

## Miracle Service Report

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Reported by Sarah Koh

What happens when a person dies? Does he become nothingness? Is there an eternity he has to face? In this world, there are bound to be problems and troubles. Unfortunately, many people think that death will end all their woes. Pastor Rony aptly explains that this notion is not true in tonight's message

### Is Death The End of Sorrow?

We are God's highest creation and we should rightly trust Him Who is able to help us through our problems. Granted it is easier said than done. It takes discipline to trust God. And we know that Jesus Christ is the only answer, and not death. If you do not have Jesus as your personal Savior, you are literally jumping from the frying pan into the fire when contemplating death to end your sorrows.

Pastor shared an interesting testimony of a beautiful and playful young lady. She was involved in bad company, married early at 16 years old and went through a divorce. When her husband left her, she was devastated and her world tumbled down. She was convinced that no one could live this life completely happy. That being the case, she would rather end her life. Meanwhile, life became unbearable after her divorce. She harbored a strong sense of rejection and condemnation within herself. She felt inferior and thought that her husband rejected her because she was not attractive, worthy or good enough.

Therefore, little issues and comments by family members and friends became a big deal to her though they were not meant to offend her. She read into situations and could not get over a perceived insult, ridicule or disrespect. She was burdensome and became troublesome, thinking people were judgmental toward her. Little

tiffs with siblings and friends were amplified, making mountains out of molehills. As such, she became unpleasant and could not relate to the people around her. As her sense of rejection grew deeper, she came to the conclusion that the only answer was to end her life. She thought that by doing so, she would end the void, loneliness, sufferings, fears and hurts that had taken over her life.

This young lady is from the United States where guns are easily available. So while holding a gun, she was at the same time screaming to God to forgive her. Apparently, when she was younger, she went to church and had a sense of God watching over her. But now the troubles were too much for her and she could not bear her emotional baggage. As she kept screaming, the gun she held fired off. The next moment, she felt her lungs filled with blood. Her ears were deafened, and her eyes became dim and blinded. She could literally feel death creeping into her weak body and her spirit leaving it.

It is important to know that your spirit is the real person that lives in your body. The body is just a house or an external covering. It is inevitable that the physical body will die one day because it is temporal and has a shelf life like any other thing. However, the human spirit inside you lives on and will never die though the physical body dies. The truth of the matter is that the human spirit survives physical death because God has designed it for eternity.

The young lady shot herself and was considered dead. But she had a sensation of her spirit falling deeper into a bottomless pit and being sucked into the pit of darkness. In her spirit, she immediately knew that she was in a worse situation than when she was on earth. Initially, she thought that by ending her life, she could end all her sorrows. But instead, she discovered her real problem had only just begun. So perish the thought of committing suicide to end it all! Do not be fooled – suicide does not end your problems, you will instead beget an eternal problem. It means plunging into an unquenchable fire that burns forever. In fact, the ▶

◀ troubles on earth are nothing as compared to the torment in the pit of hell.

Finally, she arrived in a place of such complete torment. The burning sensation all over her was indescribable. Quoted below are her very words:

*"No longer was I sorrowful.  
I became sorrow.*

*No longer was I lonely.  
I became loneliness.*

*No longer was I desperate.  
I became desperation.*

*No longer was I depressed.  
I became depression.*

*I became such a tormented being,  
filled with fear and terror."*

In hell where there is such intense terror and torment, she realized all the souls were screaming in endless pain and agony. There was a mutual desire amongst them to scream out to the people on earth that eternity and hell is real, so do not end there.

So this lady cried out to God. And in that experience, she saw a hand reaching for her and lifted her up from the flames and darkness. Instinctively, she knew it was God's hand and felt completely cleansed and embraced by His divine love. She knew beyond a shadow of doubt that God loves her and through Jesus, her salvation was completed. Supernaturally, her spirit (the real person) slipped back into her body on earth. Miraculously, her recovery was rapid and she was raised to life again and the doctors were amazed. As she began to recuperate and reflect on her life, she became assured that Jesus Christ has given her a new lease of life. Now her outlook of life has been totally transformed as she decided to be closely connected to Christ.

