12; 1 John 5:19)

- Fear (stress) came

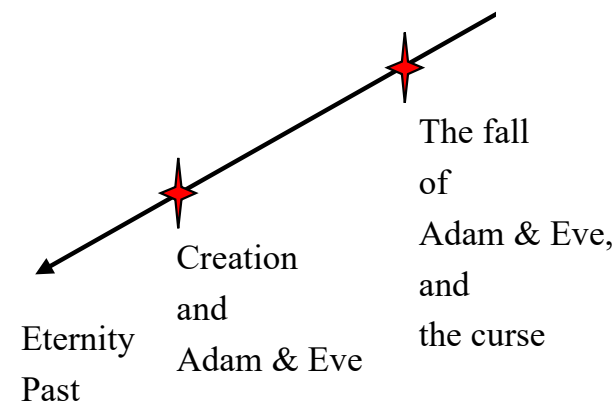
“...I became afraid...” —*Adam*

(Gen. 3:10-11; see also 2 Timothy 1:7;

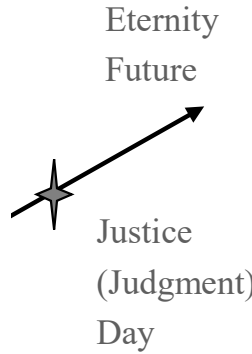
1 John 4:18; Romans 8:15)

- God therefore delivered to Adam the catastrophic news:

- **“Cursed is the earth because of you...”** (Gen.3:17-19; Romans 8:19-23; Rev.21:4; 22:3)



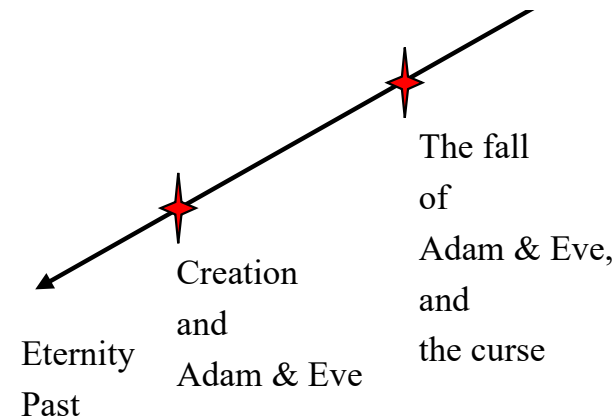
Cursed World System Into Effect



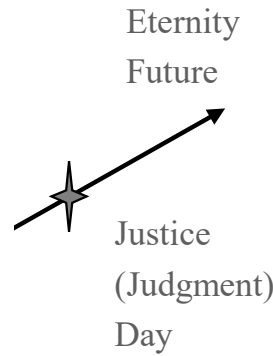
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- Stress (fear) came
“...I became afraid...”
(Gen. 3:10-11 ; see also 2 Timothy 1:7; 1 John 4:18)
- Corruption, disease, and death now reigned on the earth (Rom.5:12)
- Adam & Eve (and therefore humankind) came under a cursed, foul government system
- Satan’s fraudulent kingdom could not freely provide what human race needed, including health & wellness

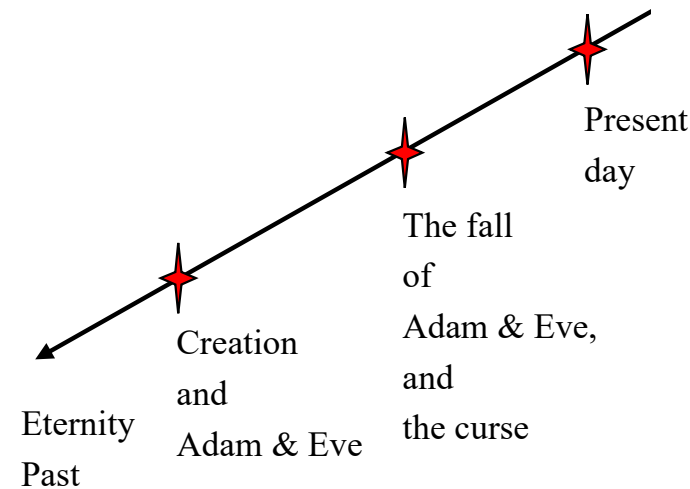


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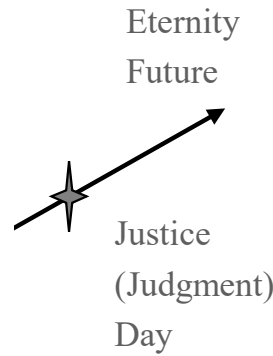


- The cursed world government system still in effect today
(Gen.3; Lk.4; Jn.12:31; 14:30; 2 Cor.4:4; Eph.2:2; 6:12; 1 Jn.5:19)

- Death obviously reigns
 - Normally progressive disease or issue(s)
 - Normally slow, miserable, expensive
- Cursed system what we're raised in



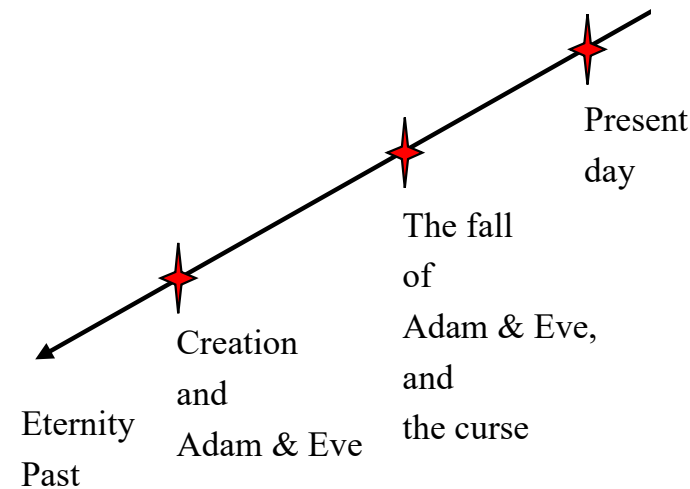
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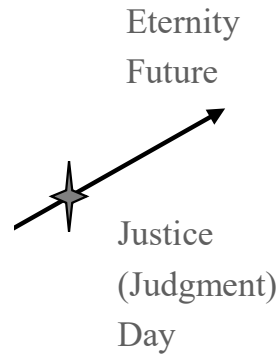
- Cursed system what we're raised in
 - “Normal”
 - Mindset deeply ingrained
 - Operates beyond conscious level
 - Fear (stress) is now “normal”
 - “75 – 90% of visits to the doctor are related to stress”

—*National Institutes of Health*

- Health & wellness require labor—time, energy, and money
- For some, health & wellness not even at birth

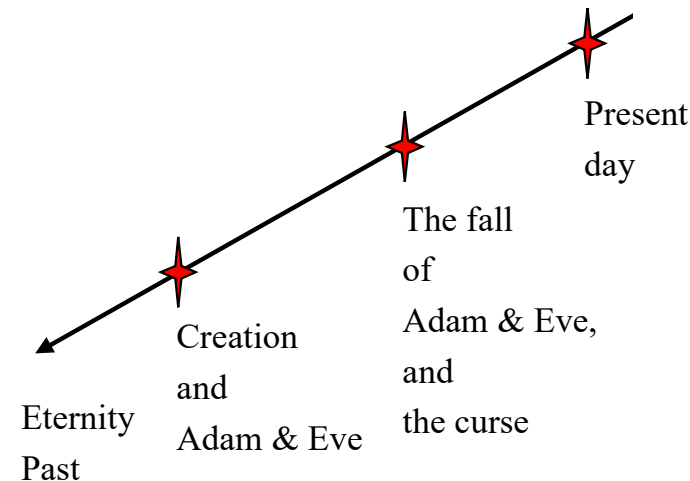


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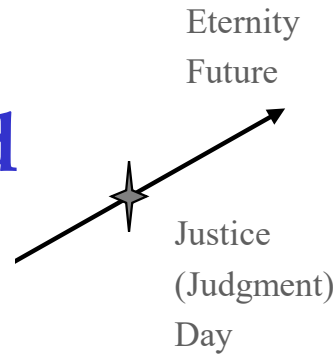


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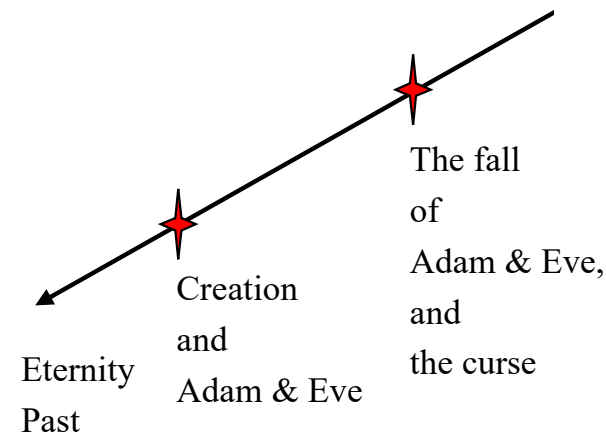
- Fear (stress) is now “normal”
- Pharmaceutical remedies
 - Gazillion dollar global business
 - Commonplace
- Numerous surgical remedies
- “Alternative” and “natural” remedies markets utterly exploding
- 1 Kings 15:23-24; 2 Chronicles 16:12-14; Jeremiah 17:5-13; Mark 5:26-34



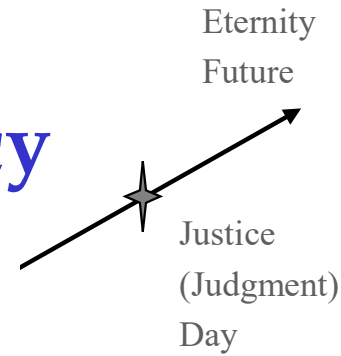
Health Was Normal Before Sin Entered



- Health was normal — “**very good**” before sin entered this world
(Gen. 1:26-31; Gen 2:17)
- Death entered through sin as part of the curse
(Genesis 3:17-19; Rom. 5:12-21)
- Issues originated with sin
(Lev. 26; Deut. 28:15-61; Romans 6:12-16, 7:20—8:13; see also following 177 Scriptures)
- Please note that not every person's health issue is a direct result of some personal sin (John 9:1-7; 11:4)



Cursed World System, and God's Mercy



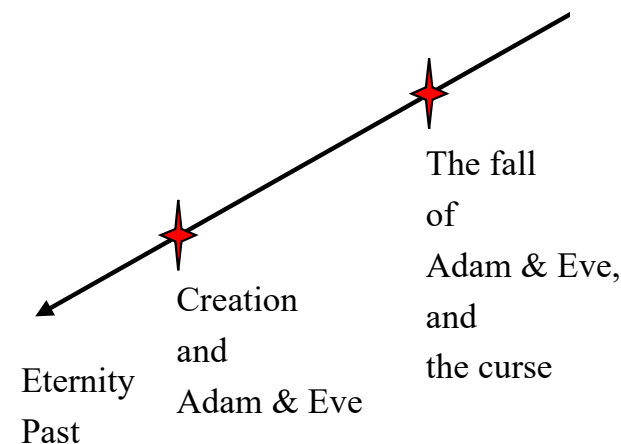
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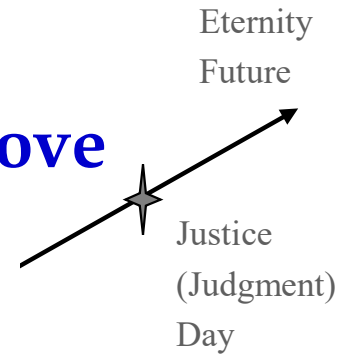
- God compassionately, mercifully gave corrupted humankind a chance to continue faith in the coming Redeemer (Gen.3:15)

- Animal (blood) sacrifice – required for God to participate with corrupted people
(Gen.3:21; Leviticus 17:11; Hebrews 7:21; 9:26; 10:1-14; 13:12)

- A foreshadowing of Messiah – Christ the Redeemer

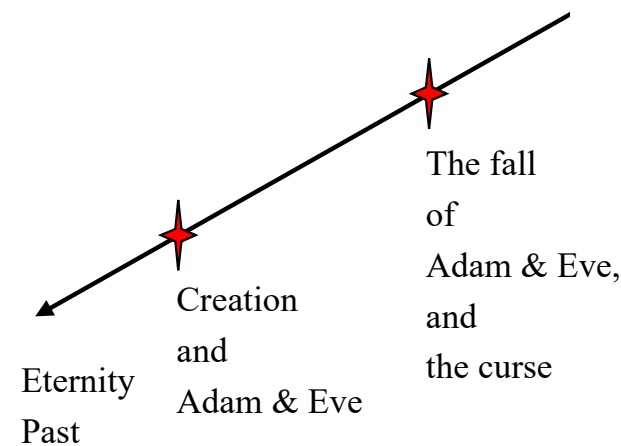


Cursed World System, and God's Benevolent Love

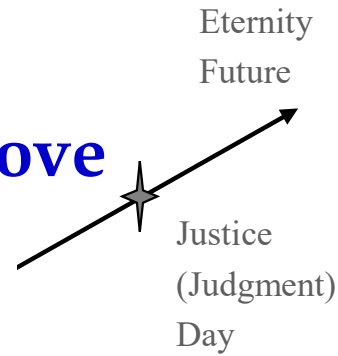


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- From that moment on, the ultimate purpose of God in all His dealings with man is to bring him back to the place where he was before the fall and free him of the possibility of failing in the future
(Gen.3:15; Ex.34:6-7; Matt.13:37-43; Jn.3:16-17; 10:10; Rom.11:22; 1 Cor.15:24-28; 2 Cor.7:1; Gal.6:7-8; 1 Thess.5:23-24; 1 Tim.1:5; 2 Pet.2:9; Rev.21-22)

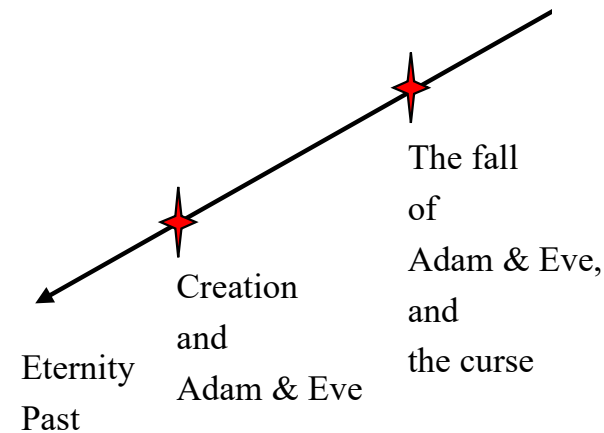


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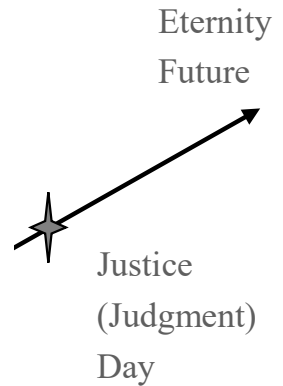


- Isaiah 9:6,7 promised this about Jesus the Christ:

“Unto us a child is born, unto us a Son is given. **And the government shall rest upon His shoulder...** an ever expanding, peaceful, never ending, fair, and just... **kingdom..**”



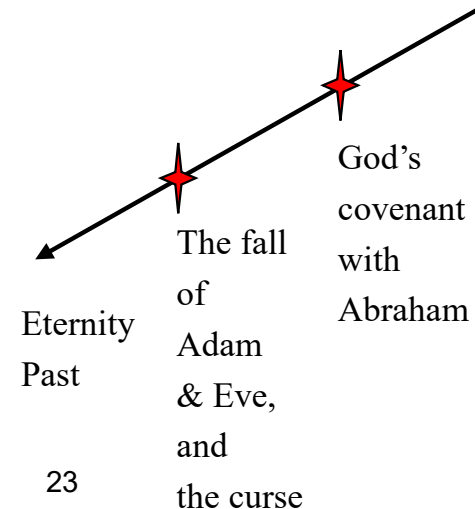
God Made a Covenant with Abraham



Returning to historical sequence

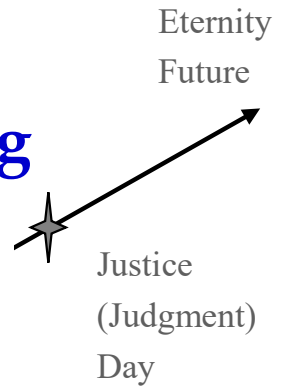
- Abraham
- Approximately 2250 B.C.

