

## **Recoding The Brain – Part 14**

(Seeing With The Spirit)

The first disciples were hand trained by the Lord. First, they watched Jesus heal and do many miracles. The first time they saw, with their own eyes, Jesus heal a person or do a miracle, a new neural pathway was created in their natural, gray-matter brain. The natural brain is limited to the things of this natural world. It believes what it sees, touches, smells, and so forth.

Then He sent them to do the miracles two by two. I'm sure they were shocked the first time they saw a miracle happen through their own hands. They were astonished that the devils had to obey them in the name of Jesus.

The apostle Paul was not hand trained by Jesus. He was not even born again until about eight years after Jesus ascended into heaven. He never saw Jesus do healings and miracles with his own eyes the same way the first apostles did. But Paul had a "dendrite, neural pathway" encounter with Jesus on the road to Damascus. He "saw" a bright light and he "heard" the voice speak to him. It impacted his senses to the point he went blind for a season. He had a physical, sensory encounter with the risen Lord, Jesus Christ. Trust me when I say, neural pathways were created that day that changed him forever.

Then Paul began preaching that Jesus is the Christ, but he was doing it in such a way that it created lots of trouble. It got so severe that the brethren had to take Paul aside to Troas. Then had the churches rest.

**Acts 9:30-31 KJV Which when the brethren knew, they brought him down to Caesarea, and sent him forth to Tarsus. [31] Then had the churches rest throughout all Judaea and Galilee and Samaria, and were edified; and walking in the fear of the Lord, and in the comfort of the Holy Ghost, were multiplied.**

Paul spent the next few years being trained for his calling. But here is the big difference. Paul was not hand trained by the physical Jesus the same way the first disciples were. Jesus had already ascended into heaven about eight years prior. How was Paul being trained? I was meditating on these things and praying when the Holy Spirit began speaking the following through tongues and interpretation:

### **Tongues & Interpretation:**

*For Paul did not have the opportunity to see with his own eyes the hundreds of healings like you described with your hypothetical man in the teachings.*

*Understand that My Word is supernatural. Your spiritual mind has the capacity to see with the eyes of your understanding things that you have not seen yet with your natural eyes.*

*This is part of the seeing and saying that describes how Jesus, Himself, functioned. He would see and hear with His spiritual mind first. Then he would say, and lay hands upon, and do the things He did to minister to the people. What you see with your spirit becomes what you shall see with your natural eyes. And what others will see.*

*Know that My Word is spirit. My Word is life. It has the capacity, still, to create all things whatsoever I have spoken. Preach My Word. I will provide the testimony. But see it ahead of time with the eyes of your understanding. See Me doing what I always do through My Son, Who now abides within you, says the Lord.*

Jesus plainly said that the Son, of himself, could do nothing. "What I see the Father do, I do likewise."

**John 5:19 KJV Then answered Jesus and said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, The Son can do nothing of himself, but what he seeth the Father do: for what things soever he doeth, these also doeth the Son likewise.**

For many years I wondered exactly what Jesus meant when He said He only did what He saw the Father do. Did that mean Jesus would wait, regarding each individual person that came to Him for healing, until He heard the Father speak His will concerning each person? Was it a person-by-person thing as they would come in a prayer line? Phillip said asked Jesus to show us the Father.

**John 14:9 KJV Jesus saith unto him, Have I been so long time with you, and yet hast thou not known me, Philip? he that hath seen me hath seen the Father; and how sayest thou then, Shew us the Father?**

*"See Me doing what I always do through My Son."* Many years ago, I did a study, on purpose through the four gospels in fine detail. I needed to know for myself.

Did Jesus ever refuse to heal anybody, for any reason, that came to Him for healing? The answer is no, He did not. That does not mean that when Jesus would walk through a village, that every sick person in the village got healed. That is not the case. But all who came to Jesus, in a meeting, or to Him privately, for healing were healed every single time. Even when it came to creative miracles like curing birth defects.

