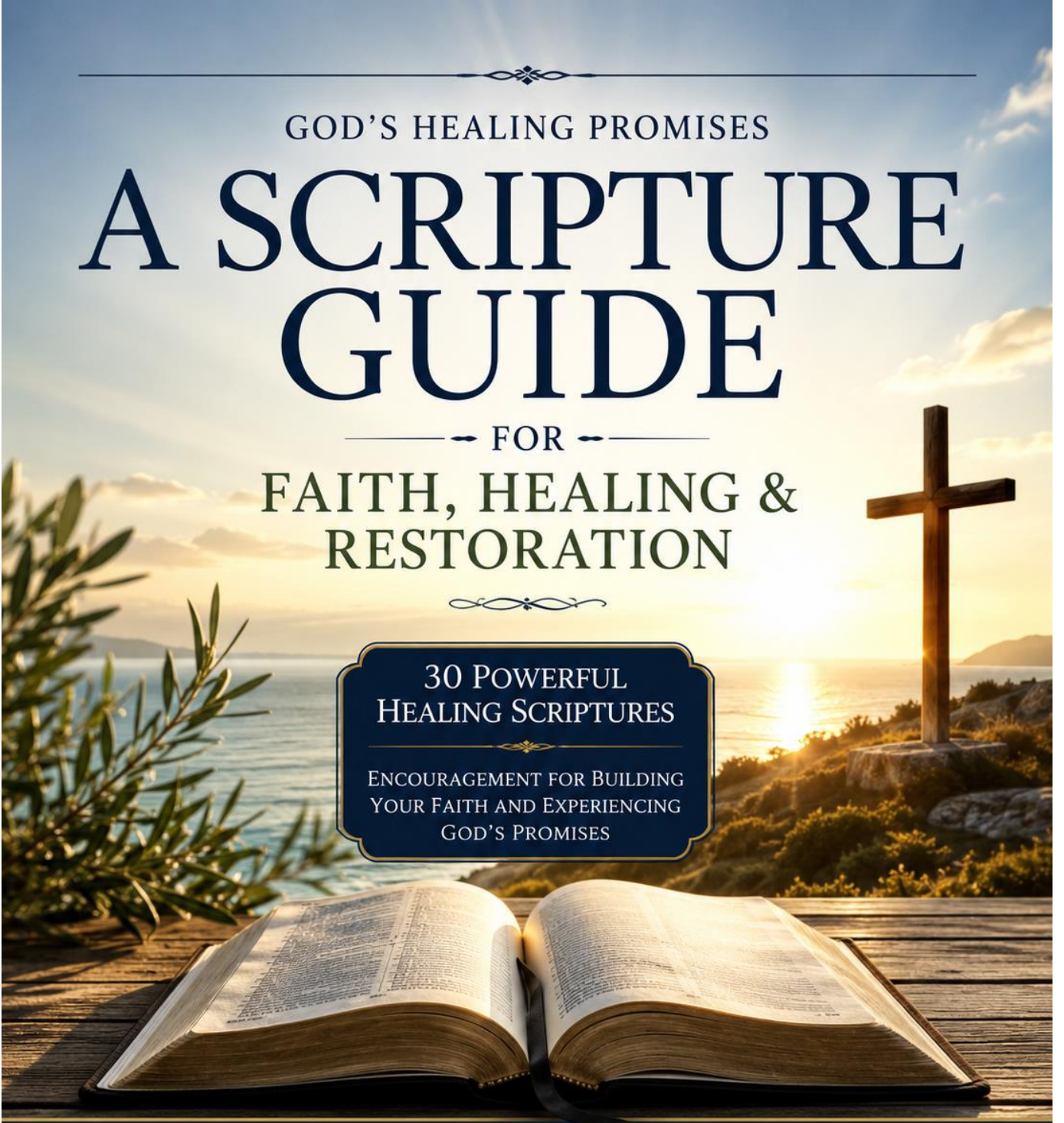




GOD'S HEALING PROMISES

A SCRIPTURE GUIDE

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FAITH, HEALING &
RESTORATION

30 POWERFUL
HEALING SCRIPTURES

ENCOURAGEMENT FOR BUILDING
YOUR FAITH AND EXPERIENCING
GOD'S PROMISES

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He sent His Word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions.