- Abraham trusted God, and He counted it to Abraham as righteousness (Gen.15:9; Rom.4:3; Gal.3:6)
- God made a sacred agreement (covenant contract) with Abraham for his life and his descendants. God explained the terms of mutual and continual responsibility throughout generations (Gen.17:1-14)
- Abraham was blessed in “all things” (Gen. 24:1; see also Gen.15:9-21; Heb.6:13)



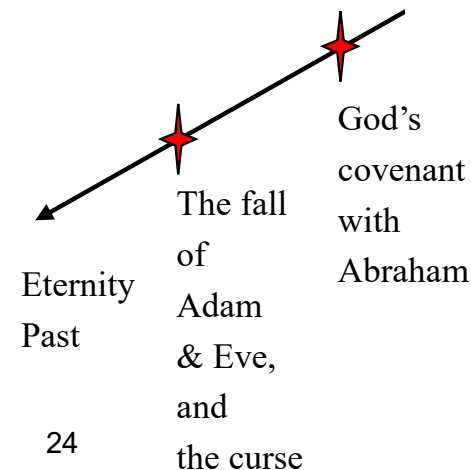
The Bible's First Recorded Health Issue and Healing

Approximately 2240 B.C.



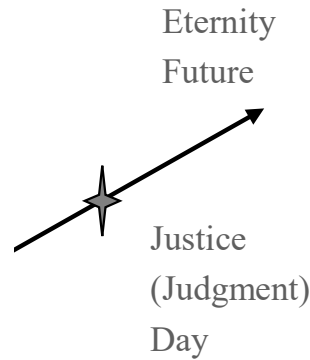
The first recorded health issue was the consequence of disobeying God and that when conditions were met, healing was received in answer to Abraham's prayer (Gen.20:1-18)

“...So Abraham prayed to God and God healed Abimelech, his wife, and his female servants...”



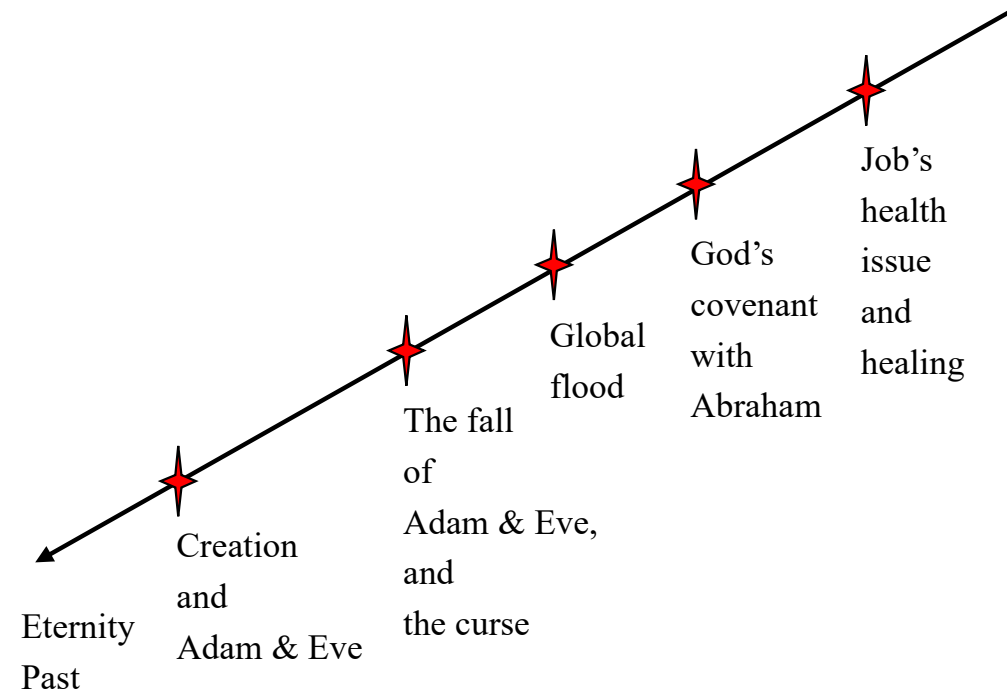
Job's Health Issue and Healing

Approximately 1845 B.C.



“Satan struck Job with terrible boils from head to foot”
(Job 2:7)

God liberated [delivered] Job, healed him, and restored twice as much as he had possessed before the trial (42:6, 10; see also James 5:11)



Israel - God Sent Out His Word and Healed Them All

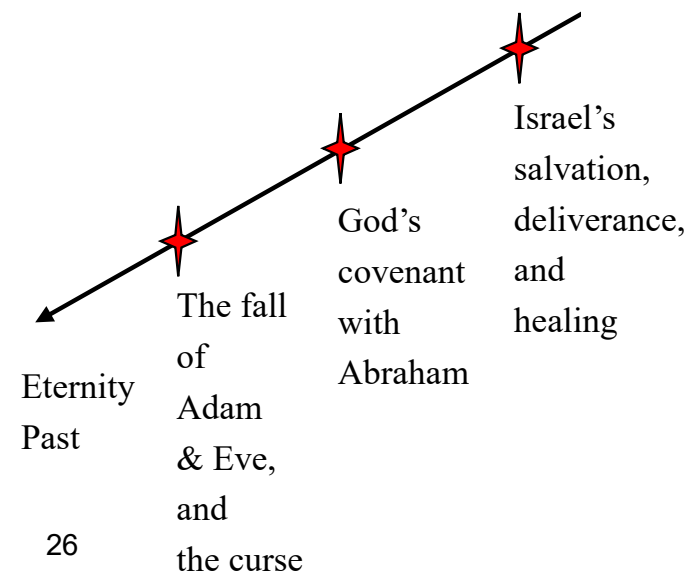


Eternity
Future

God's Covenant of Healing
- Israel's deliverance and healing

Israel had become enslaved, but God kept His Abrahamic promise of blessings

- God saved, delivered, healed, provided abundance, land, identity (Exodus 12:43 - 15:6)
- God healed **all** Israelites with issues
- God offered to be Israel's exclusive health provider ("Physician"/ "Cure-er")
- God then offered to make a sacred covenant contract with them to be their God, and they, His people
- Ex.15:26; 23:25-26; Lev.26:3-21; Ps.105:37; 107:20



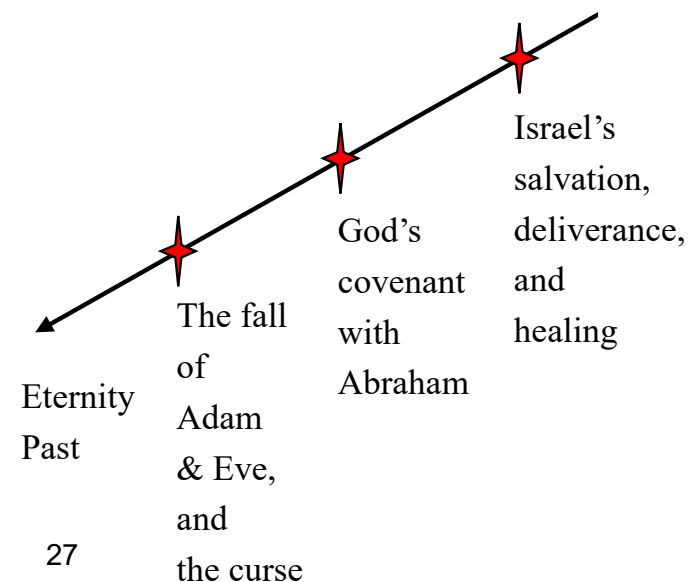
God's Covenant of Healing & Health



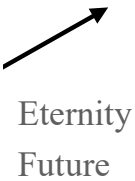
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God's Covenant of Healing
- Israel's deliverance and healing
- Prior to the Law of Moses

- God made a sacred agreement (covenant contract) with His people to heal them
(Exodus 15:26)
- Made with Israel
- Given in two parts
 - Commands
 - Promises



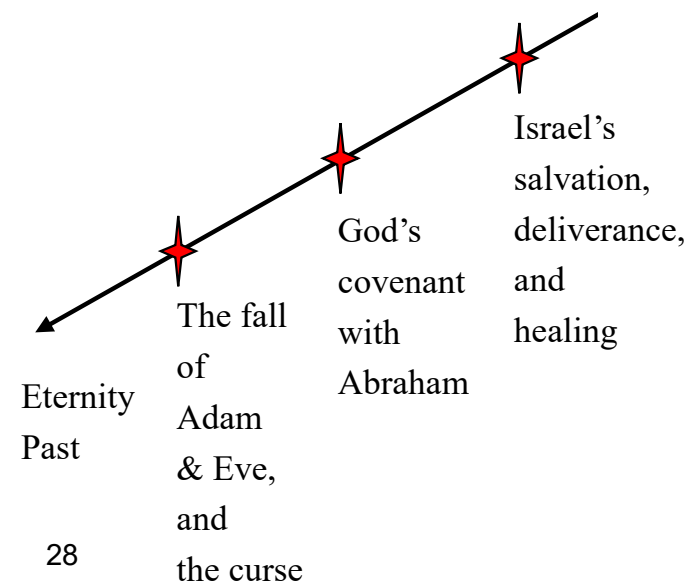
God's Covenant of Healing & Health



- *Prior to the Law of Moses*
- *Given in two parts*
 - *Commands*
 - *Promises*

Commands

- Diligently hearken to God's voice [diligently give God attentive obedience, live free from idolatry] (Ex.15:26)
- Do what is right in His sight [live righteous lives] (Ex.15:26)
- Give ear to [listen to and obey] all His commandments [instructions] (Ex.15:26)
- Keep His statutes [regulations for civil and religious life] (Ex.15:26)



God's Covenant of Healing & Health



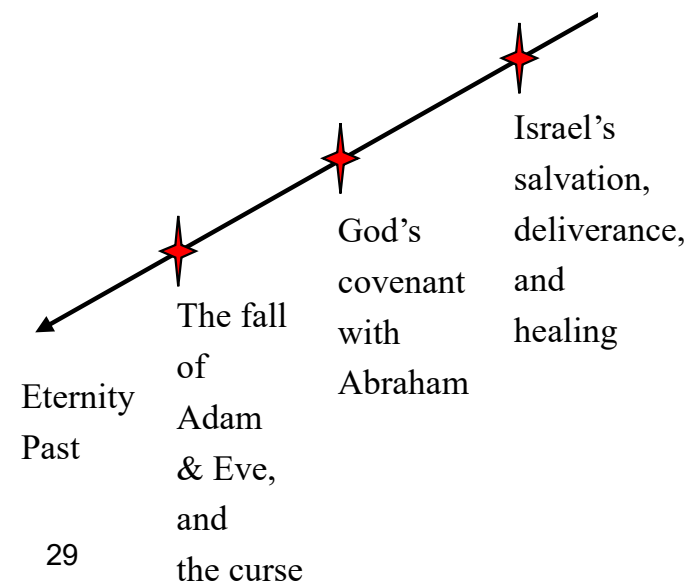
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Promises

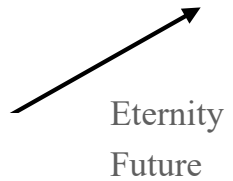
- I will allow none of the issues upon you that I allowed on the Egyptians (Ex.15:26)

Lit. “I will put none of the diseases upon you that I put on the Egyptians” (Ex.15:26)

- *Egypt* also symbolizes the twisted, cursed world government system
- I AM the Lord who heals you (Ex.15:26)
 - I AM *Jehovah-Raphah* – your “Physician” / “Curer”
 - One of His seven redemptive names



God's Covenant of Healing & Health



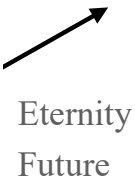
“...Their appetites were gone, and death was near. They cried out to the Lord in their trouble, and He saved them out of their distresses. **He sent His word and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions**”
(Psalm 107:20)

“Seek the Lord, and His strength; seek His face evermore. ...He brought them forth from Egypt loaded with silver and gold, and **there was not one sick or feeble person in all their tribes**”
(Ps. 105:37)
(God healed them **all** at Marah)
(Ex.15:26; Ps.107:20)

