

Session 5 Healing Anointing: Jehovah Rapha, and Other Visions

I. NO DISEASE KNOWN TO MAN WILL STAND BEFORE THIS PEOPLE (MAY 21, 1983)

- A. The Lord spoke to Bob in a dream on May 20, 1983, and said, “Psalm 28 is for this people.”
- B. On Saturday night, May 21, the Spirit visited me while I was reading Psalm 28. I was instantly in a spirit of travail with the feeling of “electricity” going up and down from my abdomen to my hands and lips (for about 45 minutes). I knew it was related to a promise of increased healing anointing.
- ¹To You I will cry, O Lord my Rock: do not be silent to me, lest, if You are silent to me, I become like those who go down to the pit. ²Hear the voice of my supplications when I cry to You...
⁶Blessed be the Lord, because He has heard the voice of my supplications! ⁷...my heart greatly rejoices; with my song I will praise Him...⁸He is the saving refuge of His anointed (Ps. 28:1-8)*
- C. That night I had a prophetic dream about this movement receiving a powerful healing anointing that would touch many in the nations. *The Lord gave me Matthew 10:8 and 1 Corinthians 15:10.*
- ⁸Heal the sick...raise the dead, cast out demons. Freely you have received, freely give. (Mt. 10:8)*
- ¹⁰I labored more abundantly...not I, but the grace of God which was with me. (1 Cor. 15:10)*
- D. The next morning, Bob said to me, “You received the promise of a healing anointing last night. In my vision last night, the Lord appeared to me wearing a banner/sash that said, ‘**Jehovah Rapha, I am the Lord that heals you**’ (Ex 15:26). [*Jehovah* means the “Lord,” and *Rapha* means “to heal.”] The Lord took the banner off and put it on you as a representative of this movement. He said to you, ‘**No disease known to man will stand before this people.**’” Then the Lord told me to declare to you, ‘*Matthew 10:8 and 1 Corinthians 15:10—freely you have received, freely give—it is all by grace.*’” Bob emphasized our inability to make healing happen. It is the work of God’s grace.
- E. Bob said the Lord showed him that if we use this anointing to make money, to manipulate for immorality, or to open doors for our pride, then the Lord will take back this “*license to heal.*” This promise and warning are for the youth movement that is coming. Bob said, “There will be some instant healings this morning. They will be a token of what will occur in a much greater measure.”

II. DOMINUS: MINISTERING FROM FRIENDSHIP WITH GOD (MAY 1985)

- A. ***In March 1985, Bob Jones said:*** Last night, I saw Jesus with the name “*Dominus*” written on Him. [Dominus is Latin for *Lord*. He appears in different faces to show different aspects of His heart.] He said, “Dear friend, stop worrying about this youth movement. I started it, and I will finish it.” The Lord appeared to me as my dear friend, and He said, “*Tell Mike that I will soon visit him as a familiar friend, Don, to show him My power to heal.*” The Lord showed Bob that He would reveal His healing power in our midst in context to pursuing “*friendship with God*” (intimacy with God).
- ¹⁵I have called you friends, for all things that I heard from My Father I have made known to you. (Jn. 15:15)*

- B. Early one Sunday morning in May 1985, I saw the Lord in a dream—He showed Himself to me “in the face of my close friend Don.” I was in the back of a vast auditorium with Don. Suddenly, I intuitively knew there was going to be an altar call. I looked at him and said, “I’d better get up there.” He smiled and said, “You’d better go now.” I ran down to the front, and many who were sick ran spontaneously to the front. There was no announcement to pray for the sick.
- C. I reached forward to put my hand on someone and said, “In the name of Jesus, be healed.” That person and about ten others fell down by the power of the Spirit, and they were all healed. I turned around and said to someone else, “Be healed!” He and about ten people behind him fell down by the power of the Spirit and were all healed. Then I waved my hand over a section of chairs, and all the people in those chairs fell under the power of God, being healed or refreshed.
- D. I looked across the room and saw other leaders running down the aisles doing the same thing. Thousands of people were lying on the floors by the power of God. The singers kept leading worship. Then I returned to the back wall where I had been standing with Don and said, “That was the Lord! He has surely come!” Don smiled and said to me, “Yes, you are right.”
- E. Our church service was in a high school auditorium. I met the leaders before the meeting on the stage and said, “I had a powerful dream last night, and my friend Don was in it.” Then Bob Jones reminded us all that the Lord told him earlier that He would appear to me as a familiar friend. One of the guys pointed down to the stage where I was standing on a piece of tape. The tape spelled out **D-O-N**. It was probably the person’s name who pulled the curtains of the school’s spring play.

