

Changing Your World by Prayer

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Know what you want, specifically

- You must know what you don't want and want
 - You must want to change
 - Identify present associated benefits and problems
 - Come in touch with that reality
 - Most often the real problem is not what you think it is.
 - Ask yourself, "What is behind this?", "What does it mean to me?", "How is this a problem?"
 - Keep asking until you have resolved all possible answers (going deeper, layer by layer)
 - BE OPEN FOR DIRECTION, not closed for fear - **Ps.139:23-24, Ps.19:12-14**
 - Pride results in THE NEED TO BE RIGHT and makes you self-defensive
- Get specific direction from God in your heart by listening to His Word
 - Not through prophesy that someone else speaks (who can you trust?)
 - Not through physical circumstances (least reliable indicator)
 - From the Word and His promises. **Ps.119:105, 130** - What YOU get in YOUR HEART

Ask Scripturally

- **Jam.4:1-3-6** – DON'T ASK AMISS, not based on your flesh but on the WORD
 - Having the right priorities in your life
 - WATCH FOR INCONSISTENCY: God wants to heal you but asking "God heal me" so that you can continue to abuse others, steal, criticize, produce division, is trying to use God to do evil
 - YOU DON'T NEED TO BE PERFECT
 - You can even fail, but commit your life to God more than to other things, if you want results

*SEARCH MY HEART OH LORD, and reveal all the hidden unbelief, sins and presumptions connected with
...[your problem, thought or feeling]...*

*GO TO THE ROOT CAUSES AND RESOLVE the origin of this to bring all my spirit, soul and body in harmony
with your truth and my new identity in Christ.*

*SEARCH every past generation, cellular memory, belief, action, feeling and thought connected with
...[your problem, thought or feeling]...*

*HEAL ME COMPLETELY and manifest the completed work of Jesus until Your truth, light, love,
righteousness, peace, joy and victory empower me. (see it and accept it as true)*

- You must be willing to dig down to find the truth more than protecting your ego
 - Your ego is not your identity – Your identity is an illusion
 - Your new identity is in Christ – **Col.3:2-3**

Take a Position in Faith – (Gr, Lambano)

- Take into captivity the unrighteous images, thoughts and feelings
- **Heb.12:12-17** – How to make sure to receive
 - Make straight the path – take preventive action, deal with temptations, develop strategies
 - Pursue peace and holiness, not worldly success
 - Be careful of any ROOT OF BITTERNESS. It will damage others and kill you.

These are conditions of your heart for placing yourself to receive, not legalistic attitudes **BY FAITH I
APPROPRIATE YOUR GRACE (ability) TO FORGIVE MYSELF of every unbelief, distorted perception,
destructive behavior, sinful thought and action,
AND TO FORGIVE EVERY PERSON who has contribute to this
...[your problem, thought or feeling]...**

I CHOOSE TO LOVE myself as You love me, unconditionally.

*I am a child of God and I CHOOSE TO CHANGE every spiritual, emotional, mental, physical disease, DNA
molecular structure and inappropriate behavior to be in harmony with your will.*

I CHOOSE BEING ...[the opposite of your present problem]...

Questions to Consider

1. **Why is being open for correction essential for receiving healing?**
2. **What are some channels the Lord can use to correct us?**
3. **How can we determine that we ask amiss?**
4. **How do people tend to determine our identity? What is the problem with that?**
5. **What can help us to determine our new identity in Christ?**
6. **What are the factors identified in Heb.12:12-17 that will contribute to receiving from God?**
7. **Why are these factors important?**