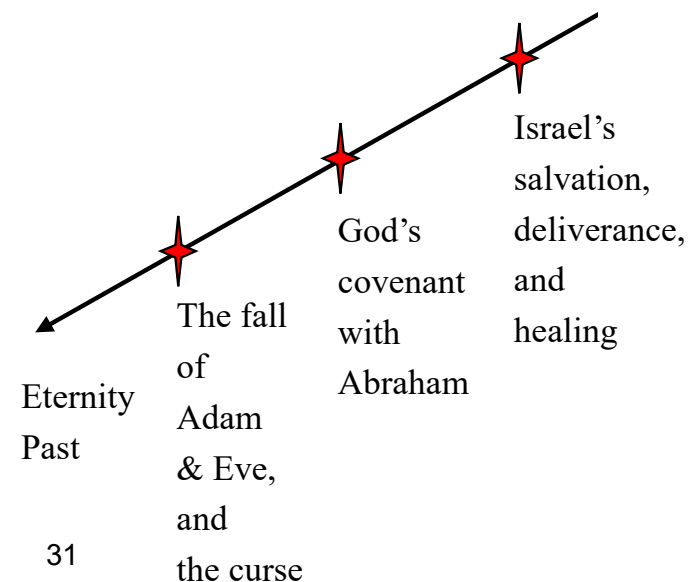


**1M – 2M people;
God healed every one —
there were no exceptions**

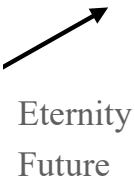
God's Covenant of Healing & Health



- Nearly two months later
- God made another covenant of healing & health — part of Mosaic Covenant
(Ex. 23:24-25; Lev. 26:3-21; Deut. 7:14-15; 28:1-61)
- Made with Israel and all who desired or chose to come under the covenant of God as given to Moses
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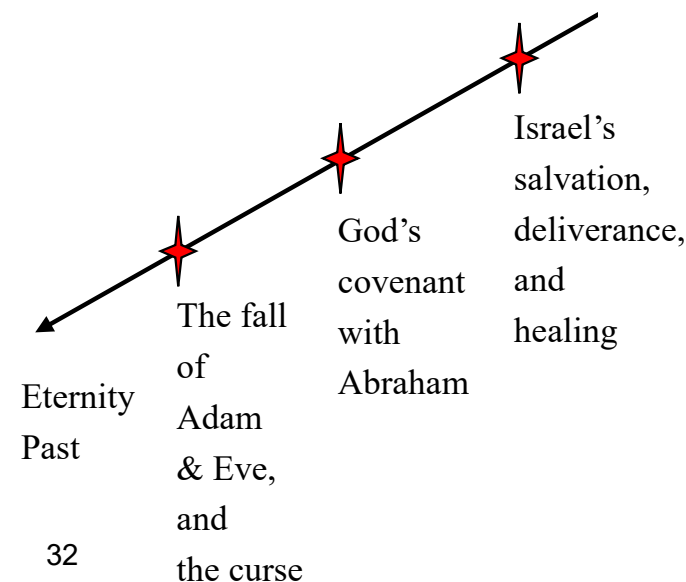
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Commands

- Live free from idolatry
(Exodus 23:24; Deut.28:15-61)
- Serve the Lord (Ex.23:25)
- Give God's word attentive obedience
(Deut.28:1-61; See also Lev.26:3-21)
- Revere God's glorious and reverently
fearful name (Deut.28:1-61)



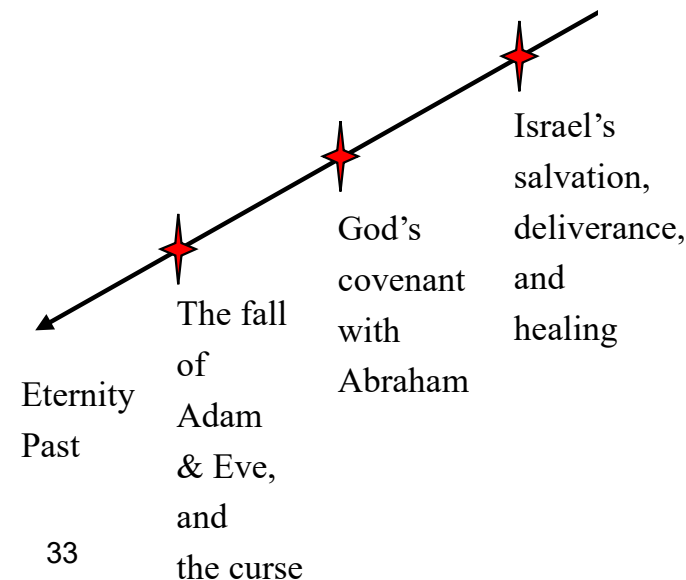
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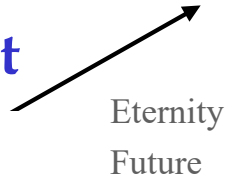
- *Given in two parts*
 - *Commands*
 - *Promises*

Promises

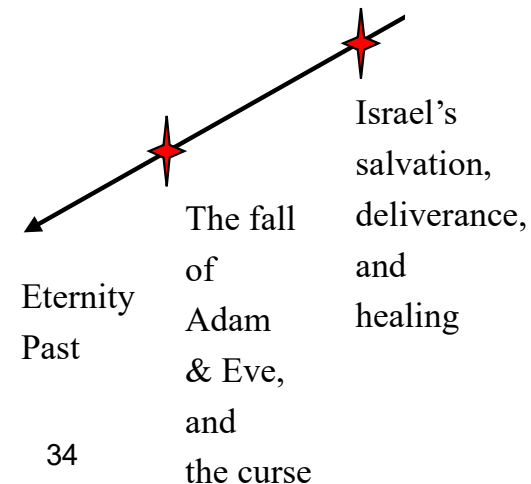
- I will take away your issues (Ex.23:25)
 - Including miscarriages & infertility (Exodus 23:26; see also Deut.7:14)
- I will give you a full life span
 - Exodus 23:26; see also Deut.4:40; Ps.34:4-22; 91; Job 5:26
- I will allow no issues upon you (Deut.7:15; 28:1-14)



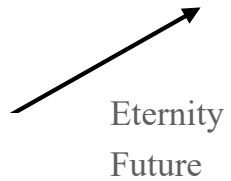
God's Covenant of Healing & Health Ratified by Atonement



- God's Covenant was ratified by **Atonement**
(Ex.24:5-8; Lev.14:18; 15; 16; 25:9; Num.16:46-50; 21:9)
 - “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and never forget all His benefits; **Who forgives all your iniquities [sins], who heals all your diseases [issues]**
(Psalm 103:2-3)



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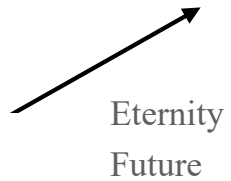


Bodily healing referred to in the Old Testament:

- The Hebrew word *rapha* means and is translated
 - ***Cure*** (Jer. 33:6)
 - ***To make whole*** (Job 5:18)
 - ***To heal*** (Num. 12:13; Deut. 32:39; 2 Kings 20:5, 8; 6:2; Isa. 19:22; 57:18-19; Jer. 17:14; 30:17; Hosea 6:1; Zech. 1:16)
 - ***Be healed*** (Gen. 20:17; Ex. 21:19; Lev. 13:18, 37; 14:3, 48; Deut. 28:27, 35; 1 Sam. 6:3; 8:29; 9:15; 2 Chron. 22:6; 30:20; Ps. 30:2; 107:20; Isa. 6:10; 53:5; Jer. 17:14; Ezek. 34:4; Hos. 7:1; 11:3)
 - ***Healeth*** (Ex. 15:26; Ps. 103:3; 147:3; Isa. 30:26)
 - ***Be thoroughly healed*** (Ex. 21:19)
 - ***Physician*** (Gen. 50:2; 2 Chron. 16:12; Job 13:4; Jer. 8:22)



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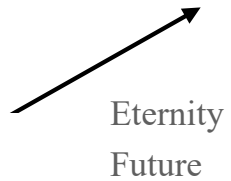


Bodily healing referred to in the Old Testament:

- The Hebrew *marpay* means and is translated
 - ***Healing*** (Jer. 14:19; Mal. 4:2)
 - ***Health*** (Prov. 4:22; 12:18; 13:17; 16:24; Jer. 8:15)
 - ***Cure*** (Jer. 33:6)
 - ***Remedy*** (2 Chron. 36:16; Prov. 6:15; 29:1)
 - ***Sound in health*** (Prov. 14:30)
 - ***Wholesome*** (Prov. 15:4)

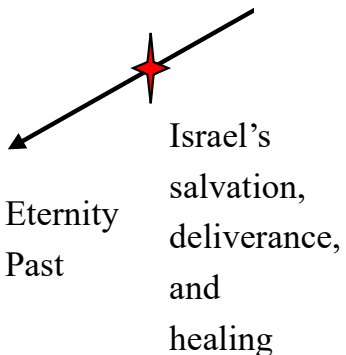


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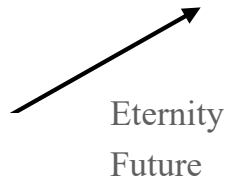


Bodily healing referred to in the Old Testament:

- The Hebrew *yeshuwah* means and is translated
 - **Health** (Ps. 42:11; 43:5 67:2)
 - **Deliverance** (Ps. 18:50; 44:4)
 - **Salvation** (Ps. 91:16)
 - The whole 91st Psalm teaches perfect healing and health physically
 - The salvation of verse 16 includes the body as well as the soul
- As you may know Jesus the Christ was a Jew; His Jewish name was this word: *Yeshuwah*



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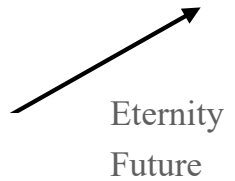


Bodily healing referred to in the Old Testament:

- The Hebrew *arubah* means ***Restoring to sound health*** (Isa. 58:8; Jer. 8:22; 30:17; 33:6)
- The Hebrew *chabash* means
 - ***Healer*** (Isa. 3:7)
 - ***To bind up or Heal*** (Isa. 30:26; 61:1; Ezek. 34:16; Hos. 6:1; Job 5:18; Ps. 147:3)
- The Hebrew word *rifooth* means ***Health*** (Prov. 3:8)



An Old Testament Case History



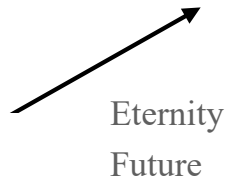
David's Healing – By Spiritual Means

David's issue (evidently V.D.)

- *Cause:* Sin (Ps.38:3)
- *Remedy:* Prayer and confession of sin (Ps.38:1-22)
- *Result:* Healed by God (Ps.6:2; 30:2; 103:3)



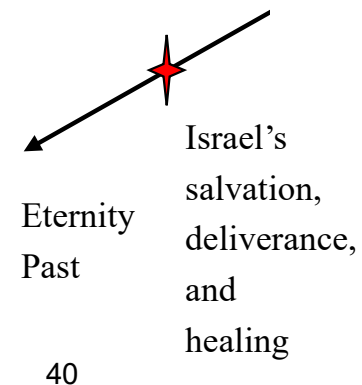
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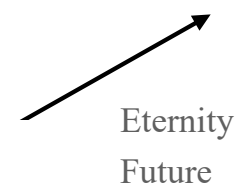
Asa, who did not keep his part of God's Covenant of Healing & Health

Asa's Foot Issue (1 Kings 15:23-24; 2 Chron. 16:12-14)

- *Remedy*: Health practitioners
- *Result*: Death for not trusting God
(1 Kings 15:23-24; 2 Chron. 16:12-14; See also Jer. 17:5-13; Galatians 5:20)



God's Covenant of Healing & Health



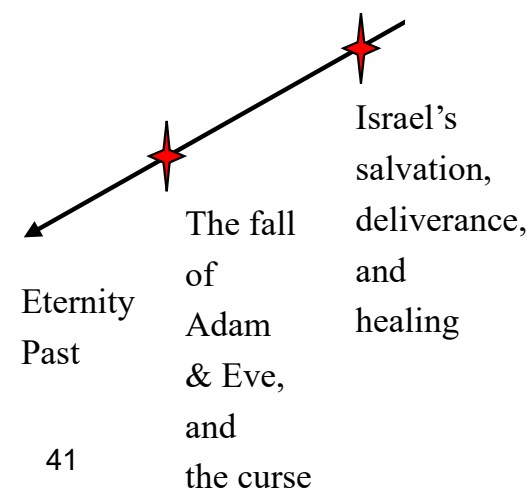
- Note that spiritual means is all that God promised, commanded, and provided for in healing people's issues in the Old Testament

(See the previous 90 Scriptures; see also Gen. 20:7,17; Job 33:24-25; 42:10; Ex. 15:26; 23:24-26; Lev. 26; Deut.7:14-15; 28)

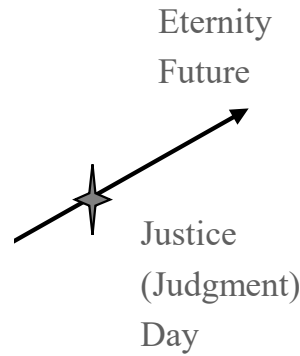
- Completely contrary to the cursed world system

(Isa.29:14; 1 Cor.1:18-28; Col.2:17-3:3; Prv.3:5-8)

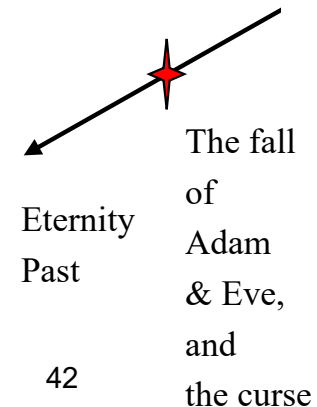
- See also www.gotchoices.net/health/healing/ot



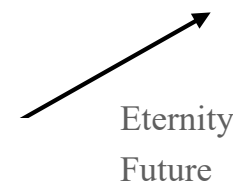
Health Was Normal Before Sin Entered



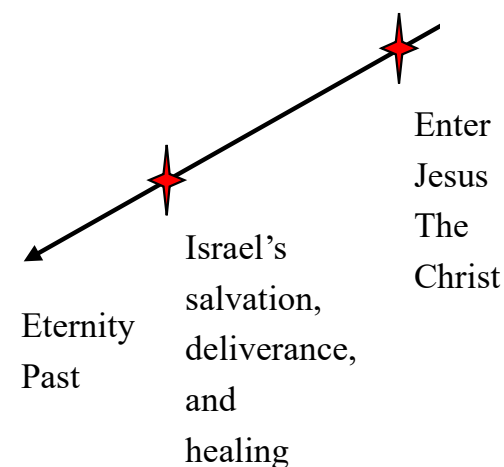
- Health was normal — “**very** good” before sin entered this world (Gen. 1:26-31; Gen 2:17)
- Death entered through sin as part of the curse (Genesis 3:17-19; Rom. 5:12-21)
- Issues originated with sin (Lev. 26; Deut. 28:15-61; Romans 6:12-16, 7:20—8:13; see the previous 90 Scriptures)
- See also www.gotchoices.net/health/healing/ot
- Please note that not every person's health issue is a direct result of some personal sin (John 9:1-7; 11:4)



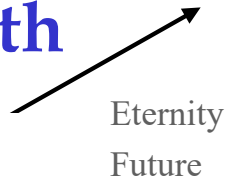
God's Covenant of Healing & Health



- God has kept His part of His Covenant of Healing & Health
(Deut.7:9; see also the previous 90 Scriptures)
- Healing & health is the will of God for people under the New Covenant, which is based upon **better promises and is more glorious in power and provision** than the Mosaic Old Covenant
(2 Cor. 3:6-15; Heb. 8:6)



God's New Testament Covenant of Healing & Health

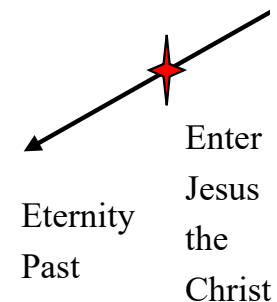


God made another Covenant of Healing & Health — part of the New Covenant. This new covenant supersedes the old Mosaic Covenant with its covenant of healing & health

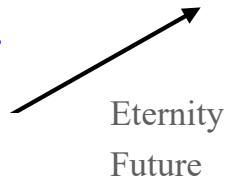
- **Jesus the Christ “took our infirmities and removed our sicknesses [issues]” as part of the New Covenant**

(Isa.53; Matthew 8:16-17; see also James 5:14-16; 1 Peter 2:24)

- God has kept His part of the covenant...

