

## Prosper Your Soul and Be in Health – Part 5

- A. Man is made in the image of God. Gen 1:26, Jn 4:24
1. Many churches teach that man is a 3 part being: spirit, soul and body. 1 Thess 5:23
    - a) ABC does not agree with that teaching, nor do we believe what other churches teach that the soul is the mind, will and emotions.
  2. ABC teaches that the Structure of Man is a 5 part being:
    - a) Man (a human) is a spirit being who lives in a body, has a heart, soul and mind. 1 Cor 9:27, 1 Thess 5:23, Mt 22:37, Jn 3:5-8
    - b) The spirit can be born again. 2 Cor 5:17
- B. We Have a Soul.
1. Beloved, I wish above all things that you prosper (Strong's Concordance G2137 = Euodoō = Prosper, Successful) and be in health, even as thy soul prospers. 3 Jn 1: 2
  2. Prioritize to prosper your soul first.
  3. As a result, you will prosper in other areas and be in health.
- C. The Word of God (WOG) Prospers Your Soul.
1. There is no scriptural basis for the well-known phrase "The eyes are the windows to the soul."
  2. The eyes are the windows to the body, not the soul. Mt 6:22-23  
<sup>22</sup> The light of the body is the eye: if therefore thine eye be single, thy whole body shall be full of light. <sup>23</sup> But if thine eye be evil, thy whole body shall be full of darkness.  
 If therefore the light that is in thee be darkness, how great is that darkness!
  3. God's Word is a lamp to your feet and a light to your path. Ps 119:105
  4. Unto the pure all things are pure: but unto them that are defiled and unbelieving is nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled. Titus 1:15
    - a) According to the Blue Letter Bible Word Study conscience is G4893 = Syneidēsis = means **Soul**, Perspective, Distinguishing between what is morally good and bad.
    - b) This is what the Strong's says: G4893 suneidēsis = From a prolonged form of G4894; co-perception, that is, moral consciousness: - conscience.
    - c) According to Pastor Matthew, from a biblical point of view if you look at Heb 10:22 the conscience seems to be related to the core value of the heart not the soul. However, as we know most theologians and teachers just don't know what to do with the heart.
    - d) Let us draw near with a true heart in full assurance of faith, Heb 10:22  
 having our hearts sprinkled from an evil conscience, and our bodies washed with pure water.

5. May God himself, the God of peace, sanctify you through and through. May your whole spirit, soul and body be kept blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ. 1Thess 5:23
6. For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart. Hebrews 4:12
7. Speak the WOG to deliver your soul from troubles and snares. Prov 6:2; 21:23
8. Your body has already been healed by the stripes of Jesus 1 Pet 2:24,
9. When you speak the WOG, it becomes transformed with the manifestation of healing as your mind is renewed because your soul is prospering. Mt 8:8, Rom 12:2, 3 Jn 1:2
  - a) Wherefore lay apart all filthiness and superfluity of naughtiness, (overflow of wickedness), and receive with meekness the engrafted word, which is able to save your souls. Jas 1:21 KJV
  - b) So get rid of all uncleanness and the rampant outgrowth of wickedness, and in a humble (gentle, modest) spirit receive and welcome the Word which implanted and rooted [in your hearts] contains the power to **save** (G4982 = **Sozo** = To Save, Heal, Make Whole, Deliver, Rescue from peril or danger) your **souls** (G5590 = **Psychē** = Breath of Life, Soul, The seat of the **feelings**, desires, affections, aversions {our heart, soul etc.} according to the Blue Letter Bible Word Study.) Jas 1:21 AMPC
  - c) God is saving our souls from ungodly emotions.
10. Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth. 2 Tim 2:15
11. Pastor Joshua says it's important to let the WOG be an anchor to your soul:
  - a) Which hope we have as an anchor of the soul, both sure and stedfast, and which entereth into that within the veil. Heb 6:19
  - b) A good anchor to your soul is reminding yourself of past testimonies of victory God gave you.
12. Line up the 5 Parts of your being with the Holy Spirit and the WOG daily. When you are in sync with God, you are in unity with Him. Then nothing you purpose to do will be withheld from you. In other words, you will be an unstoppable force for God against the devil!
  - a) <sup>6</sup> And the Lord said, Behold, the people is one, and they have all one language; and this they begin to do: and now nothing will be restrained from them, which they have imagined to do. <sup>7</sup> Go to, let us go down, and there confound their language, that they may not understand one another's speech. <sup>8</sup> So the Lord scattered them abroad from thence upon the face of all the earth: and they left off to build the city. <sup>9</sup> Therefore is the name of it called Babel; because the Lord did there confound the language of all the earth: and from thence did the Lord scatter them abroad upon the face of all the earth. Gen 11:6-9
  - b) **Alignment Prayer: "Heavenly Father, in the name of Jesus, I thank you that because I am born-again and filled with the Spirit of God, that my spirit is automatically aligned with you, Holy Spirit. So I command my heart, soul, mind and body to line up with you, Spirit of God today and every day."**