III. OCTOBER 5, 1990: FULLY EXPERIENCING GOD’S POWER

- A. At 4am on October 5, 1990, the Lord appeared to me in a trance—He looked into my eyes and said, “**No one with a control spirit can fully experience My kingdom.**” He paused for about 3 seconds. The words, *possessiveness* and *religious opinions*, came clearly to my spirit.
- B. Next, the Lord said, “**All personal rights must be relinquished.**” The verse came instantly to me, “They will cast their crowns before God” (Rev. 4:10). The Lord said, “**I have a controversy with My people.**” The Spirit said, “The earth is the Lord’s, and all it contains” (Ps. 24:1). The Spirit highlighted that “only Jesus owns all the ministries, buildings, money, people, and future.”
- C. When the trance lifted, then the power of God rushed through me, violently shaking my entire body for about 15 seconds. I reached with my left hand to stop the shaking in my right hand! The Spirit said, “**I am going to give power demonstrations to back up this truth.**”
- D. The Lord said, “**I am raising up an international family of affection.**” He will send leaders and people one from one stream in the Body of Christ to join another stream to create powerful family relationships and deep connections between ministries across the nations.
- E. The next time I saw Bob Jones, he said, “I saw the Lord taking you up Jacob’s ladder to show you that He will release power to confront and remove the ‘Jacob spirit’ in the body of Christ. The attitude or spirit of the swindler will be removed by God’s power before the Lord returns.”

IV. MAY 7, 1990: I WILL USE THE HANDS OF THIS PEOPLE

- A. On May 7, 1990, I saw the Lord in a dream. He walked up to me with a big smile on His face. He said in a very friendly way, “How are you? Put your hands out.” I was trembling because the Lord was standing in front of me. He touched my hands, and His power touched my hands. He said, “I am going to anoint and use your hands and the hands of this people.”
- B. Bob Jones called me an hour later and said, “The Lord Himself visited you last night and gave you a very important message. He said to hold on to the thing that He told you last night.” The Lord has touched my hands three times: in May 21, 1983, May 7, 1990, and October 5, 1990. On each of these occasions, Bob told me about it the next time I talked to him. I do not fully understand why that happened, except for the Lord saying that I needed my faith strengthened.

V. REVIEW OF TESTIMONIES MENTIONED IN SESSIONS 1-4

- A. **Howard Pittman’s heavenly encounter—great miracles:** In August 1979, Howard Pittman had a heavenly experience in which God told him that He was raising up a people like “Gideon’s army” whom He would anoint with great miracles—they will demonstrate God’s power to a greater extent than was seen in the book of Acts and some will see even greater miracles than Elijah.
- B. **Paul Cain’s open vision of the stadiums:** Paul Cain had an open vision nearly 100 times over a period of 25 years. In the stadium, the announcer was saying, “They have been going three days and three nights without food or water or change of clothing. The lame walk, lost limbs suddenly grow out, and the dead are being raised. And nobody knows who these people on the platform are. They seem to be nameless and faceless ministers.”
- C. **Bob Jones saw Jesus anointing young leaders in a procession to the stadium (July 3, 1984):** On July 3, 1984, Bob Jones saw the Lord being exalted and carried by a group of young leaders, like the ark of the covenant was carried in David’s day (2 Sam. 6). In the future, God will raise up these young people and anoint them with an unusual measure of power to preach the gospel and heal the sick as seen in the book of Acts. They were leading a great procession of people who had been healed through their ministry. Thousands were lined up on both sides of the street, watching a parade walk down Blue Ridge Blvd. from Grandview Road to Arrowhead Stadium.
- D. **My heavenly encounter in August 1984:** In a visionary experience, I stood in a heavenly room and saw a line of gold-colored chariots, symbolic of a calling to minister in God’s power (I saw maybe 50 chariots in this particular vision?). I saw young people being commanded by the Lord to get into the chariots— *it spoke of them being powerfully anointed in the years to come.*
- E. **Bob Jones’ encounter on August 8, 1982:** The Lord appeared to Bob and told him that the group of young people were coming at the first of spring in 1983. He said, “I want you to know that I love them.” Over and over, He told Bob, “I love these young ones that are coming. My lightning will be in their hands.” Bob was then shown to read Habakkuk 3:4. Bob said, “God’s power shall be released in their hands like rays of light, resulting in many being healed—the lame, deaf, and blind, including some receiving new organs if they need them—resulting in many being saved.”

