

## Healings – Spiritual

Mostly when we think of getting a healing from God we usually think of recovering from some physical ailment. It is true that Yahweh God is our source of being healed from a physical affliction, but the Scriptures also tell us that we need to be healed spiritually at times too. This can be more important than a physical healing since a person with a strong body can still suffer from being separated from God and headed for eternal doom. We need healed in our “spirit”, our inner being of dispositions and our relationship with God, or all is lost that accounts for true and lasting life in the age to come.

Believers may find it necessary to receive a spiritual healing from God due to a backsliding away from the faith. God is fully aware of our struggle against the ways of the world and He wants to heal backsliders who have stumbled into sin. *“Return ye backsliding children, and I will heal your backslidings. Behold, we come unto thee; for thou art Yahweh our God.”* (Jeremiah 3:22) If a person has backslidden, it is necessary that as soon as God reveals His intent to bring one back into a spiritual healing, that the person respond in turn and receive, with heart felt conviction, the spiritual healing that God is handing us. If the person hesitates or refuses the spiritual healing from God, God has said that He will pull it away. In other words, if God opens a door, and you know it, you are expected to enter in and fellowship with Him. The prophet Isaiah wrote about what God does with stubborn people who reject spiritual healings:

*“And (God) said, Go and tell this people, Hear ye indeed, but understand not; and see ye indeed, but perceive not, Make the heart of this people fat, and their ears heavy, and shut their eyes, lest they see with their eyes, and hear with their ears, and understand with their heart, and convert, and be healed.”* (Isaiah 6:9,10)

Finally, we are told that our source for spiritual healing is only God Almighty. Spiritual healing cannot be found by going to a psychologist, a mediation guru, or even a minister who does not know God's Word. Consoling words, affirmations, imaginations, and support group therapy offer a shallow level of help that usually does nothing to correct a backsliding condition into sin that has brought on the spiritual sickness.

True spiritual healing for a Saxon Israel Christian in need of recovery comes through God's manifestation to us – The Christ. *“Surely He hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows – He was wounded for our transgressions – and with His stripes we are healed.”* (Isaiah 53:3-5)

Have you been heavily wounded in the “spirit”? Are you tired of laboring after men's advice to fix your ailing “spirit”. God's Word beckons us to seek Christ, the image of the invisible God (Col.1:15), with all your heart and He will give you spiritual healings and peace.

Jesus says, *“Come unto me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest.”* (Matthew 11:28)