PSALM 107:20

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A Personal Note

Friend,

If you are reading this guide, there is a good chance that you or someone you love is facing a battle with sickness, pain, weakness, or disease.

First, let me encourage you with this truth: God has not changed.

The same Jesus who healed the sick, opened blind eyes, cleansed lepers, and raised the dead is alive today. His love has not changed. His power has not changed. His promises have not changed.

Throughout Scripture, we see God's heart for His people. He reveals Himself as Jehovah Rapha—"The Lord Who Heals." We see Jesus healing the sick, restoring the broken, and bringing hope to those who felt hopeless. We see God's promises of healing, strength, peace, and restoration from Genesis to Revelation.

This guide was created to help you focus on those promises.

The scriptures that follow are not merely words on a page. They are God's Word. They reveal His character, His faithfulness, and His willingness to work in the lives of His people.

I encourage you to read these scriptures often. Read them slowly. Read them prayerfully. Read them aloud. Allow them to take root in your heart.

Whatever challenge you may be facing today, remember this: God is faithful.

His Word is true.

His promises are sure.

And Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

May this guide strengthen your faith, encourage your heart, and help you experience the peace and faithfulness of God in a deeper way.

In Christ,

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Why These Scriptures Matter

Many people approach God's Word as information.

God intended His Word to become revelation.

There is a difference between knowing what a verse says and allowing that verse to become established in your heart.

When challenges arise, information alone is often not enough. We need something deeper. We need the confidence that comes from knowing God's promises and believing that what He has said is true.

The Bible teaches us that faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God. As we continually read, hear, speak, and meditate upon God's Word, faith begins to grow in our hearts.

Jesus said that "out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks." What fills the heart eventually comes out of the mouth. This is why it is so important to continually feed upon God's promises rather than focusing only on circumstances, symptoms, fears, or negative reports.

I often describe this process using the illustration of two gates: the eye gate and the ear gate.

What continually enters through your eyes and ears eventually finds its way into your heart. And what fills your heart will eventually influence your thoughts, your words, your attitudes, and your expectations.

That is why these scriptures matter.

As you read them, don't rush through them.

Read them slowly.

Read them thoughtfully.

Read them aloud whenever possible.

Allow God's promises to become bigger in your thinking than the challenges you may be facing.

God's Word has the power to produce faith, strengthen hope, renew the mind, bring peace to the heart, and encourage us in every season of life.

These scriptures are more than words on a page.

They are God's promises to His people.

And God is faithful to His Word.

How To Use This Guide

God's Word is often compared to food, seed, light, and even medicine. Just as our physical bodies require nourishment and care, our hearts and minds need continual exposure to God's promises.

This guide was designed to help you fill your heart with scriptures that reveal God's faithfulness, His promises, and His provision for His people.

To receive the greatest benefit from these scriptures, I encourage you to:

Read Them Daily

Consistency is more important than quantity. Even a few minutes each day spent reading and meditating on God's Word can strengthen your faith and renew your mind.

Read Them Aloud

Faith comes by hearing. There is something powerful about hearing God's Word spoken aloud, even when the voice you hear is your own.

Personalize Them

As you read, place yourself in the scriptures. Receive God's promises as personal promises to you and your family.

Meditate On Them

Meditation is simply taking time to think about, ponder, and reflect upon God's Word. Rather than rushing through a passage, allow it to settle deeply into your heart.

Choose God's Report

There may be times when circumstances, symptoms, emotions, or negative reports seem to contradict God's promises. Continue feeding upon His Word and allow His truth to become greater in your thinking than the circumstances around you.

Expect God To Be Faithful

These scriptures are not magic formulas. They are promises from a faithful God. As you read them, place your confidence not in your own ability, but in God's character, God's faithfulness, and God's Word.

