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"My aunt miraculously survived right before death!"

Rev. Arao Hanga Mukumbi (Age 53, Angola Manmin Church)

On December 14, 2021, I received an urgent call from my cousin. He said that my aunt (Alice Ndandu, Age 79), who had been ill since early December, was hospitalized.

I asked my cousin to let me talk to apodrecer, may ela aim the doctor. The doctor told me that the pediran de pagar a fatte memory part of my aunt's brain and medulla oblongata in the lower part of her brain were severely damaged, where a lot of nerve tissue is gathered and it is responsible for many functions such as heartbeat, breathing, and body cardiaca, respiração ou temperature regulation. Her body already started to decay, and if her gut ecosistema codaverice bacteria grew rapidly, she could die in 72 hours.

My aunt raised me like her own son from elementary school to high school, so I was afraid of losing my aunt I love. I paid for her hospitalization and treatment to begin her treatment quickly, by the help of my daughter a unica the que me crieliving in the United States.

Doctors tried a variety of treatments in the intensive care unit. But her condition did not get better, and a rancid fluid leaded from her body ainda ndo reagin. Sen co and began to wet her clothes and bed

I am volunteering to translate Manmin News, the mission paper of Manmin Central Church, into Portuguese. I was also translating the Manmin News(No. 113) that day. However, the testimony of Deaconess Hyangsook Kang that the red pepper trees grew more than 2 meters and a lot of red peppers were borne, resulting in a great harvest, through the recorded prayer of Dr. Jaerock Lee, captured my heart.

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I immediately stopped translating. It was because I thought, 'If I let my aunt hear the prayer of a man of God, even though she is on the threshold of death, she will surely come back to life.' I knelt down and prayed for repentance, preparing for my aunt to receive the prayer of a man of God.

I played the video of Dr. Jaerock Lee's prayer for the sick on the computer, and put my aunt's picture in front of the computer. Then, looking into the eyes of Dr. Lee, I received his prayers repeatedly. I called my cousin at the hospital, and told him to put his cellphone to my aunt's ear so that she could receive the prayer I was playing repeatedly.

Three days later, something amazing happened. My aunt's body began to move, and she regained consciousness,

ressuscitou dentro de cand was able to open her eyes and speak in a low voice. Hallelujah!

My cousin was so happy that he called me and told me the news. I said she should continue to receive Dr. Lee's prayer for the sick until she would be fully healed.

The next day, December 18, I was on the phone with her doctor. He told me, "Pastor, your aunt is awake. Her que é a parte inferior d'condition is improving and her memory has been restored. Your pastor is truly a man of God!" Hallelujah!

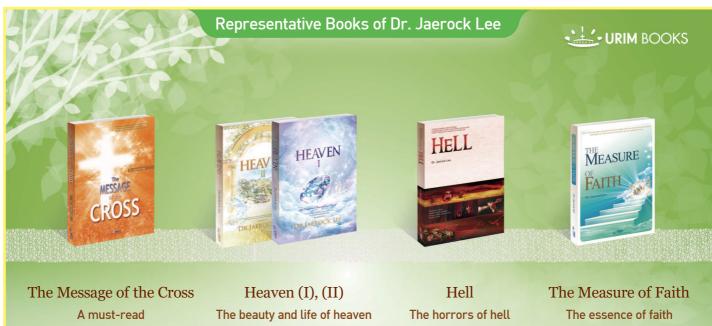
I asked the doctor if I could talk to my aunt, and he said yes. I was so happy to hear my aunt's voice. I asked her, "Do you know me?" and my aunt replied, "Yes, my son. You are my nephew Arao." Then she said, "I woke up from a deep and peaceful sleep. I heard a gentle voice of a man from afar, telling me to Ouvindo o diagnostico , get up, over and over again. After that, a finica tia que me crimy soul returned to my body."

primários e secundarios "I shouted "Hallelujah!" in a low voice.

That day, she was discharged from the hospital, and now she eats and walks by herself, and she's recovering.

I thank the Lord for healing my aunt, and I give all thanks and glory to God the Father, who saved my aunt through the prayer of Dr. Jaerock Lee, a man of God.