We may not know all the circumstances of this lady. But it would be foolishness to take

chances with our own soul because it can well mean eternal death. You need not experience hell to get out of it. Jesus Christ is the only Hell Preventer and mankind's only eternal hope. So do not toy with the idea to wait till the last minute to receive Christ as Lord and Savior. And if you only knew that Jesus alone gives true peace, joy and eternal bliss, you will make haste to experience the Master's touch in your life today!

We ascribe all praise and glory to God for the salvation and healing He has done in our midst. Here are some testimonies:

Jennifer Ng testified that her young daughter had a **few lumps on the left side of her neck**. The doctor said that she was too young to be operated on. So Jennifer decided to pray in proxy for her daughter at the Miracle Service. Praise God, a few months later all the lumps disappeared and she was set free!

For four months, Lian Guan Mui was unable to **bend her fingers**. After the healing prayer, she could clasp her hand and bend her fingers. Tonight, she received 90% healing and was confident that she would be completely healed in Jesus' name!

Rajalekshmi Rasoo was **heavy laden with debt for nine long years**. As a result, she slipped into depression and could not function properly. She had been attending and praying at the Miracle Service recently. Miraculously, God intervened in her situation. Her mum helped to settle her debts. Above that, she was healed of her depression and is now able to work. Hallelujah!

Josephine Yap experienced **two lumps in her breast**. The doctor **suspected them to be cancerous** and recommended surgery. She has been coming regularly to pray for healing. Meanwhile, a biopsy was done and the results showed that the lumps were non-cancerous. She praised God for answering her prayer!

**Life Is Worth Living  
If You Know Jesus!**

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Next Sunday  
Encounters With God Series  
Part 5  
Seeing What God Sees  
By Pastor Pacer Tan

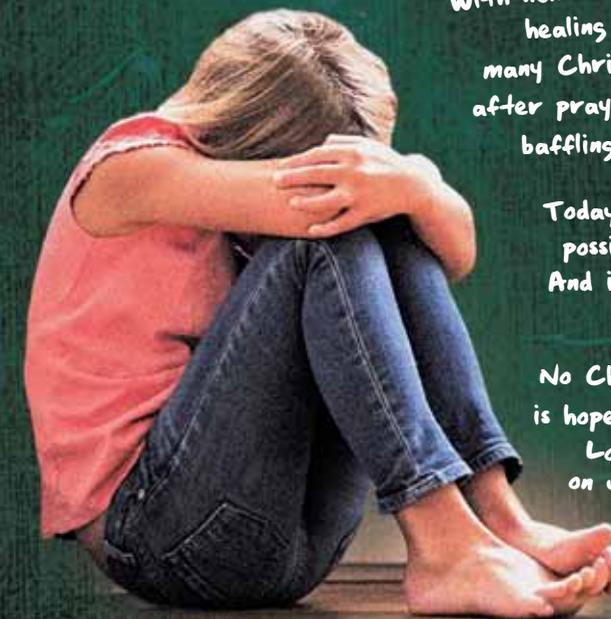
Why Am I Not  
Healed?

By Pastor Rony Tan

With numerous and clear promises of healing from the Bible, why are so many Christians not healed of sicknesses after prayer? This is one of the most baffling questions in Christendom.

Today, we will be examining all the possible answers to this question. And in the process, let us be open to Christ's healing power.

No Christian in need of divine healing is hopeless or beyond the reach of the Lord's healing touch. You can be on your way to healing and health.



