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# Heart Talk

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Dearly beloved of God!

Grace and peace be to you from Poondi, our Center of Healing for the Nations. We just finished a very powerful 10-days Short Term Course in our new facilities for the Glory of God. Twelve nations and twelve states of India were represented. Right from the first day, the Presence and Glory of the Lord was heavy on all of us. Lives were mightily transformed, many were delivered, curses and soul ties were broken. Every day the prophetic messages were freely flowing from my spirit. The enemy tried his best to hinder God's work through climate and electricity problems, but he was totally defeated and utterly humiliated. We keep hearing the testimonies of many healings and creative miracles. Many rededicated their lives to fulfill their callings without any distractions. All glory to JESUS who is the only Source of every miracle!

Our friends Dr. Lalith Mendis from Sri Lanka and pastor Simon Braker from UK were with us along with our team.

Please keep praying for our building progress. A final touchup is needed in all the new facilities. Pray that everything may be completed in heavenly perfection.

Right now we are getting ready for meetings in Bombay (18.-19.09.2010) and our Victorious Ministry Seminar for the persecuted ministers and leaders in Orissa (27-30.09.2010).

Keep visiting our webpage as we are adding new features and materials.

In closing, let me give you one word the Lord impressed on my heart for you: Ge.24:56: "Do not hinder me since the Lord has prospered my way; send me away so that I may go to my master." These are the wise words from the lips of Abraham's faithful servant Eliezar. Just then, he had seen how the God of Abraham had led him miraculously to take a bride for Isaac. Indeed, he had seen the ministry of God's angels bringing Rebekah across his path supernaturally as prophesied by Abraham (Ge.24:7,40). He worshiped the Lord God who had made his journey prosperous by not forsaking His mercy and truth toward his master (Ge.24:21,27). He had seen great success and God's kindness on his journey (Ge.24:12). Rebekah's gentile family could not deny that this was from the Lord, and they could not speak either good or bad (Ge.24:50).

It was at that time that Rebekah's mother and brother Laban tried to hinder and delay God's plan and purpose. They requested Rebekah to stay for ten more days. Thank God for the discernment and wisdom of Abraham's servant! He didn't want God's work to be delayed even for a minute. He boldly declared: Do not hinder me since the Lord has prospered my way.

Yes, beloved, when you see God's favor and even a mild leading of the Lord, don't delay or be negligent. That is the time to stir up your spirit and plunge into action. It is not only WHAT you do for the Lord; WHEN you do it is equally important. You must be diligent to act quickly the moment you see the glory cloud rising. You must be wise enough to bend the iron when it is hot. Oh! How many people miss God's timings and live miserably for the rest of their lives! Eliezar didn't allow the devil to stop God's plan even through Rebekah's closest people. Maybe he discerned that within these ten days their soul ties could take over emotions and destroy God's marvelous plan. He knew how to move when God's Hand and favor are moving. Let me tell you one thing: If you move when the Wind of Heaven moves, things become easy and smooth. If you miss His timings, you struggle in your own strength and make everything difficult and complicated.

The moment Elijah saw the cloud as small as the palm of a hand, he commanded Ahab, "Prepare your chariot, and go down before the rain stops you" (1.Ki.18:44). He didn't wait

for any more evidence. Then came a heavy torrent of rain. Yes, my friend, you don't need all the evidence to start anything for God. Just use the little door that has already opened before you. When the Spirit stirs you up to do anything, don't wait for more pushing. Just jump by faith and see the miracles released! Don't allow even seemingly harmless soul ties to delay your journey for the Lord.

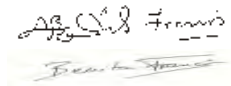
When God revealed His Son in the great apostle Paul he didn't immediately consult with flesh and blood (Ga. 1:15). Stop listening to the voice of your own flesh or any other flesh. Never ever observe the wind of adversity nor regard the dark clouds (Eccl. 11:4). Keep sowing and reap rejoicing!

Right now your Master is calling you to follow Him in fulfilling your destiny. Don't dare to say, "Let me first go and..."

This is your time of God's favor. This is your time of prosperity. This is your time to rise and shine. This is your time of harvest and glory. Rise up against all the techniques of delay your arch enemy throws at you, and shout: Do not hinder me, since the Lord has prospered my way. Send me away so that I may go to my Master's business!

May the Holy Ghost accelerate you right now! God bless you!

Yours in His Kingdom,



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# Tongues Foretold

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**T**he birthday language of the Early Church is not something that suddenly appeared. Even before the world was formed, God reserved it for His own Bride, the Church. The early prophets saw it as a shadow, not as a clear substance. The Spirit of prophecy within them revealed it to them to a certain extent. Yet, they never had the privilege of experiencing it because a great price had to be paid for this supernatural language. Nobody could receive this gift until Christ had paid the full price on the Cross.