Many years ago, Charles Capps offered this practical advice regarding healing scriptures:

"To be spoken by mouth three times a day until faith comes, then once a day to maintain faith. If circumstances grow worse, double the dosage. There are no harmful side effects."

Most importantly, keep your eyes on Jesus.

He is the Author and Finisher of our faith.

He is faithful.

He is good.

And His promises never fail.

SECTION 1

Introduction

God's Will Is To Heal

Before we can confidently trust God in any area of life, we must first understand His heart.

Many sincere believers have struggled with questions such as:

"Is healing really God's will for me?"

"Does God still heal today?"

"Can I truly trust His promises?"

The good news is that God's Word provides clear answers.

Throughout Scripture, God reveals Himself as a God of compassion, mercy, restoration, and healing. From the Old Testament to the ministry of Jesus and the early Church, we repeatedly see God's desire to help, restore, strengthen, and bless His people.

Healing is not something God reluctantly provides.

It flows from His loving nature.

As you read the scriptures in this section, notice how often God reveals Himself as the source of life, health, strength, and restoration.

God is good.

God is faithful.

And God's heart toward His people has never changed.

EXODUS 15:26

"And said, If thou wilt diligently hearken to the voice of the LORD thy God, and wilt do that which is right in his sight, and wilt give ear to his commandments, and keep all his statutes, I will put none of these diseases upon thee, which I have brought upon the Egyptians: for I am the LORD that healeth thee."

EXODUS 23:25-26

"And ye shall serve the LORD your God, and he shall bless thy bread, and thy water; and I will take sickness away from the midst of thee.

There shall nothing cast their young, nor be barren, in thy land: the number of thy days I will fulfil."

DEUTERONOMY 7:14-15

"Thou shalt be blessed above all people: there shall not be male or female barren among you, or among your cattle.

And the LORD will take away from thee all sickness, and will put none of the evil diseases of Egypt, which thou knowest, upon thee; but will lay them upon all them that hate thee."

PSALM 103:1-5

"Bless the LORD, O my soul: and all that is within me, bless his holy name.

Bless the LORD, O my soul, and forget not all his benefits:

Who forgiveth all thine iniquities;

Who healeth all thy diseases;

Who redeemeth thy life from destruction;

Who crowneth thee with lovingkindness and tender mercies;

Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things; so that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's."

JEREMIAH 30:17

"For I will restore health unto thee, and I will heal thee of thy wounds, saith the LORD."

3 JOHN 2

"Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth."

SECTION 2

JESUS PAID THE PRICE FOR OUR HEALING

At the very heart of the Gospel is the finished work of Jesus Christ.

Many people understand that Jesus died for our sins, but the Scriptures reveal that His redemptive work accomplished far more than forgiveness alone.

Throughout the Bible, we see that Jesus not only bore our sins, but He also carried our griefs, sorrows, sicknesses, and pains. Through His sacrifice, He made provision for every area of our lives.

Our faith is not based upon our worthiness.

Our faith is based upon His finished work.

These scriptures reveal what Christ accomplished for us through His death, burial, and resurrection. As you read them, focus your attention upon Jesus and all that He has done on your behalf.

The same Savior who forgives sins is also the Savior who heals, restores, strengthens, and delivers.

Our confidence rests not in ourselves, but in Him.

ISAIAH 53:4-5

"Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted.

But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon him; and with his stripes we are healed."

MATTHEW 8:16-17

"When the even was come, they brought unto him many that were possessed with devils: and he cast out the spirits with his word, and healed all that were sick:

That it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Esaias the prophet, saying, Himself took our infirmities, and bare our sicknesses."

GALATIANS 3:13-14

"Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree:

That the blessing of Abraham might come on the Gentiles through Jesus Christ; that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith."

1 PETER 2:24

"Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed."

HEBREWS 13:8

"Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and today, and for ever."

