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People Who Met God

*"The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want."
(Psalm 23:1)*



Healed of Trigger Thumb

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Since April of this year, I began experiencing pain whenever I bent my right thumb. Eventually,

I could only bend it by forcing it with my other hand. The pain worsened day by day, and it became very inconvenient in my daily life. Remembering a testimony I once heard about a similar case, I searched the internet and realized that my condition was the same as "trigger thumb."

In May, I was invited to a prayer center event as a worker. With longing to be healed through this visit, I prepared myself by reflecting on my life. I discovered that I had often spoken harshly and failed to treat others with gentleness, lacking love and consideration. Each time I realized such shortcomings, I prayed and thoroughly repented.

Also, during the Sunday Services and the Daniel Prayer Meetings, I earnestly received Pastor Soojin Lee's prayer and prepared myself with longing by fasting one meal before going to the prayer center. After attending the prayer center event in God's grace and returning home, I realized that the pain in my right thumb had completely disappeared like it had never hurt before. My thumb began to bend naturally and freely. Hallelujah!"

Since then, I have had no pain at all, and I can move my thumb freely without any difficulty, so I am able to carry out my daily tasks with no hindrance. I give all thanks and glory to God who healed me.

Esophageal Cancer, Heart, and Hip Joint... God Healed Them All!

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In June 2022, I underwent surgery for esophageal cancer. In March 2023, during a routine check-up, the doctor said that there were many lumps in my abdomen and that it appeared to be metastasis. Around that time, I came to know Daejeon Manmin Church. Through GCN, I received much grace as I listened to the sermons of Pastor Emeritus Dr. Jaerock Lee and Senior Pastor Soojin Lee. Each time I listened to the messages, I felt myself being renewed, and I came to long deeply for both pastors. From then on, I consistently received the Prayer for the Sick.

While I listened to the Word, even memories from my childhood—such as stealing money from my father's pocket—came to mind, leading me to sincere repentance. Then, on April 20 this year, I officially registered at Daejeon Manmin Church. Thereafter, I listened to many sermons, including *The Message of the Cross* sermon series, and at home I always kept GCN on, continually receiving prayer.

When the time came for my regular check-up, I visited the hospital. The doctor suddenly said, "It's clean." Somewhat taken aback, I simply replied, "Yes," and walked out. But I was so surprised that I asked the nurse again. She explained that the lumps in my abdomen had completely disappeared, which was why the doctor had said so. At that moment, I



was overwhelmed with gratitude and joy, and tears flowed down my face. Hallelujah!

In addition, during a routine check-up in 2024, fluid was discovered around my heart. I often felt short of breath while walking and had to adjust my pace because of it. But recently, while receiving another ultrasound at the cardiology department, the doctor tilted his head in surprise and said, "The fluid that was around your heart has completely dried up." Hallelujah!

And that is not all. About ten years ago, I was involved in a motorcycle accident after drinking, which resulted in a fractured hip joint. Since then, I had suffered pain for ten years. Because of pain in my hip and knee, I walked with a limp, and when the pain grew severe, I could not even sleep without

applying pain relief patches.

One day, I heard that our church would be visiting the resting place of Pastor Emeritus and Ms. Boknim Lee. Since I had longed for Pastor Emeritus so much, I joined with a heart filled with longing and gratitude. When we arrived, I felt such peace in my heart. Afterwards, there was a time of fellowship with Pastor Miyoung Lee, and there I received her prayer. On the way back home in the car, I suddenly realized that the pain in my hip and knee was gone.

Normally, whenever I rode in a car for more than an hour, my hip and knee would ache and feel numb. But that day, there was no pain at all. When I got home, I felt a little discomfort again, but during this Summer Retreat, I received the prayer for the sick from Pastor Soojin Lee, along with Pastor Miyoung Lee's prayer, and I was completely healed. Since then, I have been free from all pain and able to live in comfort.

Also, the athlete's foot that I had suffered from for forty years disappeared after I repeatedly received prayer for the sick from Pastor Soojin Lee. I don't even know exactly when it was healed. Nowadays, as I listen to the Word and strive to be changed, I feel God's love in every moment. Even just seeing flowers makes me happy. I give all thanks and glory to God who has healed me of every disease.

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My Right Ear, Which Could Not Hear for 30 Years, Is Now Opened!