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**Today's Pre-Service Upperlight Prayer Items**

**1. Miracle Service**

- Renewal and revival to take place
- More souls to be saved and sick folks to be completely healed

**2. Dengue Alert**

- The Lord's protection upon all residents living in the infected areas
- Divine wisdom upon NEA to find solutions and cooperation from residents to adhere to preventive measures

**December 10 Thursday Upperlight Prayer Items**

- Miracle Service
- Healing of Sleep Disorders
- Sunday Services And Weekdays' Activities
- Church Camp
- Overcome Addiction
- Fatherhood

**Pastor Rony's Albums**

Christmas is the season of love! Pastor Rony's Christmas albums **Christmas Love** and **Because It's Christmas Time** are on special offer at \$10 each! You can also check out his other album **Then Something Happens** while you are at the Faithlight counter. Spread the Christmas cheer with these perfect gifts for your friends and loved ones, whilst stocks last.



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- a multimedia experience

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**Friday, December 25, 2015  
9.00 am & 11.15 am**

Live at LE Woodlands and telecast to LE Tampines

**Holy Communion**

Dear Lord, as we partake at the Communion table today, we muse over what You have accomplished on the Cross for us and gratefully thank You for Your amazing love. We also remind ourselves that Jesus will come again, this time round not as the Suffering Servant but as the Conquering King. And finally, we look within and ask the Holy Spirit to show us any areas of our lives that may not be pleasing to You and ask for Your forgiveness.



**Miracle Service  
On December 12**

This coming Saturday, Pastor Rony's message will be interpreted on stage from English to Cantonese. Give a call to your English- and Cantonese-speaking friends to join you in the Sanctuary for the service.



**WATCH NIGHT SERVICE**

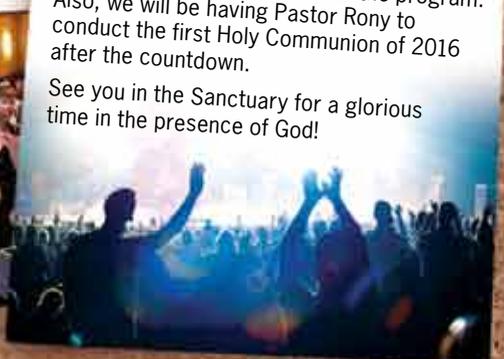


**December 31, 2015  
10.00 pm to 12.15 am  
LE Woodlands & LE Tampines**

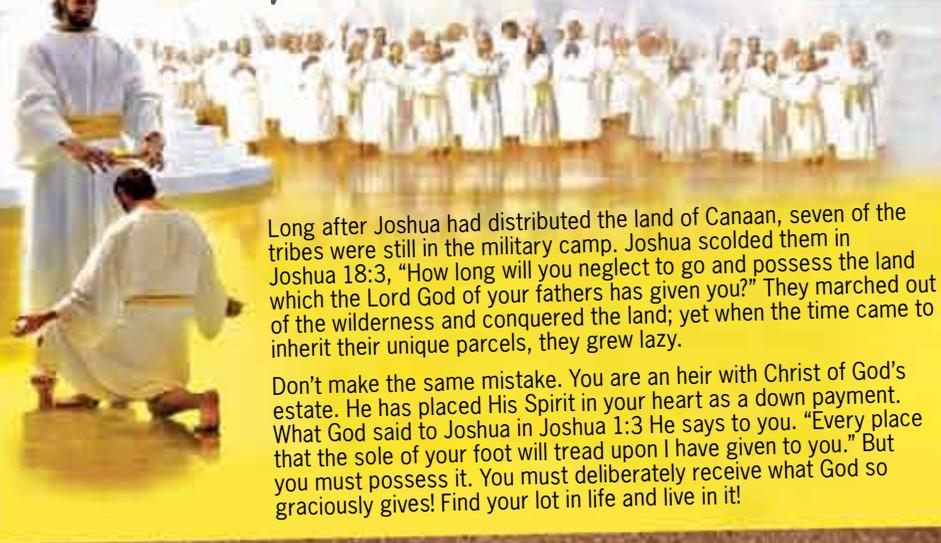
Let's come together as a family to watch the closing of 2015 and usher in the New Year. Light refreshment will be served at 9.00 pm and the service will commence at 10.00 pm.