SECTION 3

GOD'S HEALING POWER IS AVAILABLE TODAY

Some people wonder whether healing was only for Bible days.

Others ask if God's healing power ceased with the early Church or was limited to a select group of people.

The Scriptures tell a different story.

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever. The same compassion that moved Him to heal the sick during His earthly ministry still flows from His heart today. The same Holy Spirit who empowered the early Church continues to work in the lives of believers around the world.

God has not changed.

His promises have not changed.

His power has not changed.

As you read the scriptures in this section, notice the consistency of God's character. Notice the compassion of Jesus. Notice the power of the Holy Spirit at work in the lives of ordinary people.

These verses remind us that healing is not merely a historical event recorded in Scripture. God's healing power is still available to those who trust Him today.

Let these scriptures strengthen your faith and encourage your heart.

The God who worked then is still working now.

MATTHEW 15:30-31

"And great multitudes came unto him, having with them those that were lame, blind, dumb, maimed, and many others, and cast them down at Jesus' feet; and he healed them:

Insomuch that the multitude wondered, when they saw the dumb to speak, the maimed to be whole, the lame to walk, and the blind to see: and they glorified the God of Israel."

LUKE 6:19

"And the whole multitude sought to touch him: for there went virtue out of him, and healed them all."

ACTS 10:38

"How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Ghost and with power: who went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with him."

JAMES 5:14-16

"Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord:

And the prayer of faith shall save the sick, and the Lord shall raise him up; and if he have committed sins, they shall be forgiven him.

Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much."

ROMANS 8:11

"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."

SECTION 4

BUILDING FAITH FOR HEALING

Faith does not come by wishing.

Faith does not come by hoping.

Faith does not come by trying harder.

The Bible tells us that faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the Word of God.

When challenges arise, our natural tendency is often to focus on symptoms, circumstances, reports, and emotions. Yet God's Word calls us to fix our attention upon His promises.

I often describe this process using the illustration of two gates: the eye gate and the ear gate.

What continually enters through your eyes and ears eventually finds its way into your heart.

What fills your heart eventually comes out of your mouth.

And according to Jesus, out of the abundance of the heart the mouth speaks.

This is why it is so important to continually read, hear, speak, and meditate upon God's promises.

When God's Word becomes greater in your thinking than the circumstances you face, faith begins to rise.

As you read the scriptures in this section, ask God to help His Word become firmly established in your heart.

Allow His promises to become more real to you than fear, doubt, symptoms, or negative reports.

Faith grows where God's Word is given first place.

PROVERBS 4:20-24

"My son, attend to my words; incline thine ear unto my sayings.

Let them not depart from thine eyes; keep them in the midst of thine heart.

For they are life unto those that find them, and health to all their flesh.

Keep thy heart with all diligence; for out of it are the issues of life.

Put away from thee a froward mouth, and perverse lips put far from thee."

PSALM 107:20

"He sent his word, and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions."

JEREMIAH 17:14

"Heal me, O LORD, and I shall be healed; save me, and I shall be saved: for thou art my praise."

HEBREWS 10:23

"Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised)."

MARK 9:23

"Jesus said unto him, If thou canst believe, all things are possible to him that believeth."

MARK 11:22-24

"And Jesus answering saith unto them, Have faith in God.

For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.

Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them."

SECTION 5

SPEAKING GOD'S PROMISE OVER YOUR LIFE

The words we speak matter.

Throughout Scripture, we are encouraged to agree with God, trust His promises, and hold fast to our confession of faith.

This does not mean pretending problems do not exist. It means choosing to believe what God has said above what circumstances may be saying.

There will be times when symptoms speak.

There will be times when fear speaks.

There will be times when doubt tries to speak.

In those moments, we have a choice.

We can repeat what fear says, or we can agree with what God says.

Faith speaks.

Faith declares God's promises.

Faith chooses to trust God's Word even when circumstances have not yet changed.

As you read these scriptures, allow them to shape your words, your thoughts, and your expectations.

Let the promises of God become the language of your heart.