If you had been alive at the time and traveled with Jesus like the disciples did, you would have seen (with your own eyes) hundreds and perhaps thousands healed at the meetings. And you would have seen every single person healed who came to Jesus privately. And you would have seen them all healed first time, every time, no exceptions. Superhighways of neural pathways would have been created in your natural gray-matter brain to the point you would declare: ALL WHO COME TO JESUS GET HEALED, FIRST TIME, EVERY TIME, NO EXCEPTIONS! Many years ago, the Holy Spirit said to me,

*The Lord is leading us in the path of reality. The reality of the Spirit that controls all material things. It is a painful process. Remember that the Word says it is with much tribulation that we do enter the kingdom of God. You are born again, but this speaks of walking in that supernatural realm, where the living Christ can flow through your flesh to meet the needs of a dying, sick, and hurting humanity. To enter that realm, there is a pushing, and a bursting through, and an exploding forth of the spirit through the veil of the flesh. It is a work of My Spirit, and a work of My grace, and not your efforts. No amount of self-appointed holy actions on your part will ever produce these things that your heart desires. But only this growth process, whereby you let Me, as the Potter, mold the clay. This is the process. I am doing those things that are needful to bring to pass those deep desires and longings of your heart, sayeth God. Trust Me during this growth process. Let the Maker have His way with you and trust Him. You are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses who are applauding and cheering saying, "We too had to go through this growth process." The instrument being prepared shall be used mightily of the Lord.*

He knows my heart's deepest desire is to have the four gospels manifested in the earth to where we have Jesus Meetings again, so the world does not have to just believe based on what we say. But they have the opportunity to believe based on the works sake.

**John 14:10-11 KJV** Believest thou not that I am in the Father, and the Father in me? the words that I speak unto you I speak not of myself: but the Father that dwelleth in me, he doeth the works. [11] Believe me that I am in the Father, and the Father in me: or else believe me for the very works' sake.

Paul started off with a tremendous amount of sensory input when he had his first encounter with Jesus on the road to Damascus. He saw a great light. He heard a voice. He went blind temporarily. That was extreme sensory input that would cause neural pathways to be created in the gray-matter brain. That was the introduction Paul had to Jesus. But that is not how Paul was trained as a minister.

Paul was a Pharisee of the Pharisees. That means he most likely had memorized the first five books of the Bible. Paul had lots of the Word of God on the inside of him for the Holy Spirit to work with. But when Paul was filled with the Holy Spirit and began speaking in other tongues during that time he spent alone with God, that was when the Holy Spirit began teaching Paul the mysteries of the gospel. Paul said he did not learn the gospel from any man. He was trained by the Holy Spirit.

**Galatians 1:15-19 KJV** But when it pleased God, who separated me from my mother's womb, and called me by his grace, [16] To reveal his Son in me, that I might preach him among the heathen; immediately I conferred not with flesh and blood: [17] Neither went I up to Jerusalem to them which were apostles before me; but I went into Arabia, and returned again unto Damascus. [18] Then after three years I went up to Jerusalem to see Peter, and abode with him fifteen days. [19] But other of the apostles saw I none, save James the Lord's brother.

Paul was trained by Jesus, through the ministry of the Holy Spirit. Remember what Jesus said about the Holy Spirit,

**John 16:13 KJV** Howbeit when he, the Spirit of truth, is come, he will guide you into all truth: for he shall not speak of himself; but whatsoever he shall hear, that shall he speak: and he will shew you things to come.

Paul did not have the same opportunity to see with his own eyes as Jesus healed the sick, opened blind eyes, and so forth. Jesus had already been gone to heaven for over eight years. I'm saying that to make the point ... those same neural

pathways that were created in the disciples when they saw with their own eyes ... were not created that way in Paul because he did not have the opportunity to see them with his own eyes.

Yet Paul did all the same works. How? Paul saw it first in the spirit. He was trained by the Holy Spirit. He saw these things in the spirit first! Then when Paul would minister, and lay his hands on the people, the power would flow. Every time you see a manifestation with your own physical eyes, that deepens the strength of the neural pathways in your natural gray-matter brain.