I would also like to thank Deaconess Hyangsook Kang, who gave her testimony through Manmin News. I was able to receive an answer by following her testimony. Hallelujah!



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Senior Pastor Rev. Jaerock Lee

### Nine Fruits of the Holy Spirit (10)

## Fruit of Self-Control

"But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law." (Gal. 5:22-23)

Those who don't have self-control make their lives difficult and cause hardships for themselves. For the believers who have accepted Jesus Christ, self-control is a must to cast away most basic sins.

Self-control is one of the 9 fruits of the Holy Spirit. It is not just power to press down sin desires; it controls all other fruits of the Spirit to be perfect. So, the fruits of Spirit begin with love and end with selfcontrol. Let us take a closer look at the fruit of selfcontrol.

#### 1. Makes All Other Fruits Perfect

Self-control is not as outstanding as other fruits of the Spirit in terms of its characteristics but in no way it is less important. It controls all other fruits to be stable and firm. All fruits of the Spirit become perfect only with self-control and for this reason it is mentioned last.

If you have joy, you can't just show it any time but only when it's appropriate. Self-control is necessary in faithfulness as well. If you have multiple duties, you need to prioritize your duties so that you are where you need to be. Even if the meeting is great, you need to finish it when it is supposed to be finished. Self-control is necessary to be faithful in all God's household.

The same goes for all other fruits such as love, peace, kindness, and goodness. When you show the acts that come from the fruit of the Spirit, you must not cross any line by following the guidance of the Holy Spirit. The fruit of self-control prompts you when you need to decide which things to do first and those that can be done later. It can let you know when to step in and when to back off.

Having borne the 9 fruits of the Holy Spirit completely means that you are acting in perfection in every matter, following the desires of the Spirit. And to do this, you must have the fruit of self-control. That is why it is said all 9 fruits of the Spirit are completed by the last fruit, self-control.

#### 2. Evidence of the Fruit of Self-Control Borne

#### 1) You Always Follow the Order

Those who have borne the fruit of self-control know their position in the order, so they know when they should take action and when they shouldn't, and what they should say and what they shouldn't. Thus they don't cause any disputes.

They don't do anything that is out of line. Suppose the leader of a mission group gave instructions to the manager. Just because this manager thinks he has a better way, he just does things his way. Even if the manager had done it with godly faithfulness, he violated the order due to lack of self-control.

Even in the church, what the leader wants to do might be different from what you want to do. Even if your idea seems very good and it will help the group very much, you can't produce good results if you break peace by going against the directions of superiors. This is to give grounds for Satan to accuse you, and God's work will be blocked.

Therefore, unless it is something totally against the truth, you should follow the order thinking of the whole church even if your leader's opinions are different from yours.

#### 2) You Put the Truth into Action Appropriately

It's good to cry out in prayer, but you can't just do that anywhere and any time you want. You might mask God's glory by doing so. You should also have discernment on which things to say when you counsel believers.

If you say something that the believers can't understand within their measure of faith, they might lose fullness of Spirit or even pass judgment. In some cases, some people hold others who are busy and give their lengthy testimonies. Even though the testimonies are full of grace, it'd be difficult for the hearers to be touched in such a situation. They might pretend to listen just to be courteous, but their mind is not at ease, and they can't really focus on the testimony.

In a group or mission group meeting with the Senior Pastor, if you give a lengthy personal testimony, it means you are using up the time for the whole group all by yourself. Thus, we need to consider various situations and exercise self-control.

#### 3) You Are not Impatient or Impulsive

Those who don't have self-control are usually impatient and reckless. As they rush things, they don't have proper judgments and miss out some important things, too. They might cause uncomfortable relationships by passing judgments on people.

When they need to listen to others and then answer, those who are impatient make many mistakes. Therefore, they shouldn't just intervene while others are still talking but listen to the end to prevent any misunderstanding. Furthermore, in so doing they can understand the intention of others as well.

Jesus' disciple Peter was impatient and bragging before he received the Holy Spirit. Before taking the cross, Jesus said to Peter that he'd deny Jesus. Peter said he'd never do so.