Choose to speak life.

Choose to speak faith.

Choose to speak God's Word.

JOEL 3:10

"Beat your plowshares into swords, and your pruninghooks into spears: let the weak say, I am strong."

PSALM 118:17

"I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the LORD."

MATTHEW 21:21-22

"Jesus answered and said unto them, Verily I say unto you, If ye have faith, and doubt not, ye shall not only do this which is done to the fig tree, but also if ye shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; it shall be done.

And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive."

ISAIAH 41:10

"Fear thou not; for I am with thee: be not dismayed; for I am thy God: I will strengthen thee; yea, I will help thee; yea, I will uphold thee with the right hand of my righteousness."

2 TIMOTHY 1:7

"For God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind."

HEBREWS 10:23

"Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; (for he is faithful that promised)."

1 JOHN 5:14-15

"And this is the confidence that we have in him, that, if we ask any thing according to his will, he heareth us:

And if we know that he hear us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desired of him."

SECTION 6

PEACE, REST, AND CONFIDENCE IN GOD

When facing sickness, pain, uncertainty, or difficult circumstances, one of the greatest battles often takes place in the mind.

Fear tries to steal our peace.

Worry tries to rob us of our confidence.

Anxiety attempts to convince us that we are alone and without help.

But God's Word tells a different story.

Again and again throughout Scripture, God reminds His people that He is with them. He is their refuge, their strength, their protector, and their ever-present help in times of trouble.

Peace is not the absence of challenges.

Peace is the confidence that God is with us in the midst of those challenges.

As you read these scriptures, allow God's promises to quiet your fears and strengthen your heart.

Take comfort in His faithfulness.

Rest in His presence.

Place your confidence in His promises.

The God who loves you is watching over you, caring for you, and working on your behalf.

You can trust Him.

PSALM 91:9-10, 14-16

"Because thou hast made the LORD, which is my refuge, even the most High, thy habitation;

There shall no evil befall thee, neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.

Because he hath set his love upon me, therefore will I deliver him: I will set him on high, because he hath known my name.

He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and honour him.

With long life will I satisfy him, and show him my salvation."

PHILIPPIANS 4:6-9

"Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.

And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus.

Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honest, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are pure, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.

Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you."

JEREMIAH 1:12

"Then said the LORD unto me, Thou hast well seen: for I will hasten my word to perform it."

ISAIAH 26:3-4

"Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace, whose mind is stayed on thee: because he trusteth in thee.

Trust ye in the LORD for ever: for in the LORD JEHOVAH is everlasting strength."

PSALM 46:1

"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."

HEBREWS 13:5-6

"For he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee.

So that we may boldly say, The Lord is my helper, and I will not fear what man shall do unto me."

GOD'S FAITHFULNESS NEVER FAILS

In 2016, I faced a diagnosis that changed my life.

I was diagnosed with stage 3 Hodgkin's Lymphoma.

Like many people who receive difficult news, I found myself facing questions, uncertainties, and challenges that seemed much larger than me. Yet through that season, God taught me lessons about His faithfulness that I will never forget.

Over the next six months, I underwent chemotherapy treatments. During that time, I was unable to work, and there were many opportunities to become discouraged, fearful, or overwhelmed.

Instead, I made a decision.

I chose to continually fill my heart and mind with God's Word.

Day after day, I read healing scriptures. I spoke them aloud. I meditated on God's promises. I reminded myself that God's Word is true regardless of what I saw, felt, or experienced.

I discovered in a deeper way than ever before that faith is not built by focusing on circumstances. Faith is built by focusing on God's promises.

But God's faithfulness extended far beyond my physical healing.

One of the medications required during my treatment cost approximately \$38,000 every two weeks. My insurance company would not cover it. From a natural perspective, there seemed to be no way for me to receive the treatment I needed.

Yet God made a way.

Through circumstances that could only be described as His favor and provision, I received every treatment I needed and was never charged one dime for that medication.

