

BIBLICAL KEYS FOR A LONG, HEALTHY LIFE

KENNETH COPELAND SEPTEMBER 12-16, 2022

DAY 1 – A PROSPEROUS LIFE IS A HEALTHY LIFE

It is important what you do and what you think all the time. Brother Kenneth E. Hagin was born prematurely. Brother Copeland's job on this earth is to prosper people. When you live a prosperous lifestyle, you are always ready to pray for others.

- I. It is important what you do and what you think all the time.
 - Prosperity is a lifestyle.
 - Brother Copeland was staying in a hotel and felt to give the cleaning lady \$200.
 - She said, "Oh, the Savior knew!"
 - That's a lifestyle, but you need to be listening to The LORD all the time.
 - Today is your receiving day.
- II. Brother Kenneth E. Hagin was born prematurely.
 - As a teenager, he was paralyzed from the waist down. The doctor told him, "You have to die."
 - He continually meditated on Mark 11:22-25.
 - The word of The LORD came to Brother Hagin, *You believe you're well now?* He answered, "Yes, I do." *Men who are well ought to be up this time of day.*
 - o He declared out loud, "I am healed." Feeling started coming back into his legs.
 - He said, "My life is in this book, the Bible." He thought on The WORD all the time.
 - What you think about all the time, you will eventually become.
 - You can have a prosperous mind.
 - "Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth" (3 John 2). The word *wish* means "to pray."
 - "I pray above all things that you may prosper and be in health, even as your mind, will and emotions prosper" (see 3 John 2).
- III. Brother Copeland's job on this earth is to prosper people.
 - For example: When leaving a hotel room, help the cleaning lady by folding your used towels and putting them on the counter.





- O Don't take 15 paper towels to dry your hands. Take only what you need, then use the others to wipe down the counter.
- o Prosperity is *not* having 75 used margarine bowls in your cupboard.
- Having a prosperous soul is leaving a trail of prosperity behind you.
- When you have a prosperous mind, you begin to prosper other people; then people will begin to prosper you.
- Take prosperity everywhere you go; it will keep you well.
- IV. When you live a prosperous lifestyle, you are always ready to pray for others.
 - Once Brother Copeland was riding with the Glory Riders in Branson, Mo. and stopped at a store.
 - A little boy stopped them and asked them to pray for his mother, who had cancer. She was in the car outside the store.
 - They all went out and prayed for the mother.
 - Another time while riding in Estes Park, Colo., they prayed for a waitress who was obviously hurting. After the prayer to forgive her sister, she was completely, totally changed.
 - It's a lifestyle, prospering people all the time.
 - Kenneth and Gloria were in a restaurant and they gave the waiter Gloria's book *God's Will for You.*
 - o They made sure he was born again, laid hands and prayed for him.
 - o Not long after, the waiter suddenly died of cancer.
 - o Kenneth Copeland Ministries paid for the funeral and paid off his truck so the grandmother had transportation without any undue expense.
 - Any good thing you do, The LORD will do the same for you.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

We are to live a prosperous lifestyle and it begins by being used by God to prosper others. Watch for opportunities to give to others, and watch The LORD do the same for you.

Make this declaration:

"I am prosperous. My soul prospers. My health prospers. My finances prosper. I look for ways to prosper others. I give to others and remind them of the Love of Jesus for them. I love to give. Every day, I live a prosperous lifestyle according to the will of God."





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DAY 2 – GOD'S PLAN IS TO BLESS YOU

God's desire is to BLESS. God will BLESS you in whatever you need. This property was Brother Copeland's kine, and it's a BLESSING. The LORD spoke BLESSING and curses to the people. The law is not of faith, but THE BLESSING is.

- I. God's desire is to BLESS.
 - The children of Israel stood on the sides of two mountains, six tribes on Mount Gerizim and the other six tribes on Mount Ebal facing them (Deuteronomy 27:12-13).
 - Mount Gerizim was green and healthy; it was THE BLESSING mountain. Nothing grew on Mount Ebal; it was the cursing mountain.
 - When the priest spoke THE BLESSING, those on Mount Gerizim would shout.
 When the curses were spoken, those on Mount Ebal would shout.
 - o It was a visual demonstration of THE BLESSING of The LORD.
- II. God will BLESS you in whatever you need.
 - The children of Israel were an agricultural nation.
 - You are BLESSED in the increase of your kine when you obey The LORD your God (Deuteronomy 28:4).
 - o Their kine were their animals, which were crucial to their way of life.
 - Your kine is whatever you need to get your job done.
- III. This property was Brother Copeland's kine and it's a BLESSING.
 - Years ago, Brother Copeland was flying over the property that is now Kenneth Copeland Ministries.
 - He heard the words, "Coming to you from The Revival Capital of the World."
 - This 1500 acres was used during World War II as a naval air station, operated by the Marine Corps.
 - o God knew that one day there would be Kenneth Copeland Bible College[®], and they would need land for student housing, a ballpark and more. The parents of the students would want to move here to be close to their families.