If Peter had self-control, he'd have tried to see what he really had to say rather than just saying things right off the top of his head. If he knew there was nothing that Jesus would ever say that was meaningless he would have tried to keep what the Lord had said in his mind and prepared himself so that such a thing wouldn't happen. Such discernment comes from the fruit of self-control.

In John chapter 7, Jesus didn't leave for Jerusalem for the Feast of Booths (Feast of Tabernacles). So, His brothers urged Him to go to Jerusalem to show miracles and gain their support. They had their own ideas and became impatient with Jesus, who was waiting for the right moment. If Jesus hadn't had selfcontrol, he'd have gone up to Jerusalem immediately.

However, Jesus wasn't affected by His brothers' urging but just waited for the right time of God. After they left for Jerusalem, He went quietly without being seen by others. Jesus knew exactly when to stay and when to leave. He acted according to God's will.

#### 3. To Bear the Fruit of Self-Control

In many cases people have ulterior motives that are different from their words. Some draw attention to other people's faults in order to hide their own. They make a request saying it is for others, while it is actually to get what they want.

They ask a question saying they want to find out God's will, but actually they are just seeking the answer they want. If we quietly continue talking with these people, they will soon reveal their intentions.

Those who have self-control are not easily agitated by what others say. They can quietly listen to others and discern the truth by the works of the Holy Spirit. If you give an answer with self-control and discernment, you wouldn't make mistakes caused by faulty judgment. To that same extent, your word will carry weight and it will have authority. Now, what do we have to do to bear the fruit of self-control?

#### First, we should cultivate unchanging heart.

If we have a truthful heart that is free of falsehood and cunningness, we can do the things that we decide to do. Of course, we can't cultivate such a heart overnight. We have to train ourselves to keep our heart from little things so that we can eventually cultivate an unchanging heart.

#### Next, we should try to hear the voice of the Holy Spirit before doing things at our own discretion.

We can hear the voice of the Holy Spirit to the extent that we take in and make bread of God's word. When we're wrongfully accused, we can hear, "Forgive, love." However, if we have a lot of untruths in our heart, we will hear Satan's voice first saying, "They will look down on you if you just leave them be. You should teach them a strong lesson first." Even if you hear Holy Spirit's voice, if the evil thoughts are dominant, you'd miss the faint voice of the Holy Spirit.

We can hear the voice of the Holy Spirit when we cast away untruths from our heart and make bread of God's word. When we obey the faint voices of the Spirit, we'll be able to hear them more clearly. We should try to follow the voice rather than doing the things that seem urgent to us.

As we keep on listening to and obeying the desires of the Holy Spirit, we'll be able to discern between minute details and act in harmony in all matters.

Dear brothers and sisters, it is the fruit of selfcontrol that controls love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, and gentleness. All these are made perfect by self-control.

I hope you will bear the fruits of the Spirit completely so that you will receive everything you ask and you'll prosper in all things. In so doing, may you give out light and power in this dark world and reveal the glory of God, I pray this in the name of the Lord!





Deacon Donny Yii Sing Chin (the third from the left) and his family



## *"I want to spread the holiness gospel with Dr. Jaerock Lee's books."*

Deacon Donny Yii Sing Chin (Sibu Jaya Manmin sanctuary, Malaysia)

with faith.

Since I was deeply touched by Dr. Jaerock Lee' books, I had been selling his books at various cultural festivals since 2013, and I also got a hope of opening a books store and church here in Sibu Jaya.

When I visited Korea in 2018, I met staff of Urim Books, a book publishing company sharing the gospel through his books, and discussed the management of a book store with him. Upon coming back to my country, I cancelled the rental contract on the second and third floors of my building and started to renovate the building for the book store and church.

I did not have enough finance but I did my best with my intense enthusiasm for spreading the word of life. I faced financial difficulties during the remodeling but the situation began to change in 2020 as we kept doing Some of my properties were sold at a good price, so I was able to pay off all my debts, and I rented the restaurant I had run at a good price. Currently, I rent out all my real estate, including restaurants, and thanks to the rents, my family have no worry about living expenses, so we focus on God's work and the bookstore.

Finally, the church remodeling was complete at the end of the last year. We're worshipping in that sanctuary and the bookstore was opened on January 7.