⁴He [Jesus] had rays flashing from His hand, and there His power was hidden. (Hab. 3:4)

VI. SOVEREIGN CONNECTION WITH JOHN WIMBER

- A. In January 1984, Bob Jones told me that God would connect us with a movement based about 35 miles SE of LA—it had a spiritual banner over them saying, “*Compassion and worship.*” He spoke about the Vineyard Ministries in Anaheim, California, under John Wimber (1934-1997). Neither Bob nor I had heard of John Wimber or the Vineyard Ministries. Bob said that the Lord wanted the “*prophetic and intercession*” of Kansas City to cross-pollinate in the Spirit with the “*compassion and worship*” of the Vineyard Ministries.
- B. In June 1984, I attended their conference—John Wimber emphasized worship and compassion. I did not meet John. Then Bob told me that this was the movement he spoke of in January 1984.
- C. In October 1987, Bob heard the audible voice of the Lord saying that John Wimber would call me three months later, in January 1988. I was amazed when John called my home in January to invite me to speak to his staff the following week at their annual retreat.
- D. On June 5, 1988, Bob again heard the audible voice of the Lord saying that John would call me within the week because the Lord was going to open three large doors in the Vineyard to me. He told me that there were about 50,000 people in the Vineyard and that John Wimber impacted 1,000,000 worldwide. The next day, John called. When I asked, John told me the Vineyard was about 50,000 people and that he impacted approximately 1,000,000 worldwide. He invited me to be with him on three ministry occasions, just as Bob prophesied the day before.
- E. Bob said this was going to be a “Holy Spirit seminary season” for me that would last for 3 years. Bob said this was a *warning and not a promise* because I did not know how to “go out and come in” before the Lord and the people in the context of a million people. He said, “You will struggle to keep your heart connected to the Lord in the same way it is now because you will have so many opportunities and conflicts happening at the same time. There will be a strife and jealousy stirred up among some your friends and enemies.” Bob said that I must see this as a season of training with John Wimber. He said that in the years to come, the leadership of the coming youth movement that I would lead would experience similar opportunities and conflicts—but with increased intensity.
- F. John asked me to go to Scotland with him in November 1988. He said, “We will share every meal time together and meet after each session. I want you to tell me every story you have about the prophetic ministry. My friend Jack Deere tells me that you have lot of strange stories.”
- G. In December, 1988, Paul Cain visited with John Wimber. Beforehand, John asked if there might be a “sign” that would attend Paul’s visit to him. Paul prophesied two earthquakes—one local, to occur on the day he arrived in Anaheim on Dec. 3 at 3:38am (confirming Jer. 33:8), and one international (Soviet Armenia), to occur on the day he left on Dec. 7. See *Equipping the Saints*, January 1990.
- H. I stopped traveling with John in June 1991, three years after our conversation in June 1988. The Lord spoke to me from Matthew 25:8-9 that *the oil in my lamp was going out; therefore, I must stop traveling so much to go “buy oil”*—by spending more time in prayer and the Word.
- I. God’s desire is that IHOPKC walk in a strong worship and compassion-based healing anointing, as well learn the lessons from John Wimber’s leadership walked out on an international platform.