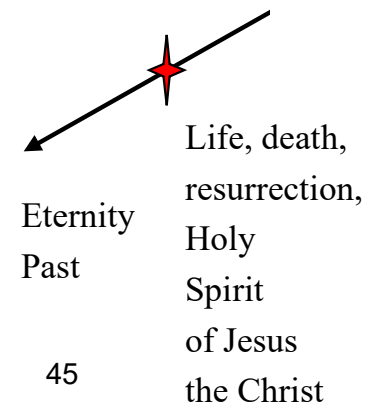


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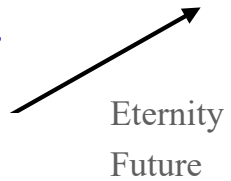


Bodily healing referred to in the New Testament:

- The Greek word *therapeuo* means and is translated
 - **Heal** (Matt. 8:7; 10:1, 8; 12:10; Mark 3:2, 15; Luke 4:23; 6:7; 10:9; 14:3)
 - **Healed** (Matt. 4:23-24; 8:16, 17; 9:35; 12:15, 22; 14:14; 15:20; 19:2; 21:14; Mark 1:34; 3:10; 6:5, 13; Luke 4:40; 5:15; 6:18; 8:43; 9:6-11; 13:14; 14:4; Acts 4:14; 5:16; 8:7; 28:9)
 - **Cure** (Matt. 17:16; Luke 9:1)
 - **Cured** (Luke 7:21; John 5:10)
 - The Greek *iama* means **Healing** or **Repairing** (1 Cor. 12:9, 28, 30)

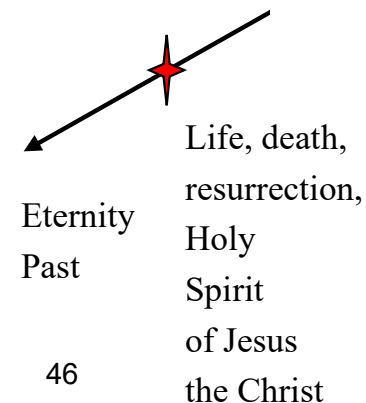


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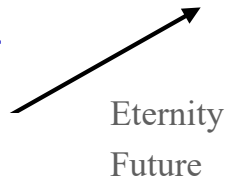


Bodily healing referred to in the New Testament:

- The Greek *iaomai* means and is translated
 - **Heal** (Matt. 13:15; Luke 4:18; 5:17; 9:2; John 4:47; 12:40)
 - **Healed** (Matt. 8:8,13; Mark 5:29; Luke 6:17, 19; 7:7; 8:2, 47; 17:15; 22:51; John 5:13; Acts 3:11; 28:8; Heb. 12:13; Jas. 5:16; 1 Pet. 2:24)
 - **Healing** (Acts 10:38)
 - **Whole** (Matt. 15:28; Acts 9:24)
- The Greek *iasis* means **Healing** and **Cure** (Luke 13:32; Acts 4:22, 30; 28:27)

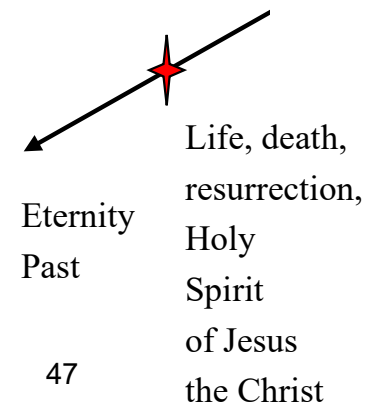


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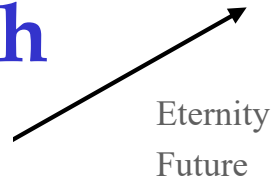


Bodily healing referred to in the New Testament:

- The Greek *hugiano* means ***sound health*** (3 John 1:2)
- The Greek *hogies* means ***healthy, sound and whole*** (Matt. 12:13; 15:31; Mark 3:5; 5:34; Luke 5:31)
- The Greek *sodzo* means ***to save, deliver, protect, heal, preserve, and make whole***. It is used 86 times in reference to saving the soul, but in the following passages it refers to ***Saving the body and healing it of illness*** (Matt. 9:21-22; Mark 5:29, 34; 6:56; 10:52; Luke 8:36,48; 8:50; 17:19; Acts 4:9; 14:9)
- The Greek *dia-sodzo* means ***to save and to heal thoroughly, make perfectly whole*** and is used of ***the body being healed*** (Matt. 14:36; Luke 7:3)



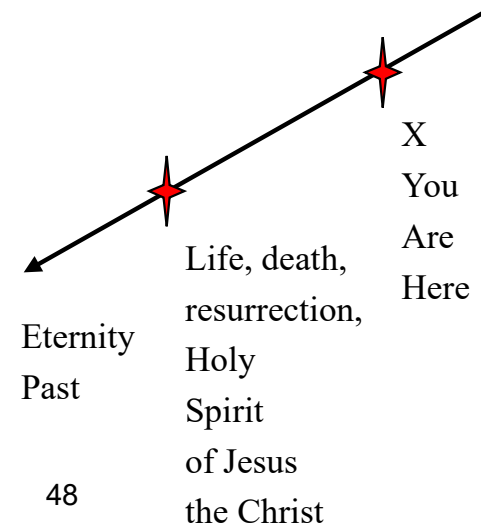
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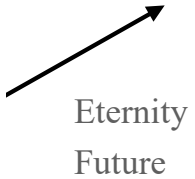
- If any of us has an emotional wound, emotional issue, or physical health issue, Jesus wants to heal it.

Be strongly encouraged to avoid the mistake of thinking He's only interested in the spiritual aspect of our lives...

- (Isaiah 53:4-5; Matt. 8:16-17; Romans 8:11; 1 Thessalonians 5:23; James 5:14-16; 1 Peter 2:24; 3 John 2)

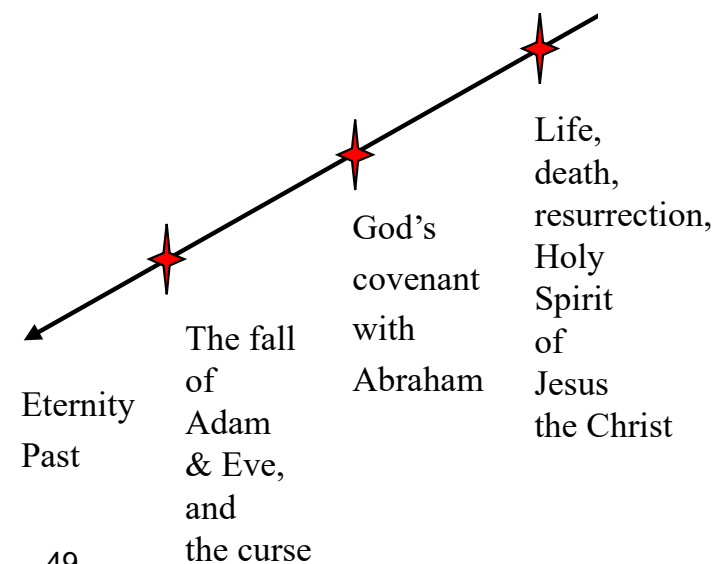


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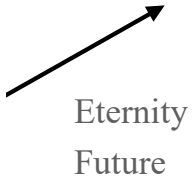


The Bible's New Testament gives us a snapshot of our present condition

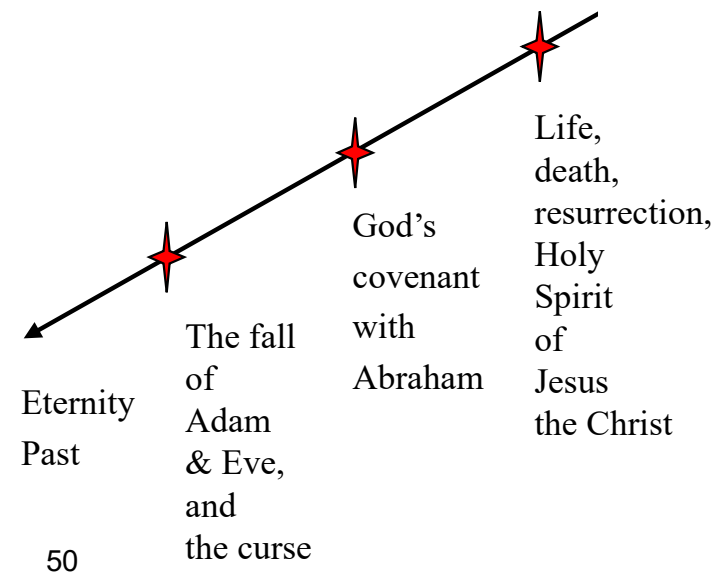
- “Now a certain woman had a flow of blood [a health issue] for twelve years, and had suffered many things from many physicians [health practitioners]. She had spent all that she had and was no better, but rather grew worse...”
(Mark 5:26)



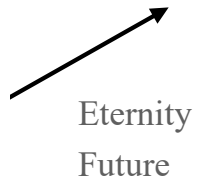
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- And then the Bible gives us another picture — the good news
 - “When she had heard of Jesus ... she touched His garment believing and saying that she shall be whole [healed]. And immediately ... she was healed. ...And Jesus said unto her, ‘Daughter, your faith has made you whole; go in peace, and be healed of your affliction [health issue]’” (Mark 5:27-34)



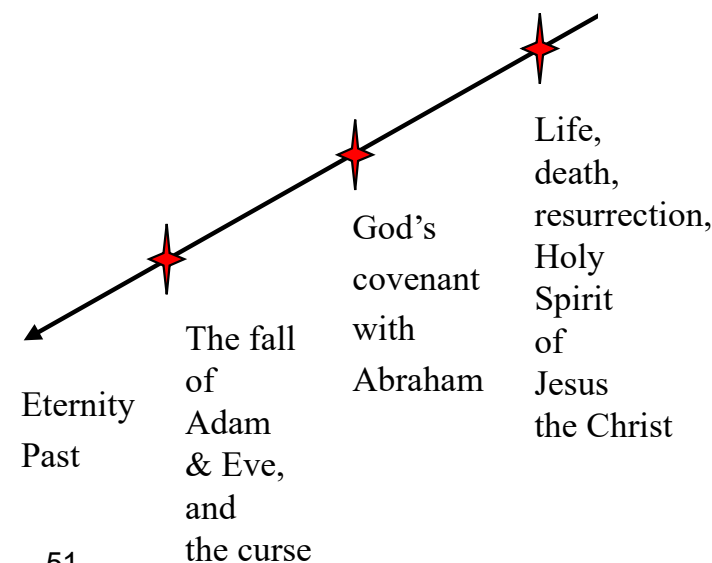
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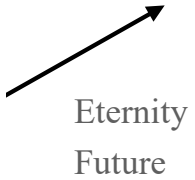
How did that individual receive health & wellness / wholeness in the midst of this fraudulent, cursed world system?

- Because of the sacred agreement (covenant contract) God had made with Abraham and his descendants
 - “Daughter:” indication she was a descendant of Abraham, a citizen of another government system — the kingdom of God
 - Her active faith granted her legal and just access to the health & wholeness promised her as a descendant of Abraham

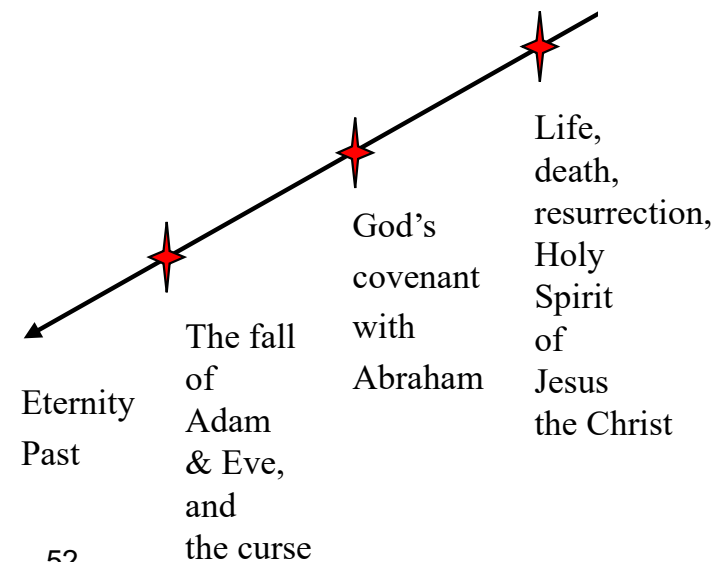
(Gen.12:1-3; 15:4-6; 17:1-21; 26:3-4; 28:13-15; Ex.15:26; Deut.7:6-9; Ps.23:1; Rom. 4:11-5:2; 2 Cor.1:20; Galatians 3:7-4:7; 2 Peter 1:3-4)



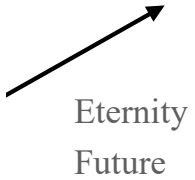
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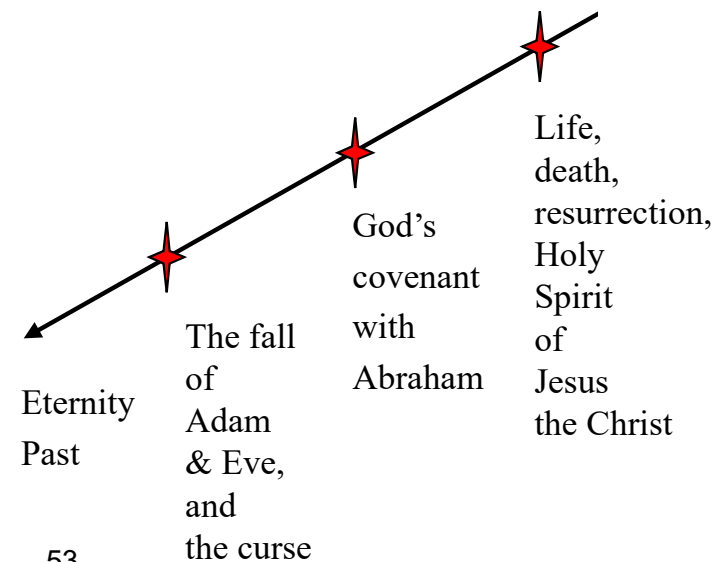
- Abraham's active faith had given God legal and just access into this fraudulent, cursed world to make a covenant with Abraham and his descendants
- Like Abraham's active faith, the aforementioned healed woman's faith was also the legal conduit for the kingdom of God to manifest in this cursed world system (Mk.11:24; 1 Pet.1:5; Eph.2:8; Rom.1:17; 10:10; Gal.3:11; Jas.1:6-7; 2:17-26)
- **“Your faith has made you whole”** (Mark 5:34)



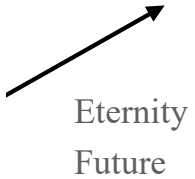
How Did Healing Happen?