Up til then, the Holy Spirit could not find a home on this earth. He kept coming and going like Noah's dove that could not find a resting place. Only on the day of Pentecost did He find a permanent residence on this earth. Only Blood-washed people can provide Him a permanent residence. The tongues of the Holy Spirit were given as a special gift only to these new creations.

God never does anything without first revealing it

to His prophets (Amos.3:7). At least three prophets predicted tongues before the day of Pentecost. Isaiah and Joel prophesied about this last days' language and our Lord Jesus Christ, the Prophet of prophets, brought it out very clearly.

## **The Tongues Isaiah Foresaw**

700 years before Pentecost, Isaiah foretold of this language. We will know the mighty power of tongues when we ponder his prophecies. "For with stammering lips and another tongue He will speak to this people, To whom He said, "This is the rest with which You may cause the weary to rest," and, "This is the refreshing"; Yet they would not hear. But the word of the Lord was to them, "Precept upon precept, precept upon precept, line upon line, line upon line, here a little, there a little," that they might go and fall backward, and be broken and snared and caught" (Isa.28:11-13).

While rebuking the sin of Judah, Isaiah saw their future in the Spirit. He saw God's future plan for these rebellious people. He saw them tired of keeping God's law and complaining, "precept upon precept, line upon line." As a prophet, he saw the rest and refreshment God had for those exhausted people through this gift of tongues. He was literally speaking about our period, which is God's New Covenant period. Yet, he made it very clear: When God speaks to His people through these stammering tongues, people will despise and reject it. It would cause them to go and fall backward and be 'broken and snared'. What a tragedy! However, people who avail themselves of this Messianic blessing of refreshing themselves through tongues can escape being snared and broken. I always admire how precisely Isaiah described the coming Messiah and the blessings of His New Covenant as well as the vital role that tongues would play in it.

2000 years have passed since Christ came, and the Holy Spirit has been actively filling His people since Pentecost. Hundreds and thousands are experiencing this beautiful language. Alas, His own chosen Israelites did not recognize their Messiah and the magnitude of this great gift of tongues. They still ridicule tongues and are deceived. Oh Church of God, the Holy Spirit is craving that you should not miss any of the blessings of this new era. He still speaks to His people through stammering

lips and another tongue. He longs to use your tongue to speak His language, if only you allow it. Pray this prayer:

“O Lord, here I am, I yield my tongue totally to You. I would never lose this precious gift the Israelites neglected so dreadfully. Fill me with Your Holy Spirit and speak Your divine mysteries through my tongue.”

You might argue Isaiah’s prophecy had nothing to do with New Testament tongues. Paul had you in his mind, which is why he quoted Isaiah’s prophecy while elaborating on tongues in his epistle. Listen to his words: “In the law it is written: “With men of other tongues and other lips I will speak to this people; and yet, for all that, they will not hear Me,” says the Lord. Therefore tongues are for a sign, not to those who believe but to unbelievers...” (1.Cor.14:21-22).

It’s true! Even today, tongues are a challenging sign for those who don’t believe. It --- looks like a strange language to them, but to those who embrace it; it opens the heavenly realms. The Holy Spirit is challenging you right now! Don’t waste time debating. Simply believe and receive.

### **The Tongues Joel Foretold**

Around 800 BC, the prophet Joel saw the end-time outpouring of the Spirit on all flesh. In those days, the Spirit came upon very few select people, but Joel beautifully expressed how all flesh would experience this outpouring. Sons and daughters, young and old, servants and handmaidens, men and women all are included. Prophecies and predictions, dreams and visions, signs and wonders

shall abound (Joel 2:28-30). Unfortunately, this prophecy never saw its fulfillment in the Old Testament period.

A new era began when the New Testament Church was born. The Holy Spirit came upon the 120, and they all began to speak with different kinds of tongues. The multitudes gathered --round were dismayed. Some could understand their own language; some couldn’t understand anything and started mocking. Peter stood up expounding the fulfillment of Joel’s prophecy: “This promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off...” (Acts 2:39). Who could ever deny that the outpouring of the Holy Spirit that Joel had foreseen included speaking in tongues?

Dear friends, the Holy Spirit is still moving on this earth. He will be here until He presents His Church as a spotless, perfect and glorious Bride. If you have accepted Jesus as Lord, this glorious experience is for you. It is your birthright to avail yourself of this blessing. As a child asks his daddy rightfully for a fish, bread or an egg, you can ask your Daddy and receive right now. Jesus is speaking to you now with all authority: “If you then, being evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask Him!” (Lk.11:13). Are you ready to receive these blessings reserved for you?

