Seven bleedings of Christ

Each of the 7 times Jesus shed His blood for mankind represents a freedom that was returned to us that had been lost since the fall of man. We know that 7 is completion. Jesus wants us full and complete spirit, soul and flesh. Jesus bought back what sin had stolen with His own blood. His atonement purchased the fullness of our freedoms.

Leviticus 16:19 (NKJV) "Then he shall sprinkle some of the blood on it with his finger seven times, cleanse it, and consecrate it from the uncleanness of the children of Israel.

Jesus finished work must be received and appropriated into our lives.

1. The sweating of blood in the Garden of Gethsemane

Luke 22:40-44 NKJV- When He came to the place, He said to them, "Pray that you may not enter into temptation." And He was withdrawn from them about a stone's throw, and He knelt down and prayed, saying, "Father, if it is Your will, take this cup away from Me; nevertheless not My will, but Yours, be done." Then an angel appeared to Him from heaven, strengthening Him. And being in agony, He prayed more earnestly. Then His sweat became like great drops of blood falling down to the ground.

It was in the Garden of Eden that Adam lost his authority over earth when he sinned and ate the fruit of the Tree of Knowledge of Good and Evil. It was also in a garden, the Garden of Gethsemane (means oil press) we find the first shedding of Jesus' blood for us. Jesus is after full redemption and the restoration of all things including their original purpose.

This signifies **that Jesus Won Back Our Willpower** to resist temptation because He overcame the greatest temptation that was so intense, it caused Him to sweat blood. **Jesus sanctifies out will. We too can pray not my will but yours be done.**

2) The stripes on Jesus back and shedding of blood at the whipping post.

John 19:1 So then Pilate took Jesus and scourged Him.

Matthew 27:26 Then he released Barabbas to them. But he had Jesus flogged, and handed him over to be crucified.

The Roman Governor, Pilate, ordered Jesus flogged, with thirty-nine lashes, just one under their legal limit of forty. A victim was stripped and beaten mercilessly with a whip consisting of several leather thongs each loaded with jagged pieces of metal or bone and weighted at the end with lead. With each lashing fragments of flesh would be torn from the victims. Many would never survive the scourging. Isaiah says that Jesus was marred beyond recognition.

Isaiah 53:5 (NKJV) But He [was] wounded for our transgressions, [He was] bruised for our iniquities; The chastisement for our peace [was] upon Him, And by His stripes we are healed.

Many have tried to explain physical healing away but in Matthew we see a Direct correlation with the prophecy from Isaiah.

Matthew 8:16-17¹⁶ When evening had come, they brought to Him many who were demon-possessed. And He cast out the spirits with a word, and healed all who were sick, ¹⁷ that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: "He Himself took our infirmities And bore our sicknesses."

1 Peter 2:24 (NKJV) ²⁴ who Himself bore our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness—by whose stripes you were healed.

Jesus paid for our healing from all disease with His own flesh and blood.

3) He was bruised and suffered Internal bleeding from being beaten.

<u>Isa 53:5</u> But he was wounded for our transgressions, he was <u>bruised</u> for our iniquities: This signifies that Jesus won back our right standing with God & delivered us from our iniquities (rebellion/Wickedness/Sin)

Jesus bled under His skin for our iniquity (inherited weakness) when He was crushed. His horrendous wounds caused bleeding on the inside.

Because of Jesus' inside bleeding <u>we can believe for inner healing</u>, for things unseen <u>inside of us</u>. Don't allow strongholds, hurts or unforgiveness to remain in you.

4) The shedding of blood when receiving the Crown of Thorns upon his head.

John 19:2 And the soldiers twisted a crown of thorns and put it on His head, and they put on Him a purple robe. Jesus paid the price for our Peace of mind and that we are free of torment. The enemy can no longer torment our minds. We are given the mind of Christ and it is illegal for the enemy to camp out in our mind unless we come into agreement and give him permission to be there.

Jesus' bloodied head, upon which an exceedingly painful crown of thorns was placed, frees our minds so the enemy has no control over our thoughts.

Jesus' precious blood gives us the pathway to a sound mind

5) The blood that was shed through Jesus' Pierced Hands.

<u>Matt 27:35</u> Then they crucified Him, and divided His garments, casting lots, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by the prophet: "They divided My garments among them, And for My clothing they cast lots."

It was custom in those days to crucify people by nailing their hands & feet to the cross. This signifies that Jesus won back our prosperity so that everything we put our hands to, shall prosper.

Jesus shed blood from his hands when he was nailed to the cross.

This blood cleansed our hands that our work may be purified in His name. **This blood also freed our hands to open and receive our inheritance.** His blood sanctifies our hands to bring healing and restoration, to take care of needs and serve. We are to be the hands of Jesus!

6) The blood that was shed through Jesus' Pierced Feet.

This signifies that Jesus won back our dominion & authority

Gen 1:26 "Then God said, "Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps on the earth."

<u>Luke 10:19</u> "Behold, I give to you authority to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the authority of the enemy. And nothing shall by any means hurt you."

Jesus shed blood from His feet when nailed to the cross. **Because Jesus stands** above mankind not below, his blood gives us power to claim righteousness over satan at every spot our feet touch the ground.

Jesus' flawless blood gives us back dominion on earth which we lost with Adam. We have our feet shod with the gospel of peace that is good news. Sanctified feet

7) The blood that was shed through the spear in Jesus side.

John 19:33-35 But when they came to Jesus and found that he was already dead, they did not break his legs. Instead, one of the soldiers pierced Jesus' side with a spear, bringing a sudden flow of blood and water. The man who saw it has given testimony, and his testimony is true. He knows that he tells the truth, and he testifies so that you also may believe.

Jesus shed blood from His side. When it was pierced, both blood and water flowed from Him. This is a physical symbol that the heart burst.

Jesus paid the price to both heal the broken hearted and give us a pure heart.

Jesus paid the ultimate price for our Freedom by taking on our sin and punishment which was ultimately death and eternity in Hell. Jesus took back the keys of Authority to the earth that Satan stole from us and through His resurrection, Jesus completed the transaction and the Enemy was defeated from our lives, in every area of our life. Through our Salvation in Christ, we were restored to our original Identity which is in Christ and given complete access to His kingdom.

Revelation 12:11 (NKJV) "And they overcame him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, and they did not love their lives to the death.

John 19:30 "It is finished"

<u>Finished can be translated several ways</u>, it is paid, it is made and end to, it is performed.

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