I could do nothing but all these things were possible by the grace of the Father God and the Lord. I hope that I may evangelize the world by being united with Manmin all the more through the ministry of the bookstore and the church.







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Deacon Dukyoung Kim (Age 48, 1<sup>st</sup> Parish)

At the end of 2017, the CCTV business I run faced difficulties, and a crisis of closure in March 2018. I was so afraid to even face the morning at that time.

attended the 'Special Daniel prayer meeting', which had been held since February 26, and prayed earnestly repenting of my past life.

I repented that I did not completely obey God's Word and that I lived my life according to my own will and the way I wanted although I had been attending church for a long time. When I thought of Senior Pastor Dr. Jaerock Lee, who always taught us to live according to the word of God and guided us with love, I felt so regretful and embarrassed. I earnestly prayed, "Please help all my family members live a good Christian life even in difficult circumstances." That night, I saw Senior Pastor in my dream.

In the dream, someone told me that the Senior Pastor was waiting for me, and I followed him. Senior Pastor was fishing in the lake, and when he saw me, he gave me a fishing rod. But even though I lowered the fishing rod for a while, I couldn't catch a single fish. Senior Pastor Dr. Lee caught a lot of fish, cooked them deliciously for me, and said, "Take some with you when you go home." After I had that dream, my heart was at peace. After that, government policy funding was approved and I was able to operate my factory again.

I made up my mind to follow God's way, not my own. However, I did not know what God's way was specifically. One Saturday in December 2018, I was watching the Special Praise Meeting led by acting Senior Pastor Dr. Soojin Lee. And unlike any other time, her comment greatly touched my heart, and I came to repent thoroughly with tears. God greatly enlightened me through what I had decided the previous day, because I wanted to run my business according to the way of God the Father.

I prayed, "Father God! I am so foolish that I do not understand the will of God, nor do I hear the voice of the Holy Spirit well. From now on, please let me hear the way You are pleased with through my ears." After that, God helped me to hear various advice of faith from my elder sister, Senior Deaconess Eunjung Kim. I engraved those words in my heart and loved to follow the way that God pleases.

At the end of 2019, I heard from my elder sister that the Children's Sunday School needed a supporter, and I recommended my wife, Deaconess Sung-Ae Lee. Looking back now, it seems that God let us prepare the vessel for blessings starting with this.

In the beginning of 2020, I had a chance to receive prayer from Acting Senior Pastor Dr. Soojin Lee. It went well and I was greatly blessed. Even though 2021 was a difficult year for everyone due to COVID-19, I felt that God was protecting



The flower offering that Deacon Dukyoung Kim offered up to God the Father with his grateful heart

me with love and blessing.

On June 7, with the advice of my Parish Pastor, I and my wife received prayer from my Great Grand Pastor with the handkerchief of power on which Dr. Jaerock Lee had praved(Acts 19:11-12), and two days later, we received the blessing of an unplanned bulk order. However, during the material inspection process, I got a call from a semiconductor company I was dealing with. I was told that it would be difficult to supply with semiconductors. At that time, the global semiconductor supply was not good.

After I receive the Great Parish Pastor's prayer on June 12, I looked for what would please God in prayer. Then, the church event, 'Manmin Praise Contest' came to my mind, and I gave offerings for it on June 15. Surprisingly, the next day, the semiconductor volume was secured from Taiwan and China, so my company was able to deliver goods normally.

At the Divine Healing Meeting on September 13, I remembered my lacking by the love of God, and received the grace of repentance. Then then, while receiving Acting Senior Pastor's handkerchief prayer, the holy fire came upon me. Two days later, something amazing happened.

I heard from a Japanese buyer that there might be an opportunity for my Japanese partner to supply CCTV products to a large company. The product was using my company's camera, so my company was put under actual inspection. Something I could not even imagine happened by God's grace.

On October 10, after receiving the prayer of my Great Grand Parish Pastor, I passed the actual inspection on the 12<sup>th</sup>, and I received the second order to make many profits on November 20. The greater blessing is that the export route has been opened for many years to come, as they want continuous trading with my company. Hallelujah!

I give all thanks and glory to Father God of love, for guiding me on the path of blessing when I depended on God and obeyed to please Him.