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- I. **Faith is key in being healed because it's what the repair power flows through**
- A. 2 components in healing-1.The Name/Power 2.The Faith-Acts3:2-A man lame from his mother's womb...⁶In the name of Jesus Christ of Nazareth rise up and walk. ⁷...immediately his feet and ankle bones received strength. ¹⁶His name through faith in his name hath made this man strong...yea, the faith which is by him hath given him this perfect soundness-MS-Faith in Jesus' name put this man on his feet-yes, faith and nothing but faith put this man healed and whole-Ac4:7-By what power, or by what name, have you done this
- B. Faith is the channel the power of God flows through-Hb11:11-Through (noting passage, Channel-Through which anything passes) faith also Sara herself received strength (dunamis-Power) to conceive seed, and was delivered of a child when he was past age-Ga3:5-He therefore that ministers to you the Spirit, and works miracles (Dunamis) among you, does he it by the works of the law or by the hearing of faith-Rm1:16-For it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believes-1Pt1:5-Kept by the power of God through faith
- C. Spiritual things are real and they work a certain way-Mk5:25-A certain woman, which had an issue of blood twelve years,²⁶ And had suffered many things of many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was nothing bettered, but rather grew worse,²⁷ When she had heard of Jesus, came in the press behind, and touched his garment.²⁸ For she said, If I may touch but his clothes, I shall be whole.²⁹ She felt in her body that she was healed of that plague.³⁰ And Jesus, immediately knowing in himself that **VIRTUE** had gone out of him, turned him about in the press, and said, Who touched my clothes? ³¹ And his disciples said unto him, Thou seest the multitude thronging thee, and sayest thou, Who touched me? ³⁴...thy faith hath made thee whole
1. Many people touched him desiring things, but only the touch in faith accessed the power-The power is designed to go in the direction of faith
 2. She kept saying, if I touch his clothes I will be healed-That's faith
- D. The power won't work through unbelief-Mk6:5-He could there do no mighty work save that he laid his hands upon a few sick folk and healed them. ⁶Marvelled because of their unbelief
- II. **If faith is lacking feed on healing scriptures your faith will grow-Rm10:17-So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God**
- A. Abraham's faith got strong by feeding-Rm4:18-Who against hope believed in hope, that he might become the father of many nations, according to that which was spoken, So shall thy seed be. ¹⁹And being not weak in faith, he considered not his own body now dead, when he was about an hundred years old, neither yet the deadness of Sarah's womb: ²⁰ He staggered not at the promise of God through unbelief; but was strong in faith
- B. Truth effect-You are wired by God to believe what you hear repeatedly-Study 1977 Villanova and Temple •3 different times 60 plausible statements some true, some false •20 were on all three lists •1 to 7 how confident they were true •Statements they were unlikely to know anything about (First Air Force based was launched in New Mexico) •Results stayed same for non-repeated statements •Confidence of the validity of the repeated statements increased each session •The more you hear something the more likely you are to believe it's true •1989,1992,2012 studies confirmed it •Roman statesman Cato closed his speeches with a call to destroy Carthage knowing that repetition would breed agreement •Napoleon said there is only one figure in rhetoric of serious importance namely repetition, whereby a repeated affirmation fixes itself in the mind in such a way that it is accepted as truth
- C. Dr.Yeomans-Faith home •Worked with them until they got enough faith built up to receive healing •Last stages of tuberculosis, carried upstairs •2 hours reading scriptures about healing •Repeat every waking moment, "According to Deut28:22, consumption is a curse of the law. But according to Gal 3:13, Christ has redeemed me from the curse of the law. Therefore, I no longer have tuberculosis." Next morning, Dr. Yeomans asked if she had been repeating it. Seemed as if she did it 10,000 times, but couldn't understand what it meant. Dr. Yeomans read scriptures to her and asked her to continue repeating it. Next day, same story. On the 3rd day, Dr. Yeomans and her sister were helping prepare the evening meal when they heard a commotion upstairs. She came rushing down the stairs shouting at the top of her voice. "Sister Yeomans, did you know? Christ has redeemed me, and I no longer have tuberculosis! It's gone now!"-Mk5:34-She kept saying