Not only did God provide for my medical needs, but He also supplied every financial need during the six months I was unable to work.

And as if that were not enough, God added what I often call the "cherry on top."

In the middle of that journey, He gave me a new song.

I titled it, "I Release My Faith."

Looking back, I realize that the song was more than music. It was a reminder of what God was teaching me through that entire season—to trust Him, to believe His promises, and to place my confidence in His faithfulness rather than my circumstances.

Even during one of the most challenging seasons of my life, God continued to encourage my heart, strengthen my faith, and remind me that He was with me every step of the way. Looking back now, I am reminded that God's faithfulness is not limited to one area of our lives.

He is our Healer.

He is our Provider.

He is our Strength.

He is our Peace.

The purpose of sharing this testimony is not to draw attention to my story, but to point you to the faithfulness of God.

The same God who sustained me through that season remains faithful today.

If you are facing sickness, pain, uncertainty, fear, or a difficult report, I encourage you to hold fast to God's promises.

Feed upon His Word.

Trust His faithfulness.

Keep your eyes on Jesus.

The circumstances may change.

The reports may change.

The feelings may change.

But God never changes.

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

And His faithfulness never fails.

"Let us hold fast the profession of our faith without wavering; for He is faithful that promised."
— Hebrews 10:23

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HEALING CONFESSION

I am a child of God.

Jesus Christ is my Lord and my Savior.

I am forgiven.

I am redeemed.

I am loved by God.

I am the righteousness of God in Christ Jesus.

God's Word is true.

God is faithful to every promise He has made.

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

He is my Healer.

He is my Provider.

He is my Strength.

He is my Peace.

According to God's Word, Jesus bore my sins in His own body on the tree.

According to God's Word, Jesus bore my sicknesses and carried my pains.

By His stripes I am healed.

God's Word is life to me and health to all my flesh.

The healing power of God is at work in me now.

The same Spirit who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in me and gives life to my mortal body.

I choose faith over fear.

I choose God's report over every negative report.

I refuse to allow fear, doubt, or discouragement to rule my heart.

God has not given me a spirit of fear, but of power, and of love, and of a sound mind.

I trust in the Lord with all my heart.

His grace is sufficient for me.

His strength is made perfect in weakness.

Every day I grow stronger in faith.

Every day I grow stronger in hope.

Every day I grow stronger in the Lord.

I receive God's peace.

I receive God's strength.

I receive God's wisdom.

I receive God's healing power.

I receive restoration in every area of my life.

I will not be moved by what I see.

I will not be moved by what I feel.

I will not be moved by circumstances.

I am moved by God's Word.

I shall not die, but live, and declare the works of the Lord.

God is faithful.

God is good.

God's promises are true.

And I will give Him praise.

In Jesus' Name,

Amen.

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In 2016, Clay faced a diagnosis of Hodgkin's Lymphoma. Through that journey he experienced firsthand the faithfulness of God as the Lord provided healing, strength, peace, and financial provision every step of the way.

Today, Clay continues to share God's Word through music, teaching, writing, and online ministry, with a desire to help others grow in faith, experience God's peace, and discover the hope found in Jesus Christ.

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For additional music, devotionals, Bible studies, and free resources, visit:

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A FINAL WORD OF ENCOURAGEMENT

Thank you for taking the time to read this guide.

My prayer is that these scriptures have encouraged your heart, strengthened your faith, and reminded you of the faithfulness of God.

Whatever challenge you may be facing today, remember this:

God has not forgotten you.

God has not abandoned you.

God is still at work.

Continue to fill your heart with His Word.

Continue to trust His promises.

Continue to keep your eyes on Jesus.

The same God who was faithful yesterday will be faithful tomorrow.

His promises remain true.

His Word remains powerful.

And His love remains constant.

If this guide has encouraged you, consider sharing it with a friend or loved one who may need hope, healing, strength, or encouragement.

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May the Lord bless you, strengthen you, and fill you with His peace.

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God's Word builds faith. God's faithfulness sustains us. God's promises never fail!