As this is a Thursday night, we will be incorporating prayer items into the program. Also, we will be having Pastor Rony to conduct the first Holy Communion of 2016 after the countdown.

See you in the Sanctuary for a glorious time in the presence of God!



**An Heir of God's Estate** By Max Lucado



Long after Joshua had distributed the land of Canaan, seven of the tribes were still in the military camp. Joshua scolded them in Joshua 18:3, "How long will you neglect to go and possess the land which the Lord God of your fathers has given you?" They marched out of the wilderness and conquered the land; yet when the time came to inherit their unique parcels, they grew lazy.

Don't make the same mistake. You are an heir with Christ of God's estate. He has placed His Spirit in your heart as a down payment. What God said to Joshua in Joshua 1:3 He says to you. "Every place that the sole of your foot will tread upon I have given to you." But you must possess it. You must deliberately receive what God so graciously gives! Find your lot in life and live in it!

**AN EXTRACT FROM THE BOOK  
PRAYER BOOSTER** WRITTEN BY PASTOR RONY TAN



**SAUL OF TARSUS**

The next case focuses on Saul of Tarsus who later became Paul the Apostle. His story is one of the most fascinating encounters with the Lord.

**Acts 9:17-22**

*17 And Ananias went his way, and entered into the house; and putting his hands on him said, Brother Saul, the Lord, even Jesus, that appeared unto thee in the way as thou camest, hath sent me, that thou mightest receive thy sight, and be filled with the Holy Ghost.  
18 And immediately there fell from his eyes as it had been scales: and he received sight forthwith, and arose, and was baptized.  
19 And when he had received meat, he was strengthened. Then was Saul certain days with the disciples which were at Damascus.  
20 And straightway he preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God.  
21 But all that heard him were amazed, and said; Is not this he that destroyed them which called on this name in Jerusalem, and came hither for that intent, that he might bring them bound unto the chief priests?  
22 But Saul increased the more in strength, and*

*confounded the Jews which dwelt at Damascus, proving that this is very Christ.*

Saul's dramatic conversion happened on the road to Damascus. As he was on his way with his aggressive men to arrest Christians, he was blinded by a very bright light. That was the moment when Jesus confronted him. As a result, Truth shone into his heart and he began to see, although his eyes were now blind. His men had to lead him away.

So bewildered was he that he went on an absolute fast. For three days, he was without food or water.

God sent Ananias to help Saul spiritually. All the necessary information about Saul had been communicated to Ananias in a vision. As soon as Ananias arrived, he prayed for sight to be restored to Saul and also for him to be filled with the Holy Spirit.

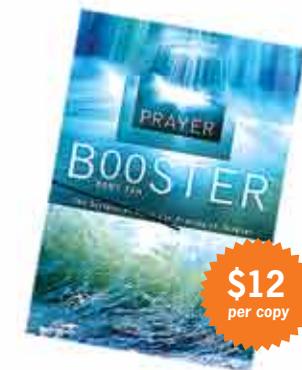
Soon Saul, who became Paul, began demonstrating that he was a Spirit-filled preacher. He increased in spiritual strength and confounded the Jews at Damascus, proving that Jesus was indeed the Messiah. The persecutor of the Christian faith became the champion for it. Soon this ex-persecutor became the persecuted.

Coming back to the heart of the matter, when Paul received the Holy Spirit, did he or did he not speak in other tongues? Although this passage does not say in so many words, we have a number of verses in Paul's writing to attest to the fact that he spoke in other tongues.

**1 Corinthians 14:18**

*I thank my God, I speak with tongues more than ye all:*

Teaching the Corinthian Christians who were majoring on tongues and prophecies to the extent of confusion and disorderly meetings, Paul gave them guidelines for order and decency in public assembly. He was not curbing tongues but, rather, promoting the proper exercise of tongues. In fact, he ordered these believers not to forbid the speaking in tongues (1 Corinthians 14:39).



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