- Jesus walked in faith — full agreement with God’s heavenly kingdom — and the woman’s healing was loosed from heaven into this cursed world by her faith
- God’s covenant with Abraham and his descendants made this a legal and just transaction
- It was apart from Jesus’ compassion — He didn’t even know who touched Him; it was a legal and just execution of God’s spiritual law
- By faith, the kingdom of God’s “rule-of-law” manifested in this cursed world system — in the woman’s body



All Followers Qualify for Abraham's Blessings



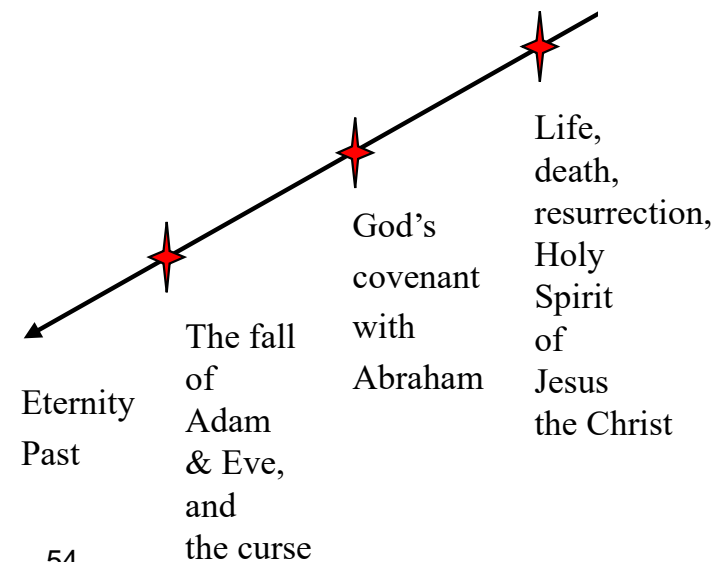
Abraham and his descendants

- *Present day*

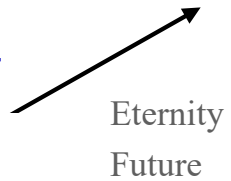
- God made a covenant with Abraham for his life and his descendants; Abraham was blessed in “all things”

(Gen.24:1; see also Gen.15:9-21; Heb.6:13)

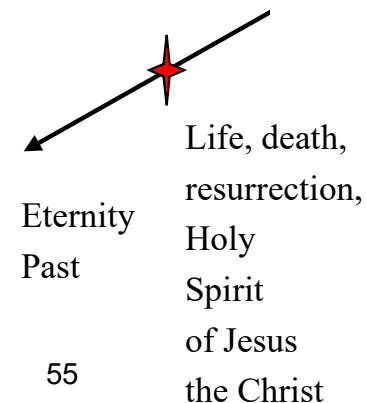
- If you are a committed follower of Jesus the Christ, you are a descendant of Abraham for “through the work of Christ Jesus, God has blessed the Gentiles with the same blessing He promised to Abraham, and we Christians receive the promises ... through faith” (Gal.3:7, 9, 14, 16, 29; see also Acts 28:28; Rom.4; 9:16-30; Heb.6:13-19)



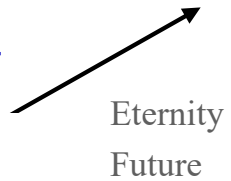
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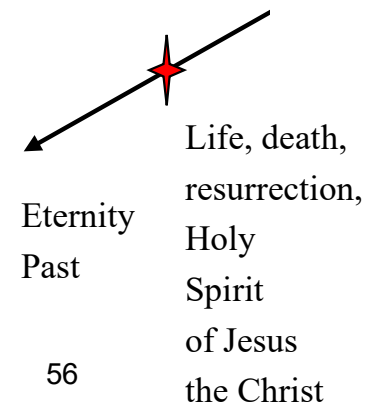
- “Surely He has borne our griefs [literally, *removed our sicknesses or **issues***], and carried away our sorrows [literally, emotional *pains*] ...He was wounded [literally, *debased*] for our transgressions [literally, *immoral sins*], He was bruised [literally, *crushed*] for our iniquities [literally, *rebellious sins*] ...**by His stripes [literally, *wounds*] we are healed** [literally, *healing was obtained for us*]” (Isaiah 53:4-5)
- “When evening came, people brought to Jesus many who were under the power of demons, He drove out the spirits with a word and **restored to health all who [had issues]** were sick. This fulfilled the word of the Lord through Isaiah [Isa.53:4-5] saying, ‘**He Himself took our infirmities and removed our sicknesses [issues]**’” (Matt.8:16-17)



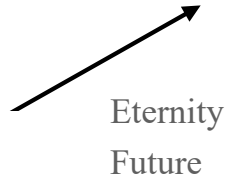
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- “Jesus personally took away our sins in His body on the cross so we can be rid of sin and live the right way — **by His stripes [wounds] you were healed**”
(1 Peter 2:24)
- “Are any among you sick [Are any among you afflicted with an issue]? They should call on the elders of the church and have them pray over them, anointing them with oil in the name of the Lord. Their prayer of faith will heal the one with issues, and the Lord will make them well. And if they have sinned, they will be forgiven. **[So] confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed.** The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and wonderful results”
(James 5:14-16; see also Ex.3:17; Prov. 28:13; Isa. 66:18; 1 John 1:7-9)



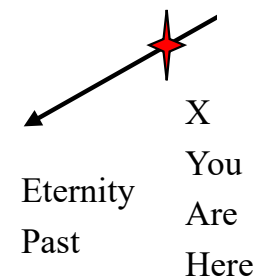
The Yearning of God's Benevolent Love



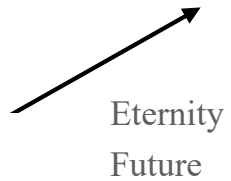
Ephesians 3:20 declares: “God can do anything — superabundantly, far over and above all that we dare ask or think, infinitely beyond our highest prayers, desires, thoughts, hopes, or dreams!”

Not only is God **able**; not only is God **willing**; God is **yearning** to do far more than you could ever imagine or request beyond your dreams!

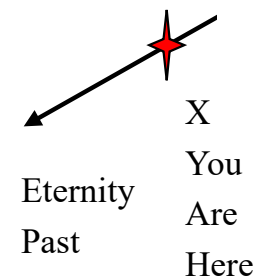
- “The Lord is gracious and full of compassion, slow to anger and great in mercy. The Lord is good to all, and **His tender mercies are over *all* His works**” (Psalm 145:8-9)
- “...I know the plans I have for you,” says the LORD. They are **plans for good and not for disaster, to give you a future and a hope**” (Jeremiah 29:11)
- “Bless the Lord, O my soul, and never forget all His benefits; **who forgives all your sins and heals *all* your issues**” (Ps. 103:2-3)
- “...Jesus saw a great multitude, and He was **moved with compassion** for them, **and healed those with issues**” (Matthew 14:14)



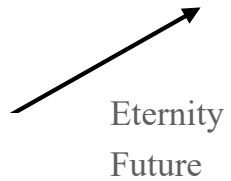
The Yearning of God's Benevolent Love



- “Now a leper came to Jesus, imploring Him, kneeling down to Him and saying to Him, ‘If You are willing, You can make me well again.’ **Moved with compassion**, Jesus touched him and said, ‘**I AM willing. Be healed!**’ Instantly the leprosy left him and he was **healed**. ...And then people came to Jesus from every direction (Mark 1:40-45)
- “...Out of Jericho, a great multitude followed Jesus. And behold, two blind men sitting by the road ... cried out, saying, ‘Have mercy on us, O Lord, Son of David!’ ... even though the multitude warned them that they should be quiet. ...Jesus stood still and asked them, ‘What do you want Me to do for you?’ They said, ‘Lord, that our eyes may be opened.’ **Jesus had compassion** and touched their eyes. **And immediately they could see!** Then they followed Him” (Matt.20:29-34)
- “...***All*** those who had ***any*** with **issues** brought them to Jesus. ***No matter what their issues were, the touch of His hand healed every one***” (Luke 4:40)



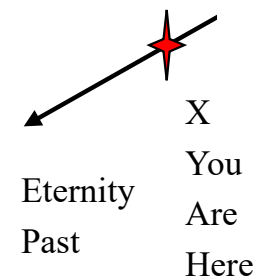
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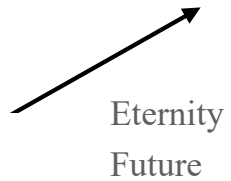
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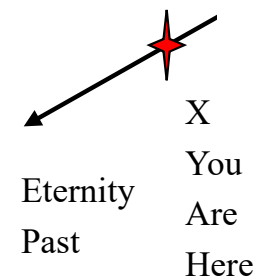
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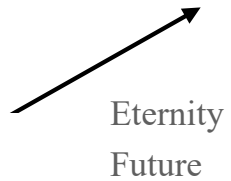
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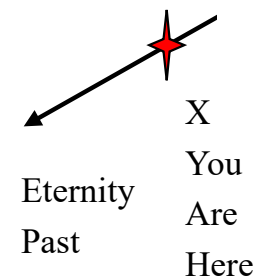
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- “...Jesus said to him, ‘**Receive your sight; your faith has made you well.**’ And **immediately he received his sight**, and followed Him, glorifying God. And all the people, when they saw it, gave praise to God” (Lk.18:42-43)



The Yearning of God's Benevolent Love



- “God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, **who went about doing good and healing *all*** who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him” (Acts 10:38)
 - Jesus’ compassion hasn’t changed, for we read in the days thirty-years after He ascended to the Father “...***All*** the people with issues came and were cured ... **every one**”
(Acts 5:16; 28:9; the very last chapter of the Book of Acts)
- “...We give great honor to those who endure. Job is an example of a man who endured patiently. From his experience we see the end intended by the Lord — that **the Lord is very compassionate and merciful**. ...Is there **any** among you with issues? They should call for the elders of the church and have them pray over them ... **so that you may be healed...**” (Jas.5:11-16)



God's New Covenant of Healing & Health



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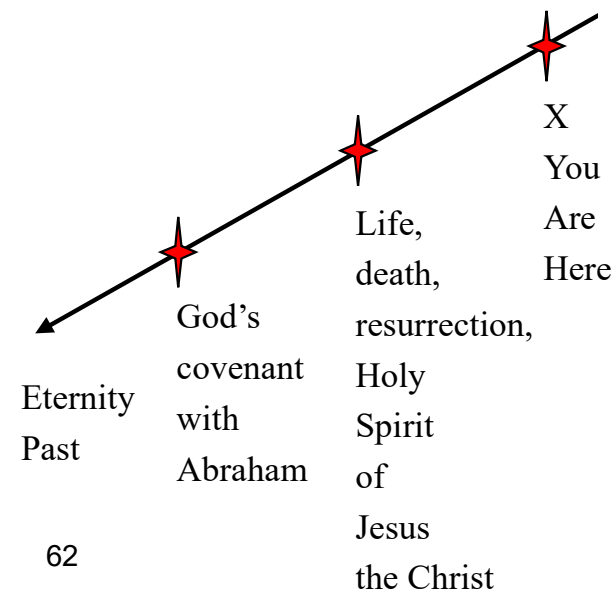
God's New Covenant of Healing

- God made a sacred agreement (covenant contract) with His people to heal them (James 5:14-16)
- Made with any who believe (trust in, rely) on Jesus the Christ
- Given in two parts

1. Instructions

- Any with issues
- Elders

2. Promises



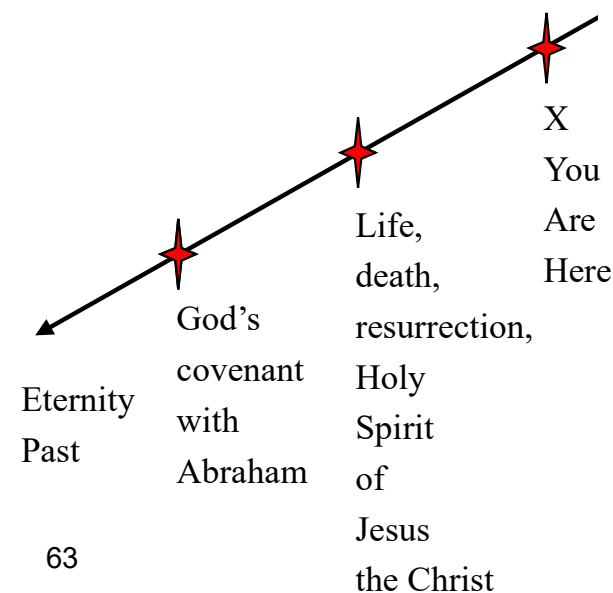
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Instructions For Any With Issues

1. Call on (summon) the elders of the church (James.5:14-15)
2. Confess relevant sins if committed
(Jas.5:14-16; 1 Jn.1:9; Ps.66:18; Pr.28:13; Isa.59:2; Jn.5:14)
3. Be anointed with oil in the name of the Lord (be altogether dedicated & consecrated to God alone for His service)
(Jas.5:14; see also Lev.8:10-12; Ex.4:23a; 7:16; 8:1, 20; 9:13; 10:3, 11, 26; 12:31; 30:22-33; Lk.9:23; Rom.12:1; 1 Cor.6:20; 2 Cor.5:15; 1 Thess.5:23)
4. Let the Elders pray over (declaring God's will be done as it is in heaven)¹ (Jas.5:14,15; Lk. 11:2; Ex.15:26; Ps. 91:1-3; 6-16; Is.53:3-4; Mt.8:16-17; 3 John 2)
5. Continue belief and stand firmly in it
(Col.1:23; Mk.11:22-24; 1 Jn.5:14-15; Rom.1:17; 14:23b; Gal.3:7; 5:6; Heb.10:35-36; 3:14; 4:14; 1 Pet.1:5)