### **The Tongues Jesus Predicted**

The resurrected Son of God when He was about to be taken up took His disciples to the Mount of Olives. This was the most crucial time, when He gave His Great Commission of going into all the

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world and preaching the Gospel to every creature. When talking about those who would believe and be baptized, He was emphatic to explain the five signs of His followers. Now, pay attention: “And these signs will follow those who believe: In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues; “they will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly, it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick, and they will recover” (Mk.16:17-18). We have solid witnesses both from the Word of God and from the experiences of the people to prove that these five signs were done through ordinary believers, which confirms the prophecy of our Lord.

Jesus had already predicted and prophesied that these tongues were the blessing of this new dispensation. Never forget that speaking in tongues is included in the Great Commission! It was even one of His last desires to see every believer speak in tongues. The risen Lord who has all authority in heaven and earth declared that in the authority of His Name every believer should speak in tongues. This sign should follow you, too! His prophecy began to be fulfilled within 10 days. Out of all these five signs, the foretelling of speaking in new

tongues preceded the others as the first sign. Christ has already paid the price on the Cross to make this blessed sign available to you. All you need to do is to believe His words, then like a child, receive these tongues in His name, and begin to speak out in faith. Jesus assertively said these signs shall follow those who believe. He did not say they may or may not follow. There is no place for doubt here. It doesn't mean you are not a believer in Christ; if you don't have these five signs. It simply means you don't believe in these signs.

The level of your faith decides the level of manifestation of these signs in your life. Anyone who believes in the Name of Jesus can speak in various ----- languages. This truth can never be questioned. Alas, doubt and unbelief have stopped many of the saints of God from entering into this blessed supernatural world. Those who are supposed to enjoy speaking in tongues more than others -- like Paul, have become dumb, like Zacharias, because of their unbelief. O Lord, help us!



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A rare twin surgery was performed on a 27 year old pregnant woman at the Govt.General Hospital , Chennai The first one was a caesarean operation to remove the baby alive from the womb, which was followed immediately by a neuro surgery to remove a blood clot on the spine of mother.

A team of U.S scientist has warned that the entire ice mass of Greenland, in Artic region would melt if the temperature in the region would rise by 2 degree Celsius, due to global warming which would have far reaching effect, such as rise in sea level upto 7 metres., thus submerging the low lying land masses in the sea shores, even upto a distance of thousands of kilometers away from the Artic region.

A recent research study based in U.S has indicated that hours of sitting at a stretch could invite cardio vascular problems.

A health study has revealed that active socializing and maintaining a healthy life style would help aged persons retain their cognition power. On the other hand, passive and minimum activity would lead to a higher risk for dementia and other related problems.



# Health Your most important asset

Rev. Benita Francis

## This month HYGIENE

Dear family of God, in this chapter we want to study together a subject of supreme importance for your general health and wellbeing: Hygiene for health maintenance, disease prevention and disease control.

Right now, I can see many of you thinking, “Well, this is not needed for me”. Please bear with me and read this chapter anyhow! Even if it is “old news” for you, you might gain a few arguments to teach and convince others to strive together for a better, healthier nation!

Let me tell you from the very beginning: Here again, India holds a sad record and is looked upon with fear and suspicion by travelers and their doctors from around the world. When the Lord called me to India in 1998, my doctor gave me a long list of vaccines and medications I was supposed to take before travelling. I preferred to trust in the Blood of Jesus, but this experience shows a sad truth: India still has many diseases like typhoid, dysentery, tuberculosis, malaria, polio, amoebiasis and others that other nations have eradicated decades ago! Just a few examples: In Europe, the last outbreak of the bubonic plague, a disease carried by the fleas on rats, happened in 1679! In India, the bubonic plague still exists in many places, and major outbreaks are still a great health concern. India also holds the greatest population of people infected with tuberculosis worldwide, boasting a rate of one new infection per second! India boasts of 75-80% of amoebiasis infection in its population compared to 5-10% among the entire world population. In Asia, over 80% of the population test positive for TB exposure, compared to 5-10% in Europe and North America. What is the reason? Let us study.