Remember the recent lesson about servants upon horses. Paul is seeing and believing with his spirit first. The natural brain running alongside as a servant says, "I'm not going to believe it until I see it." This is when you, the prince upon the horse, must make sure the natural brain remains the servant and is not allowed to make final decisions. The spiritual mind, the part of you trained by God, has to have the reins of the horse in its hands to decide the course of action. "We are going to pray for the sick and we will see them recover."

In the early days I wondered if Jesus would "see" the Father healing people individually, one by one. Do you want to heal this person? Do you want to heal the next person? The next one? But I found out Jesus healed them all. He said if we have seen Him, we have seen the Father. What does that tell you about the Father? It is the Father's will for every person who comes to Jesus to be healed. I have never yet seen that demonstrated one hundred percent of the time. But I cannot deny the Word of God. I am not willing to lower the standard based on my own experience. My experience will eventually rise to where the Word is.

*"See Me doing what I always do through My Son."* What did He always do through His Son? He healed every single person who came to Jesus. He didn't turn away a single one. Some were healed by intercession when they came to Jesus on behalf of another. The Centurion's servant and the woman's demon possessed daughter were both healed that way.

*"See Me doing what I always do through My Son, Who now abides in you."* I am speaking to Joel's army. We are being trained by the same Teacher who trained the apostle Paul. We have the same Holy Spirit that Paul had. We actually have more

than what Paul had because we have the epistles, which contain revelation knowledge that they received for us.

Many years before we discovered the Prayer Center, a friend of mine and I would pray in tongues and ask for the interpretation. We learned that from reading Oral Roberts' books where he tells that's how he learned how to build and fund Oral Roberts University. My friend and I would go aside together and pray for a minimum of two hours in other tongues. Sometimes we would pray for three or four hours. We would pray and listen. We would ask for the interpretation. It didn't happen every time. But it would happen from time to time.

Then in 1992 we discovered Pastor Dave Roberson, and oh my, that opened up a treasure trove of revelation knowledge. Dave did not want us to become his disciples. He wanted us to learn how to follow the Holy Spirit for ourselves. I thank God for the privilege of sitting under Pastor Dave Roberson's ministry for so long. I saw Dave operate by the gifts of the Spirit so many times over the years. We saw many people get healed. We saw two people raised from the dead in Dave's ministry. But we also saw some instances where the people prayed for did not get healed. Those are not the same level of "Jesus Meetings" that we see in the four gospels where they all get healed first time, every time, no exceptions. We must not lower the mark set by Jesus. We must keep pressing toward the mark.

Remember what He said in that prophecy I quoted earlier, "*... so that the living Christ can flow through your flesh to meet the needs of a dying, sick, and hurting humanity.*" Notice ... your flesh. Hello, soldier in Joel's army. Most of us have had more zeal than maturity, so we have rushed out to heal the sick and cast out devils. Sometimes they would be healed. Sometimes they would not be healed. Does that sound like a "Jesus Meeting" to you? Of course not. I experienced that myself. That means Gary was still limited, because of immaturity, to the gifts of the Spirit. I had not matured to the point where Christ in me had taken over. John said, "He must increase, but I must decrease." [John 3:30]

**Galatians 2:20 KJV I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me.**

Paul says "I" died, but "I" live, but not the same "I" as before, but "Christ lives in me ... I am a "Christ me" now. (I know that's not grammatically correct, but it conveys the proper thought.) Paul declares this was a growth process for him also. Notice how he words this in his letter to the Corinthian church,

**1 Corinthians 13:11 KJV When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.**

"When I became a man" could be stated, "When I grew up," or "When I came to maturity." It is a growth process, not totally understood by us. Jesus described it in this parable.