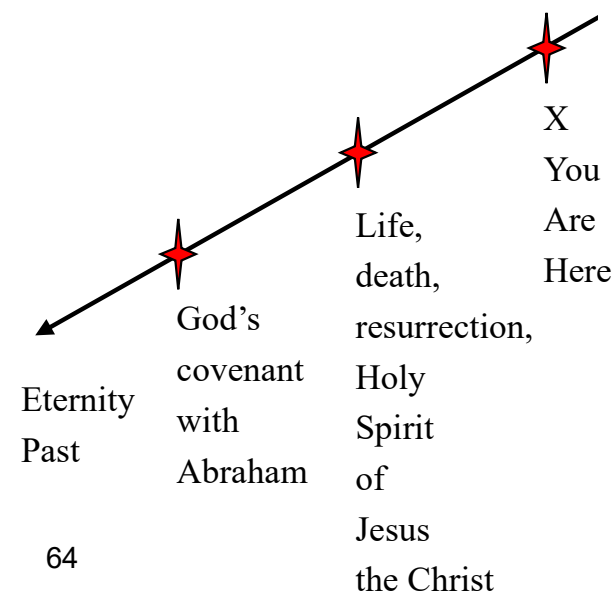
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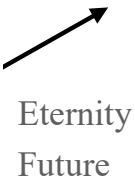
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Instructions to Elders Praying For Any With Issues

1. Anoint them with oil (dedicate & consecrate them to God alone for His service)
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2. Invoke the name of the Lord (Jas.5:14)
3. Declare the prayer of faith;¹ having faith in God alone, nothing wavering (Jas.5:14,15; 1:6; see also Mk.11:22-24; 1 Jn.5:14-15; Rom.1:17; 1 Pet.1:5)
4. Reliably pray one for another (Jas.5:16)



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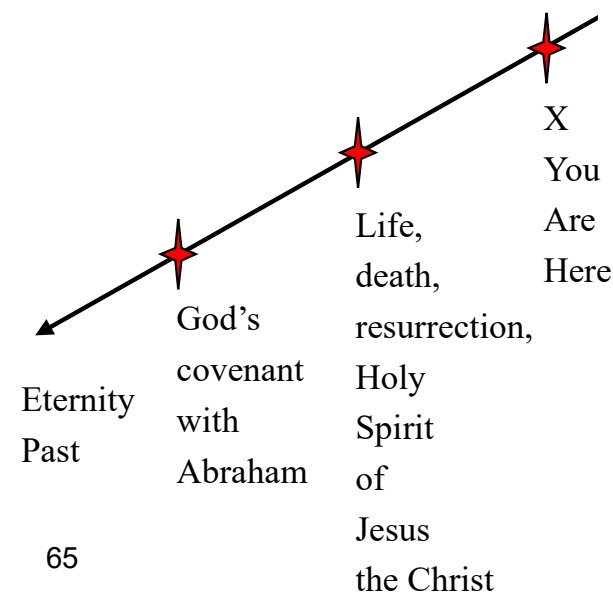
1. Healing by direct Divine agency

- When the declaring prayer of faith is proclaimed and the name of Jesus Christ invoked, ¹ the Lord shall heal the one of issues and make them well

(Jas.5:15,16; Ex. 3:17; Mt.18:19; 21:22; Mk.11:24)

2. Forgiveness if s/he has sinned (Jas.5:15,16)

- Healing and forgiveness go hand in hand
(Ps.103:2-3; Is.53:4-5; Matt.8:16-17; 9:5; 13:15; Acts 3:16; 4:12; 28:27; 1 Pet.2:24)



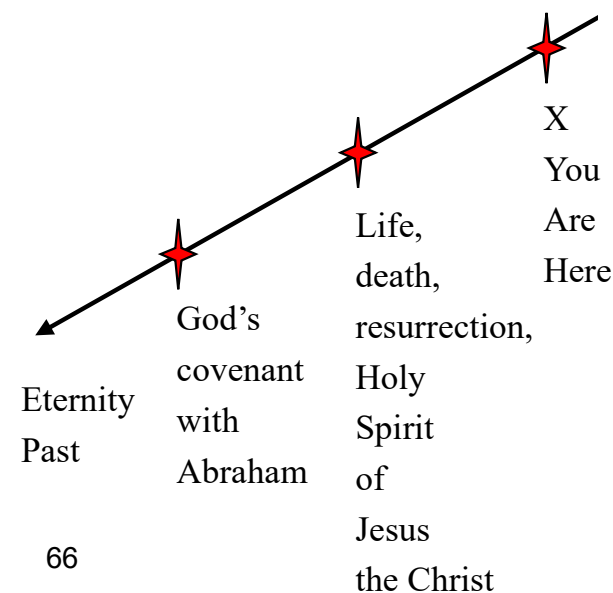
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God's Qualifications for Elders

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1. Men of honest report (good reputation of righteous integrity) (Acts 6:3)
2. Full of the Holy Spirit (Acts 6:3,5)
3. Full of wisdom (Acts 6:3)
4. Full of faith; settled and in God alone
(Acts 6:5,8; see also Jas.1:6; Mk.11:22-24; Rom.1:17; 14:23b; Lk.9:23; Rom.12:1; 1 Cor.6:20; 2 Cor.5:15; Gal.5:6; 1 Pet.1:5)
5. Full of power (Acts 6:8)



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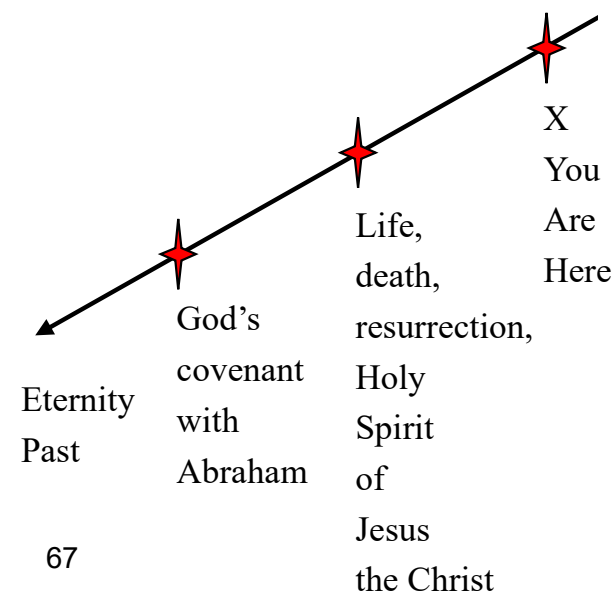


- *Good News*
- *Contrary to world system*

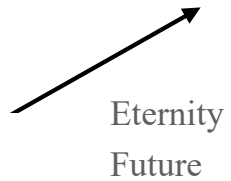
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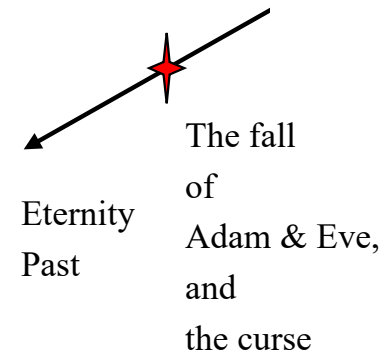
- This power to heal is promised to every believer, not only the elders of the church
(Mt.17:20; 21:22; Mk.9:23; 11:22-24; 16:15-20; Jn.14:12-15; 15:7,16; 16:23-26)
- Completely contrary to the fraudulent, cursed world system
(Isa.29:14; 1 Cor.1:18-28; Col.2:17-3:3; Prv.3:5-8)



Health Was Normal Before Sin Entered



- Health was normal — “**very good**” before sin entered this world (Gen. 1:26-31; Gen 2:17)
- Death entered through sin as part of the curse (Gen. 3:17-19; Rom. 5:12-21)
- Issues originated with sin
(See the previous 177 Scriptures; see also Lev. 26; Dt. 28; Matt. 4:23-24; 15:22; 17:14-21; Luke 13:16; John 10:10; Acts 10:38; Romans 6:12-16, 7:20—8:13)
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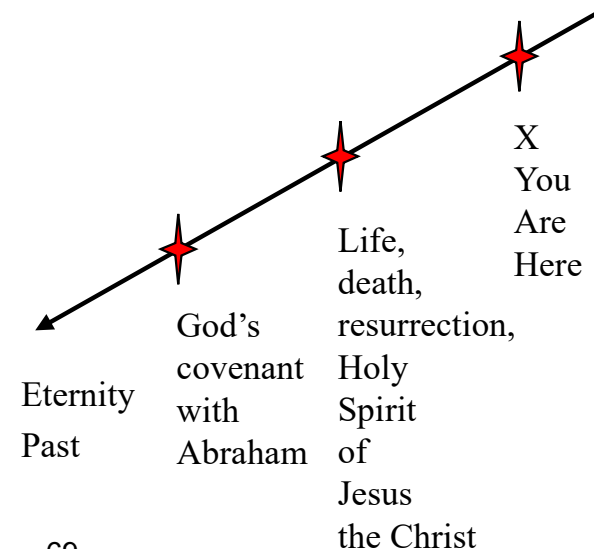



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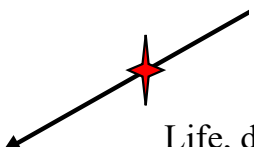
- I AM the Lord who heals you (Ex.15:26)
 - I AM *Jehovah-Raphah* – your “Physician” / “Curer”
 - One of His seven redemptive names
 - The Creator of the human body and Author of its healing and health





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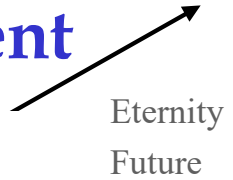


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Life, death,
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the Christ

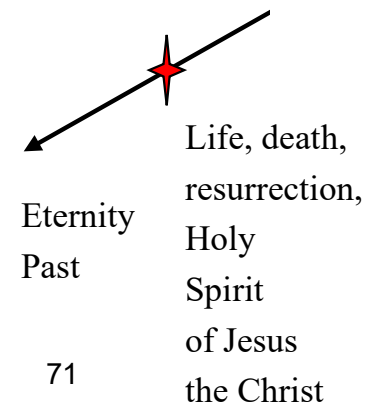
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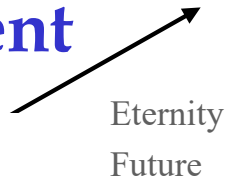


Jesus was wounded physically at Calvary that we might be healed physically; healing was obtained for us

- “Surely He has removed our issues, and carried away our pains ...He was debased for our immoral sins, He was crushed for our rebellious sins ...by His wounds we are healed” (Isaiah 53:4-5)
- “When evening came, people brought to Jesus many who were under the power of demons, He drove out the spirits with a word and healed **all** who had issues. This fulfilled the word of the Lord through Isaiah saying, ‘He Himself took our infirmities and removed our issues’” (Matt.8:16-17)
- The Atonement was Jesus’ reason for making **no exceptions** while healing those with issues. Since it is our issues He removed, His Atonement embracing us **all**, it **would require the healing of all to fulfill the prophecy** of Isaiah 53:4-5

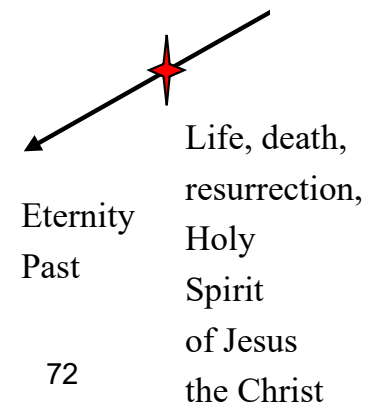


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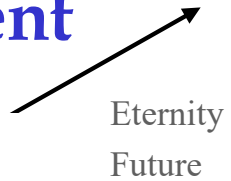


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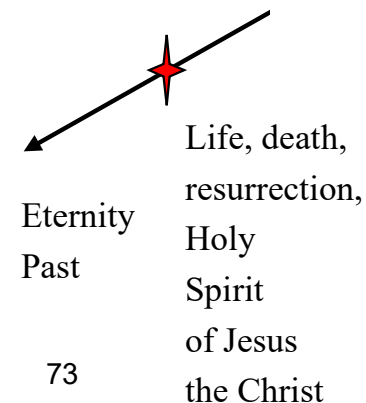
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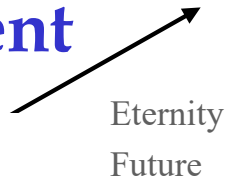
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(James 5:14-16; see also Prov. 28:13; Isa. 66:18; 1 John 1:7-9)



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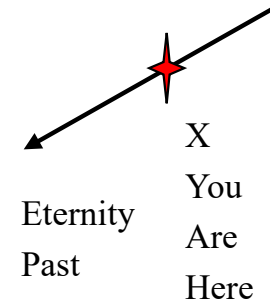


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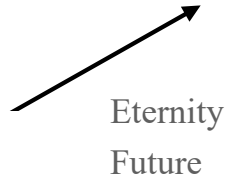
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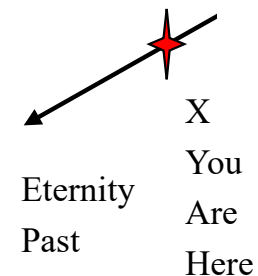
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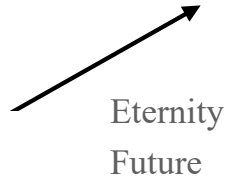
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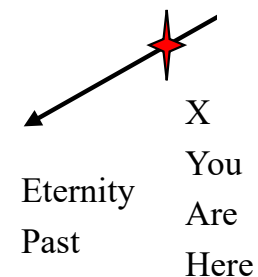
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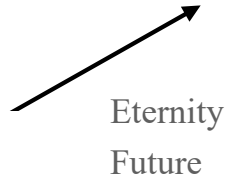
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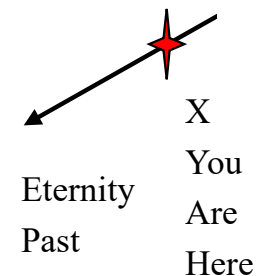
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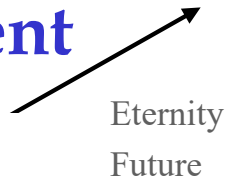
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- After His ascension, Jesus continues to heal all those with active faith, “fulfilling the word of the Lord...” (Is.53:3-4; Mt.8:16-17)
 - “...***All*** the people with issues came and were cured ... every one” (Acts 5:16; 28:9, the last chapter of the Book of Acts, thirty-years after His ascension to the Father)



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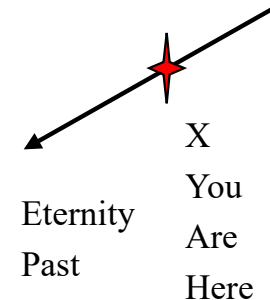
Jesus Christ, “**the Lamb slain from the foundation [conception] of the world**” (Rev.13:8; Jn.1:29, 36; 1 Pet.1:20)

“For which is easier to say, ‘Your sins be forgiven you;’ or to say, ‘Arise and walk?’” (Matt. 9:5)

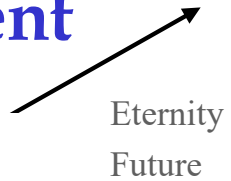
Please be reminded that not every person's health issue is a direct result of some personal sin (John 9:1-7; 11:4). And as we can plainly see, it is God’s will that *all* be saved, **healed, and in health**

(Jn.9:1-7; 11:4; See also previous 177 Scriptures, Job 33:24-25; 42:10)

- “Jesus answered, ‘He was born blind so that the [healing] work of God might be displayed in his life.’ ...And Jesus said unto him, ‘Go, wash in the pool...’ So he went and washed, and came back seeing” (Jn. 9:3-7)

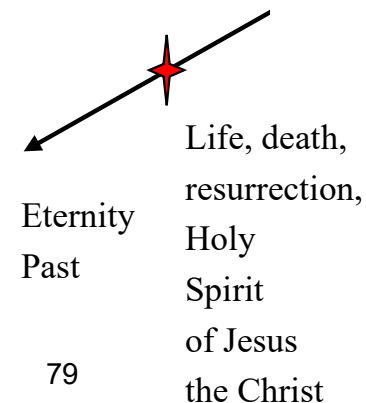


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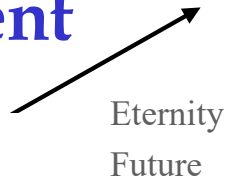


By reading the previously mentioned 177 Scriptures, we can readily see that both divine healing and divine health are taught in Scripture for all who will meet the conditions of faith & obedience required by the gospel, as Jesus has already paid the price for healing; paid in full (Is. 53; Matt. 8:17; 1 Peter 2:24).