### God’s deliverers

Did you know that not too long ago, pregnancy was a bitter joy because around 50% of the women used to die during childbirth? Doctors and society were giving all kinds of reasons, from poisonous vapors to bad luck, divine punishment or demon activity. Disease was thought to develop spontaneously and without any inner or outer cause or agent (miasma theory). Surprisingly, midwives had much better results than doctors with very little loss of life in mothers and infants. Again all kinds of reasons were suspected - until Ignaz Semmelweis (1818-1865) found the clue: Midwives had developed the habit of washing hands and instruments between patients whereas doctors used to go from surgery to autopsy to delivery without sterilizing hands or equipments! It is said that the midwives didn't even use soap! Imagine! Just the use of plain water dramatically decreased the rate of infection and transmission of deadly diseases between the women! These and other discoveries led to the invention of antiseptics and antiseptic surgery by Joseph Lister (1827-1912).

Interestingly, all these scientists were dedicated, confessing Christians! Can you see the love of your Creator God who said through His apostle John, “Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers” (3.Jn.2)? Just like in the times of Moses, He heard the pain and the cries of suffering humanity and sent His deliverers - this time in the form of scientists and explorers (Ex.3:7-10)! He could not bear His people suffering and dying unnecessarily, and so He gave special wisdom and knowledge to some of His children (Ex.36:1-2). They also do a service of

the sanctuary - they serve the temple of the Holy Spirit, the physical body of God's children (1.Co.6:19). Scientists and medical researchers are God's Bezalels and Aholiabs for God's sanctuary, your physical body. Praise be to our wonderful loving Creator God!

Before other Christian scientists like Louis Pasteur (1822-1895) and Robert Koch (1843-1910) found bacteria to be the underlying cause of so many then fatal diseases like TB, pneumonia and others, one outbreak of typhoid could kill an entire village in a matter of days. Some witty ladies in North India had the idea of filtering their drinking water through various layers of sarees. Can you imagine that such a simple measure could decrease the rate of typhoid infections by around 80%?!

Cleanliness is well worth while the time spent on it! If you are healthy, good hygiene will keep you healthy. If you are sick, good hygiene will decrease the danger of others being infected by your disease and help you recover faster. Good hygiene is therefore an aid to health, beauty, comfort, and social interactions.

Can you imagine that 70 to 80% of Indians have NOT developed the habit of washing their hands after using the toilet?!? Shocking!!! Now India

wants to adopt the Western habit of shaking hands as a greeting. PLEASE, BEFORE adopting the habit of SHAKING hands, adopt FIRST the habit of WASHING hands!!!

Just the simple act of washing your hands after using the toilet and before handling food dramatically reduces the chance of spreading E. coli bacteria, cholera, dysentery, amebic dysentery, typhoid and hepatitis A, all of which are spread by fecal contamination of food or water.

People give all kinds of excuses for just not taking hygiene seriously. Well, that little time you spend in washing your hands and that little money you spend on a good soap will save you MANY hours, days, months and even years of doctors' visits, sickness and disease! It will save you thousands and millions of rupees that you would have to spend on doctors, hospitals, medications, operations and the like!

Avoiding an infection is easy and not very time or money consuming. Once you have an infection, however, it is VERY difficult to get rid of it! You have to take all kinds of treatments with many harmful side effects. The tablets needed to treat amoebiasis, for example, are proven to be cancer-producing! Even then, in most cases one 5-day-course is not enough. Once you had amoebiasis, it will flare up

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# LAUGHTER THE DIVINE MEDICINE

A merry heart works good like a medicine: but a broken spirit dries the bones. Proverbs 17:22

TAILOR

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I delight greatly in the LORD; my soul rejoices in my God. For he has clothed me with garments of salvation and arrayed me in a robe of righteousness. - ISAIAH 61:10 NIV

ENVIUS PENGUIN

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A heart at peace gives life to the body, but envy rots the bones.

- PROVERBS 14:30 NIV



again and again. Even worse, you can become an asymptomatic carrier who infects others without suffering any symptoms yourself.

Once in your system, amoebiasis can remain silent for years but then suddenly produce abscesses in your liver, lungs and even your brain! The amoeba that causes this disease - a disease that comes purely because of contaminated food and water! - is called "Entamoeba histolitica". You know what that name means? It means, this amoeba dissolves

your tissues! It dissolves the walls of your intestines and can wander into your blood stream where it can cause damage all over your entire body. It can also cause the "leaky gut syndrome" where the contents of your intestines leak out into the rest of your body... think about it! Do you really want that? Or can you take the time to wash your hands and keep your house clean???

## Poondi Building Project

"...Let us rise up and build." Then they set their hands to this good work. (Nehemiah.2:18)

With a burden and a vision from God we are building our campsite in Poondi, Tiruvallur district. This is going to be a healing center for the nations. My dear partners, please do pray for this project and also lend your hands to us in whatever way you can.

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