**Mark 4:26-29 KJV And he said, So is the kingdom of God, as if a man should cast seed into the ground; [27] And should sleep, and rise night and day, and the seed should spring and grow up, he knoweth not how. [28] For the earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear. [29] But when the fruit is brought forth, immediately he putteth in the sickle, because the harvest is come.**

As we mature, we begin to see with the eyes of Christ. His thinking influences our thinking. His power flows from within us. Remember all of the previous lessons where we learned we are the temple of the Holy Ghost. And in detail, it says we are the Holy of Holies. Your physical body is like the Holy of Holies with legs. Everywhere you go, you are taking Christ in the form of the Shekinah glory in you, just like the Shekinah glory dwelt behind that curtain in the physical temple of God. You bring the very presence of God everywhere you go.

Back to "See and say." When Jesus said He only did what He saw the Father do, He did not mean individually, person by person. We know that because Jesus healed them all. **Jesus knew the will of the Father, and that was to heal every single person who came to Jesus.** That is the only logical conclusion because Jesus never did anything that was not the will of the Father.

The gospel we preach should include us boldly saying, "If you come to Jesus, He will heal you." Some, like me, have run out with zeal after seeing this truth, and preached it while still being so very immature that when I prayed, I did not always

see that truth manifested. That is very disappointing, and the devil is very good at trying to convince you that the Word of God is not true, or that healing and miracles have passed away, or that it is not always God's will to heal, etc. But the truth was ... Gary was still a child, thought as a child, acted as a child, and was therefore very limited in how much God could use me.

The natural brain also agrees with the devil along the lines of, "I told you it wouldn't work." Remember, the natural gray-matter brain believes what it sees, and if you allow it to teach you doctrine, it will tell you things like, "See there? They didn't get healed when you prayed, so that means you cannot always know whether God wants to heal a person or not." I am not going to allow my flesh to teach me doctrine. I will look unto Jesus, the author and finisher of my faith, to teach me doctrine. Jesus showed us it is the Father's will to heal them all, first time, every time, no exceptions. That is the truth!

**John 14:12 KJV Verily, verily, I say unto you, He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go unto my Father.**

We all must submit to the growth process, the path to maturity that Jesus spoke of in that parable. There is no fruit on any plant until it comes to maturity. How simple. But our flesh resists the maturing process. Like little children, we want it all now, now, now ... without having to grow up first.

Let me clarify when He said, *"No amount of holy actions on your part ..."* He means it is not based on your church attendance, how much money you give, how many bake sales you hold to finance the church, and so forth. Allowing the growth process is when you do the things that lead to maturity ... the Word, worship, prayer, and fasting. As you do those things, you are allowing the Holy Spirit to mortify the flesh, and to build yourself up into maturity.

**Jude 1:20 KJV But ye, beloved, building up yourselves on your most holy faith, praying in the Holy Ghost,**

No matter what problem you are struggling with, remember what Jesus said,



**John 8:12 KJV** Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.

You have been born again. You have the light of life within you. Paul described that same light of life this way,

**Romans 8:2 KJV** For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death.

If you keep doing the four pillars, you will keep maturing. I used to have so many fleshly bad habits. At the time I thought I could not stop because, "That's just who I am." What a lie. That's not who I am. I am free from all of those things today; all glory to Jesus. They don't even tempt me anymore because there is nothing in me that wants them. That is called mortification.

Those things I used to love are repulsive to me now because my character is being molded more and more into the image of Christ. One of my best friends says, "Anything that you find in me that you like, that is because Jesus has transformed me to His image. Anything in me that you don't like, Jesus is still working on that part." I'm pretty sure that's true for all of us.

Jesus is the truth. The Word of God is truth. Living by faith is living by every Word that proceeds out of the mouth of God. We must live by the truth rather than by what our gray-matter brain tells us based on the five physical senses. Jesus demonstrated the truth for us during His time here on earth. It is the will of God that we mature to the point the living Christ can flow through our flesh to heal them first time, every time, no exceptions!

We will mature to the point where Christ can fully flow unhindered through our flesh now the same way He flowed through His own body while on earth. We are the body of Christ now. Time spent with God will produce maturity. Keep spending time with the God through the four pillars. The best is yet to come!