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Since childhood, my right ear had been weak. I could not use it to answer the phone, and when my wife called me, I often could not hear her clearly. When I went to the hospital, the diagnosis was that there was no cure. So, I lived with this condition for more than 30 years. During the Manmin Summer Retreat

in August, I earnestly longed to be healed. For seven days I fasted one meal each morning, listened to *The Message of the Cross*, and reflected on myself. I also attended every Daniel Prayer Meeting without fail, repenting and

praying earnestly.

On August 4, at the Opening Service of the Retreat, as soon as I sat down, tears of grace began to flow uncontrollably. Later that evening, after Pastor Soojin Lee's message, when she offered the prayer for the sick, I received it with all my heart.

After the prayer, I covered one ear to test it—and something amazing happened. My wife, who was sitting next to me, asked, "Why do you keep covering your ear? Were you healed?" At that moment, I clearly heard her voice. I confessed to her with joy, "Yes, I was healed." Hallelujah!

Now I can clearly hear when speaking on the phone, and conversations flow smoothly. I give all thanks and glory to God who restored the hearing that I had lost for 30 years.

My Eardrums, Which Had Melted Away, Are Being Restored!

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Since the fall of 2023, I began hearing noises in both ears that were so severe I could hardly endure them. In December 2024, I went to an ENT clinic for an examination, and the doctor told me that the eardrums in both ears had melted away. He also explained that when eardrums are melted or severely perforated, even if reconstructive surgery is performed, a full recovery of hearing cannot be guaranteed.

Because of the constant noise in my ears, I became very sensitive, and on top of that, I could hardly sleep at night. Every night, I attended Daniel Prayer Meeting, praying earnestly, "Lord, please let my eardrums that have melted be revived and restored." During Sunday Services and Daniel Prayer Meetings, I received Pastor Soojin Lee's prayer with faith, responding with "Amen."

Then, in late July, I began to sleep peacefully at night, and the noise in my ears gradually subsided. When I went back to the hospital for another check-up, the doctor suddenly stepped back in surprise and exclaimed, "Oh! They've come back to life!" When I asked, "What has come back to life?" he replied that my eardrums were being formed and extending. Hallelujah! I give all thanks and glory to God who has worked this amazing miracle in my life.



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The Last Seven Words on the Cross

1. "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing"

Most people, when their end draws near, look back on the life they have lived and leave last words to their family and neighbors. Also, when writing an autobiography or a book, the author usually leaves the core message of the entire work in its conclusion. In the same way, Jesus, who came to this earth as the Word became flesh, proclaimed seven words that comprehensively summed up all His work until He breathed His last on the cross. These are called the Last Seven Words on the Cross.

What kind of spiritual meaning is contained in the seven words which are like the Lord's last will?

The First Word is "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing."

The fundamental reason that Jesus, the Son of God, suffered the cruel punishment of the cross was because of the sins of mankind. Since Adam's fall, all people have been born with a sinful nature and stand as sinners before God. They were destined to receive His righteous judgment that "the wages of sin is death."

Yet, the God of love sent His only begotten Son, Jesus, to this earth to save sinful humanity. As the sinless One, Jesus bore in our place all the

"But Jesus was saying, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.'"

...

And Jesus, crying out with a loud voice, said, "Father, into Your hands I commit My spirit." Having said this, He breathed His last.

Luke 23:34-46

punishment and suffering that sinners deserved. Not knowing this truth, the Roman soldiers and the people of Israel scorned and mocked Him on the cross as though He were a heinous criminal.

Even in the midst of such extreme pain and humiliation, Jesus demonstrated astonishing love. He did not resent or curse those who nailed Him to the cross and mocked Him. Instead, He offered a prayer of intercession: "Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing." It was a prayer not only for those who crucified and ridiculed Him, but ultimately for all mankind dwelling in darkness. Because of this loving intercession of Jesus, countless

souls have been able to receive salvation.

Jesus, who suffered on the cross without sin and prayed for sinners in love, desires that God's children who believe in Him also love and forgive everyone. This is why He taught us to pray in the Lord's Prayer, "And forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors" (Matthew 6:12). Furthermore, even when we are unjustly persecuted, He wants us not to react with evil or harbor resentment, but to respond only with goodness (Matthew 5:44-45).

Such love and forgiveness are impossible by human strength, but they become possible through the help of the Holy Spirit. Day by day, we must meditate on the Word and pray so that our hearts may resemble the Lord's. Even though we are hurt or betrayed at times, true forgiveness and reconciliation can take place as the love of Christ fills our hearts.

Therefore, as those who have received salvation, God's children must follow the example of Jesus who loved even the sinners that nailed Him to the cross and mocked Him. We should not only love our brothers and sisters in the Lord, but also forgive and love even our enemies.

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