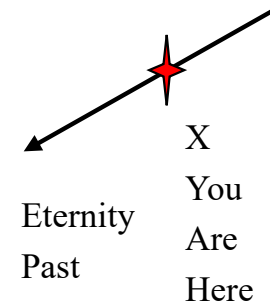
- All covenants were ratified by **Atonement** (Ex. 24:5-8; Lev. 14:18; Heb. 9:11-22)
 - If the covenants were ratified in blood, then the benefits of the contracts are in the **Atonement**
- See 20 additional proofs that healing & health are in the Atonement of Jesus Christ at www.gotchoices.net/health/healing/atonement



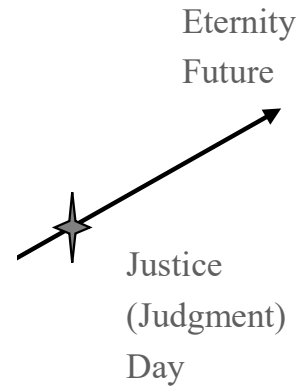
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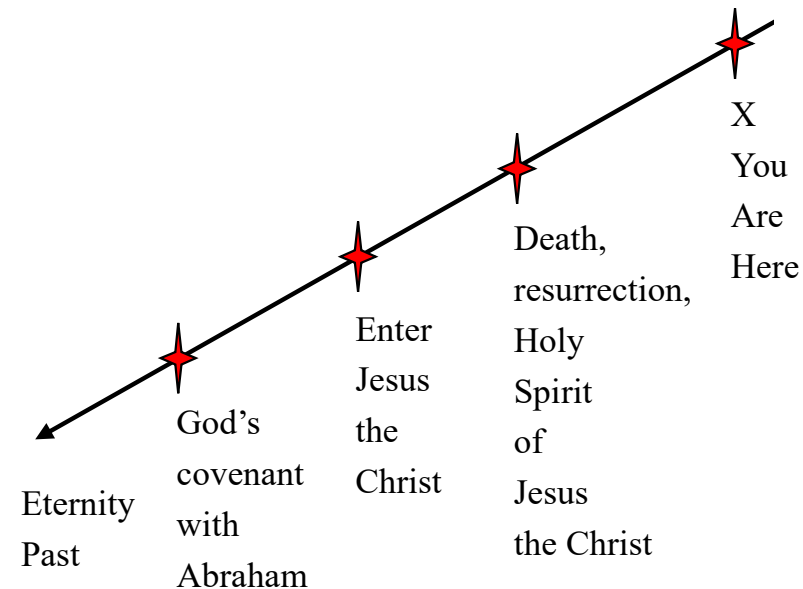
- The atonement is the basis of all God's mercy of any kind to people. When sin is atoned for, naturally the results of sin are likewise atoned for. When sin is removed out of the human race, there will be no more issues (Rev.21)
- Healing was promised on condition of obedience to God
(Ex.15:26; 23:24-25; Lev.26:3,14-16; Deut.7:14-15; 28:1-61; Ps.91; Pr.3:8; 4:20-22; Isa.53; 58; Matt.8:17; Jas.5:14-16)
- God always healed when the lessons were learned and people came to repentance
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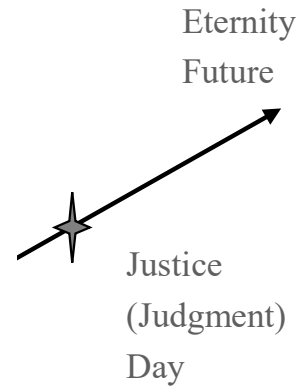
Healing & Health – Good News!



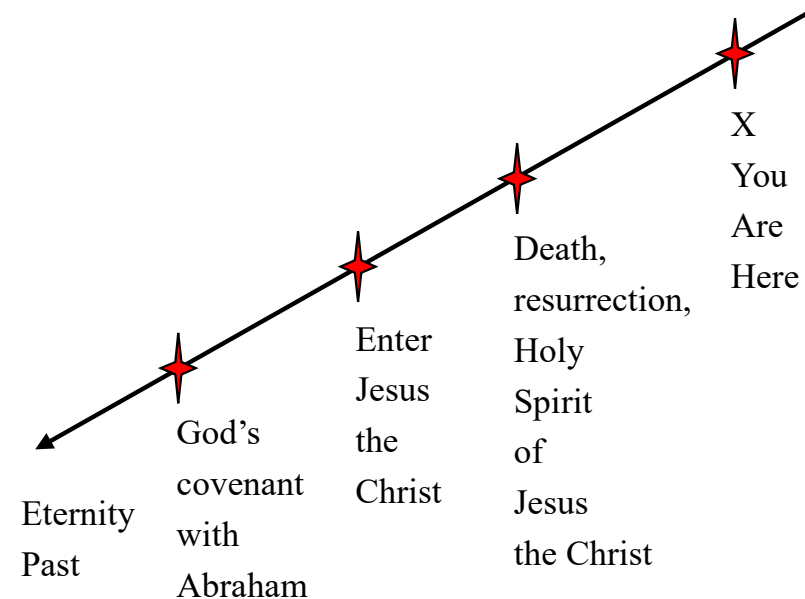
- God has definitely made many promises concerning every known need for the human life in the here and now as well as for the life that is to come
- His children can be healthy and happy
 - Ex.15:26; 23:25; Ps.91; 103:3; 105:37; 107:20; Pr.3:7-8; 4:20-22; Isa.53:4-5; 58:8; Matthew 8:16-17; 1 Pet.2:24; Jas.5:14-16; 3 John 1:2
- See also www.gotchoices.net/promises



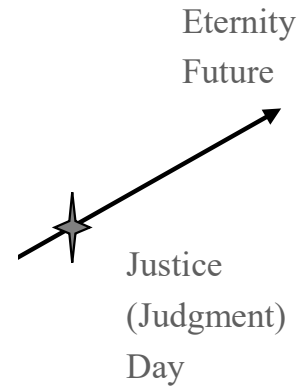
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- To accomplish this, He has given us all the resources we need
 - His Word
 - His Spirit
 - The shed blood of His Son, Jesus the Christ
 - The wounded body of His Son, Jesus the Christ
 - His peace, righteousness, salvation — includes deliverance and healing
 - His church body
(1 Cor.1:7; 12:9; Rom.12:6-8; 15:18-19,29; Jas.5:14-16; Heb.2:3-4)
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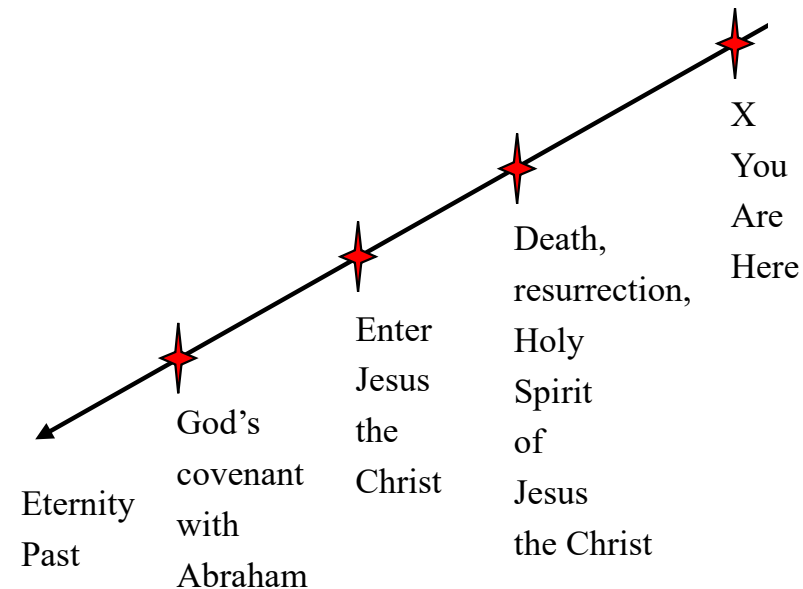
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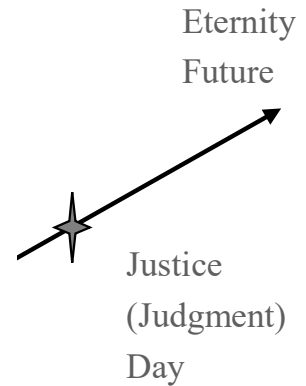
The greatest single contributor to our health & wellness is the Holy Spirit

- “...If the Spirit of Him [God] who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, He who raised Jesus from the dead will also **give life to your mortal body** through His Spirit who dwells in you.” —*Romans 8:11*

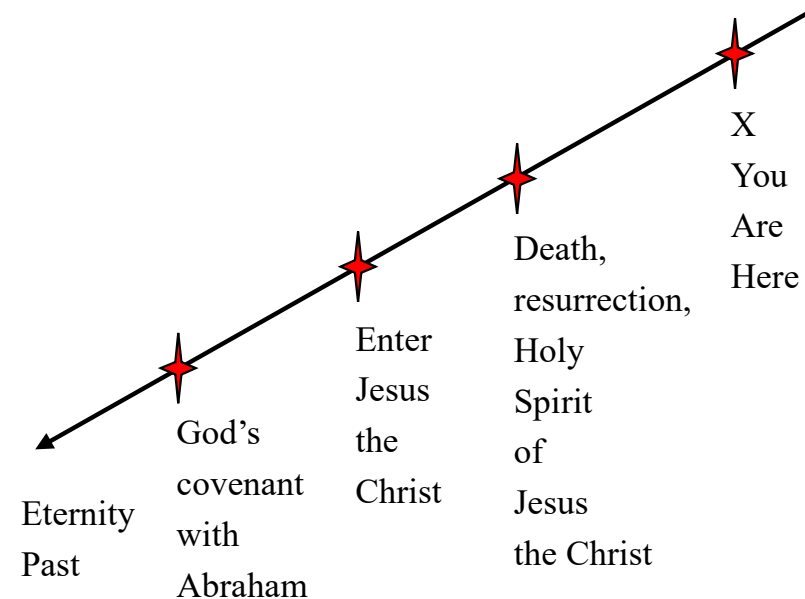
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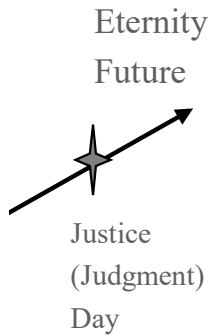
Healing & Health – Good News!



- God has restored an authorized and practical way of healthy living in this twisted, cursed world system
- Good News!
- Ex.15:26; 23:25; Ps. 91; 103:3; 105:37; 107:20; Pr.3:7-8; 4:20-22; Isa.53:4-5; 58:8; Matt.8:16-17; 1 Pet.2:24; Jas.5:14-16; 3 Jn.1:2
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God's Compassion & Power Still Restoring

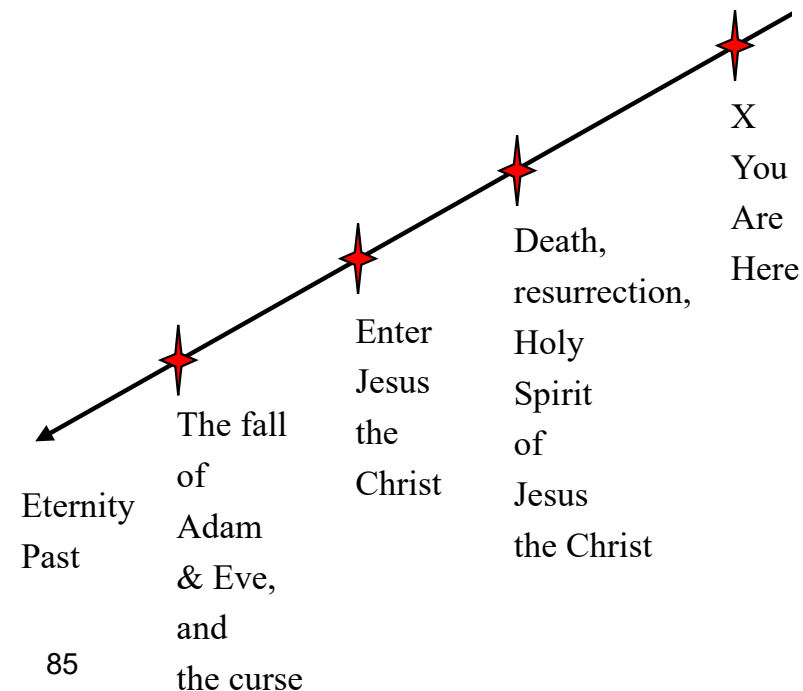


- “Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord. His divine power *has given* to us *all* things that pertain to life and godliness through the knowledge of Him. He called us by glory and virtue by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises. [Please notice it is not in the future tense.] And through these [promises] *you may be partakers of the divine nature*, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust!”

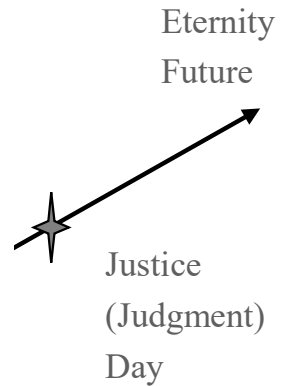
(2 Pet. 1:2-4; see also 1 Cor.1:4-9; Ps.23:1)

- “Jesus the Christ the same yesterday, today, and forever” (Heb.13:8)
- “I AM *Jehovah-Raphah*” — your “Physician”/“Curer” (Ex.15:26)

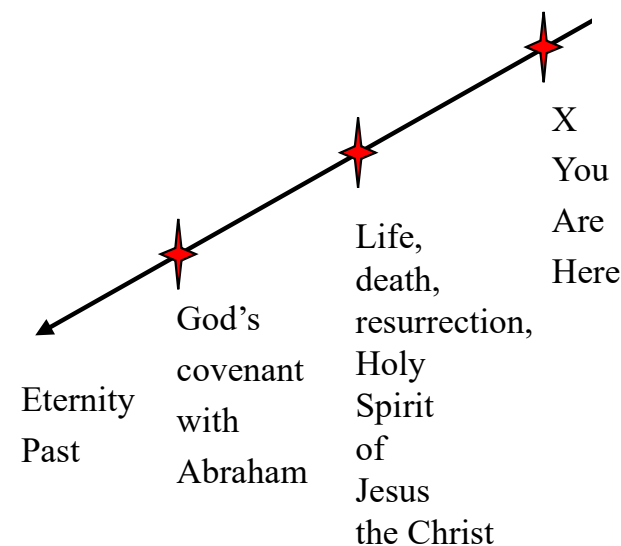
(Dare we say, “**He was**”?)



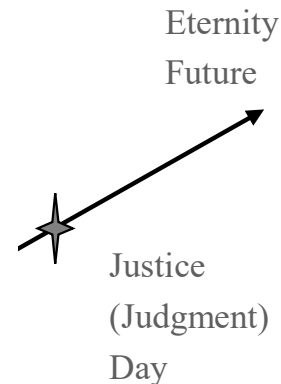
Healing & Health – Defined



- Divine healing and health is a definite act of God through faith in Jesus by the power of the Holy Spirit, the Word of God, and the precious blood & body of Christ, whereby the human body is cured, healed, repaired, delivered from issues and their power, and made whole, sound, and healthy
- Divine healing and health is not healing and health by imagination, will power, personal magnetism, metaphysics, spiritualism, immunity from death, presumption, mind over matter, human remedies, natural remedies, insubordination to God's will, denial of the plain facts of sin, issues, and disease, or natural healing by inherent laws and creative powers in humankind's body (i.e. our God-given immune systems, lymph systems, endocrine systems, limbic systems, etc.) I AM *Jehovah-Raphah* – your *Physician*.
- Deut. 28:1-61; see also previous 177 Scriptures

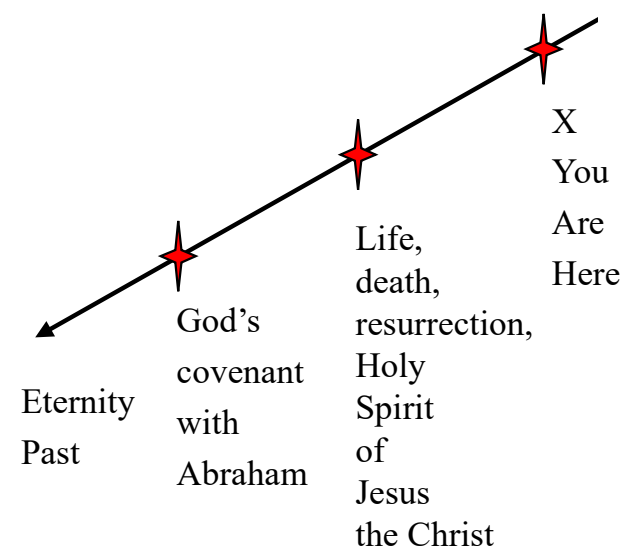


Healing & Health – Good News!



Jesus Already Paid for it in Full

- The Bible teaches that wholeness — good sound health, healing, and wellness in every respect — is always the will of God for His children. **And Jesus already paid for it in full...**
- “...Jesus personally carried away our sins in His body so **we** can be rid of sin and live the right way; **by His wounds *you* were healed** (1 Peter 2:24)
- “Beloved, I pray **above all things** that **you** may prosper and **be in health**, even as your soul prospers” (3 John 1:2)
- Understand our need to appropriate what Jesus has already paid for at www.gotchoices.net/promises/appropriate



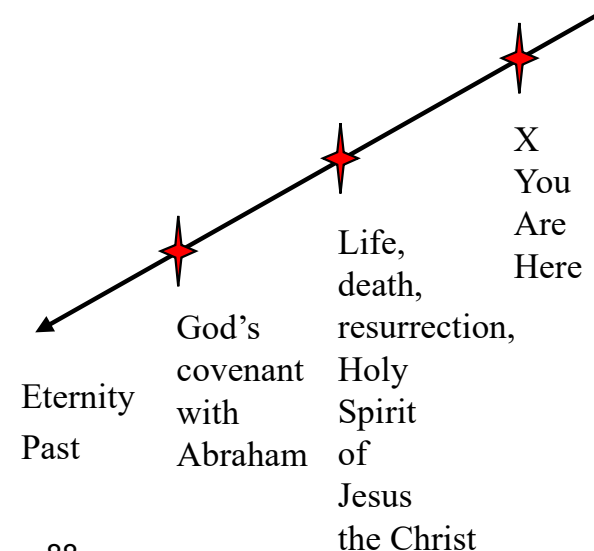
Jehovah-Rapha Gives Our Redemptive Privilege



*I AM Jehovah-Rapha:
Your Physician; Curer*

Promise

- I AM the Lord who heals you (Ex.15:26)
 - I AM *Jehovah-Raphah* – your “Physician” / “Curer”
 - One of His seven redemptive names
 - The Creator of the human body and Author of its healing and health
- Completely contrary to the fraudulent, cursed world system
(Isa.29:14; 1 Cor.1:18-28; Col.2:17-3:3; Prv.3:5-8)



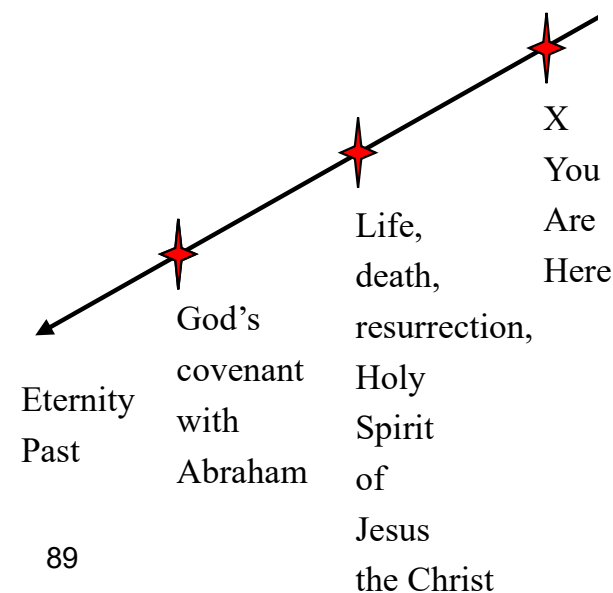
God's New Covenant of Healing & Health

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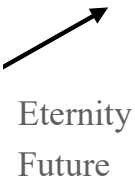
- *God is obligated to heal when His conditions are met*

Conditions for Healing for Any with Issues

1. Believe (trust in, rely on God with faith unwavering)
 - *Jehovah – Raphah*
2. Dedicated to God alone for His service
3. Confession of relevant sin(s)
4. Declarative prayer of faith¹
 - No one can expect to be free from health issues unless they meet the conditions; and every one can expect such blessing when they meet them
(Ex.15:23; 20:6; 23:22-25; Ps.91; Isa.58; Jas.1:6-7; 5:14-16)



Completely Contrary to Cursed World System



- *Spiritual means to heal issues is what God has promised*

- By reading the previous 177 Scriptures, we can readily see that spiritual means is all that God has promised, commanded, and provided for in healing people's issues

(See the previous 177 Scriptures; see also Gen. 20:7,17; Job 33:24-25; 42:10; Lev. 26; Deut.7:14-15; 28)

- Christ and the apostles dealt with issues as they would deal with sin (Matt. 9:1-12; Mark 2:1-11; John 5:14; Jas. 5:14-16). They dealt with issues by casting out demons who cause them

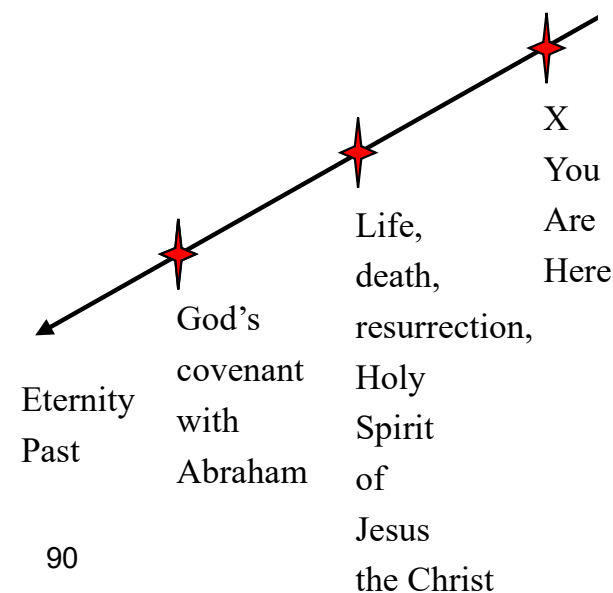
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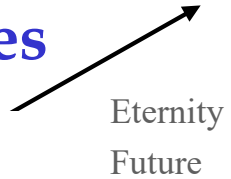
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- See also www.gotchoices.net/health/healing/nt

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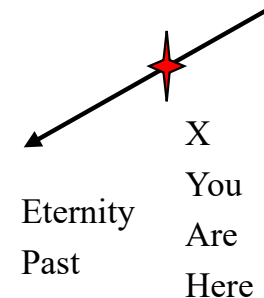


Healing by Spiritual Means Instead of Human Remedies

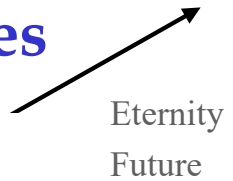


Why is it that in all cases of healing in both the old and new covenants, spiritual means were used instead of human remedies?

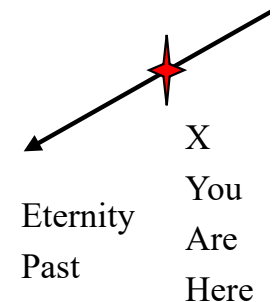
- “...For **God’s** is the kingdom and the power and **the glory** for ever! Amen” (Matt.6:13)
- “...I [Jesus] am the way, the truth, and the life...” (Jn.14:6)
- “I [Jesus] am not seeking **glory** for myself; but **there is One who seeks it, and He is the judge**” (Jn.8:50)
- “**All glory to the only wise God, through Jesus the Christ, for ever! So be it**” (Rom.16:27)



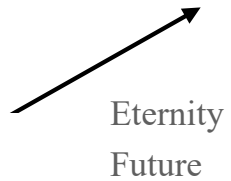
Healing by Spiritual Means Instead of Human Remedies



- Spiritual means is all that God has promised and commanded to be used in issues
- Spiritual means to heal issues is all that God has provided for His people
- There is no case recorded in the Scriptures where God's people got benefits from any other source than by spiritual means
- See the previous 177 Scriptures; see also the terms of the aforementioned Covenants of Healing & Health; the terms of the aforementioned Atonement; Gen. 20:17-18; Job 33:24-25; 42:10
- See also www.gotchoices.net/health/healing/ot
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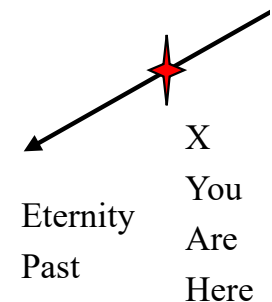


God's Outrageous Loving Mercy

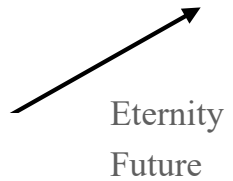


Regarding “Spiritual means is all that God has provided for in healing people’s issues:”

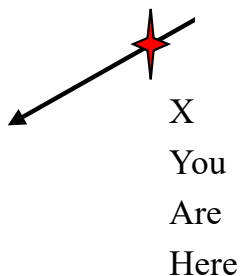
- This is not to say that God, in His outrageous loving mercy, will allow some things He’s prayerfully asked to allow, in order to preserve us “...so that we may come to repentance and believe the truth. Then we may come to our senses and escape the devil’s trap ... having been held captive by him [the devil] to do his will” ... “so that our spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord” ... “for it is the goodness of God that leads us to repentance” (See 2 Tim.2:24-26; 1 Cor.5:5; Rom.2:4; 9:15)
- Be encouraged to consider that, in answer to fervent prayer, again—in His outrageous loving mercy—God may perhaps give some remedy practitioners assistance to preserve us “...so that we may come to repentance and believe the truth”
“...that our spirit may be saved in the day of the Lord”
“...for it is the goodness of God that leads us to repentance”



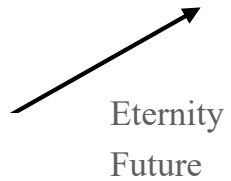
Further Imperative Insight



- How we can be healed and well even if we've had no healing after prayer and anointing with oil
- How we can be healed and well even when our issues are genetic or inherited
- God's provision of identification & removal of the barriers to His healing and wellness
- The sources of issues
- The purpose of issues
- Discerning counterfeit remedies
- How to help others be healed and well



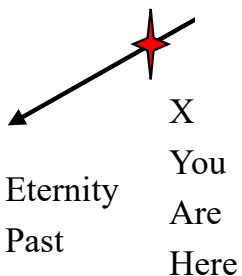
God's Provision For People's Healing, Health and Wellness



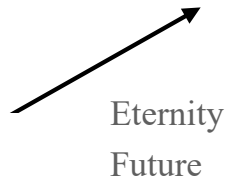
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this challenging yet rewarding journey
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Endnotes



1. The “prayer of faith” of James 5:14-16 is very different from a petitioning prayer. When the Bible speaks about our healing, it never puts it in the future. It is finished. As far as God is concerned, healing has already been obtained. And therefore this prayer becomes a decree, a pronouncement, and an authoritative demand that a condition on earth must respond to the dominion of the Kingdom of heaven. For an in-depth explanation of its original Greek language usage, see *Change the World with Prayer*; (pp. 18-20) Copyright 2016 by Wayne C. Anderson; published by Standsure Press www.standsure.net

Important Note Regarding Romans 6:12-16, 7:20 – 8:13, 12:1-2

- Key Bible passage in the context of our health & wellness
- For a comprehensive study, visit www.gotchoices.net/health/mind-body
- See also Deuteronomy 28:1-61; Proverbs 26:2
- Be strongly encouraged to review and apply to your life