- IV. The LORD spoke BLESSING and curses to the people (Deuteronomy 28).
 - "The LORD shall command THE BLESSING upon thee in thy storehouses" (Deuteronomy 28:8).
 - "The LORD shall establish thee an holy people unto himself" (Deuteronomy 28:9).
 - Other nations are jealous of the Jewish people and they are persecuted because THE BLESSING is operating on them.
 - "But it shall come to pass, if thou wilt not hearken unto the voice of The LORD thy God, to observe to do all his commandments and his statutes which I command thee this day; that all these curses shall come upon thee, and overtake thee" (Deuteronomy 28:15).
 - "The LORD shall smite thee with consumption" (Deuteronomy 28:22).
 - o It could have been tuberculosis or COVID-19; something in the lungs.
 - o It's amazing that one man in another country broke protocol and did an autopsy on someone who had died of COVID-19.
 - He found the man's lungs were crystallized. He did not have pneumonia, he had damaged lungs. That's part of the curse.
- V. The law is not of faith but THE BLESSING is.
 - "Christ hath redeemed us from the curse of the law, being made a curse for us: for it is written, Cursed is every one that hangeth on a tree: that THE BLESSING of Abraham might come on the Gentiles through Jesus Christ; that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith" (Galatians 3:13-14).
 - Read the book of Galatians; it is about faith—the faith of Abraham, the faith of the gospel. We're redeemed from all the curse of the law.
 - God's whole idea was to BLESS.
 - The 10 Commandments were not given to hurt the Jews. The whole idea was BLESSING!

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Read Deuteronomy 28. After reading each BLESSING, say, "That's me!" After each curse say, "Not me!" Be attentive each day to notice THE BLESSINGS of God in your life.

God has promised BLESSINGS to you and for you. Receive them from the hand of a loving heavenly Father. Be thankful. That pleases Him.





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DAY 3 - PUT YOUR TRUST IN GOD FOR A LONG, HEALTHY LIFE

We are redeemed from the curse. Brother Copeland's mother and that side of his family all had heart trouble. Man's days shall be 120 years. Our God is more than enough.

- I. We are redeemed from the curse!
 - God has promised us long life until we are satisfied (Psalm 91:16).
 - Kenneth Hagin passed away at 86 because he was satisfied.
 - That morning he had breakfast. He wanted another bowl of strawberries. He looked over at Oretha, smiled and was gone.
 - His Bible-based faith and hope kept him alive all those years. It works.
 - The days of our years are threescore years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years" (Psalm 90:10).
 - The footnote of this verse in the Amplified Bible, Classic Edition states that 70 is not a set span of life. God gave it to the children of Israel who were disobedient.
- II. Brother Copeland's mother and that side of his family all had heart trouble.
 - After preaching one day, Brother Copeland experienced shortness of breath.
 - In October 2018, God said, I'm giving you a new heart.
 - The doctor examined him and said he needed a pacemaker.
 - o Brother Copeland planned to get healed with his new heart by faith.
 - o The LORD told him, *You're too far past the curve.*
 - Brother Copeland took the pacemaker by faith, and then he began to do corresponding action.
 - He works out on a treadmill with his new heart. He didn't just give up and sit down and wait for his heart to kill him.
 - He passed his flight physical and has continued to fly.
 - His confession is: "I am well! I am healed!"





- III. Man's days shall be 120 years (Genesis 6:3).
 - Medical science even says the human body should last 120 years if it wasn't for sickness and disease. That agrees with the Bible!
 - Paul wrote to Timothy that food is not to be refused if received with thanksgiving and prayer. (1 Timothy 4:4-5).
 - However, there are certain foods that if you continue to eat them all the time, you will begin to have physical problems.
 - Over 98% of chronic diseases in the United States are self-induced.
- IV. Our God is more than enough.
 - "He that dwelleth in the secret place of the Most High shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty" (Psalm 91:1).
 - Some Jews died early because they didn't know how to talk as covenant people.
 - You need to speak the promises.
 - Make this declaration: "I will say of The LORD, He is my refuge, He is my fortress, He is my God. In Him will I trust. Surely, He will deliver me" (Psalm 91:2-3).

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Speak THE BLESSINGS of God for one whole day. You'll be s give you a great life!	•	•	•





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DAY 4 - GOD'S HEALING MERCIES FOR LONG LIFE

Psalm 91 is a soldier's Psalm. There are three speakers in Psalm 91. God has mercy on those who are sick. Pray for them. The LORD wants to deliver and honor you with long life and satisfy you with His salvation. God wants to heal you.

- I. Psalm 91 is a soldier's Psalm.
 - Brother Copeland's friend, Keith Kurber, was a special forces colonel who was given a dangerous mission that had previously resulted in casualties.
 - Colonel Kurber ordered his men to memorize Psalm 91 and speak each verse upon command.
 - When they returned after two years in Afghanistan, his unit had zero casualties.
- II. There are three speakers in Psalm 91.
 - The first speaker is a person (Psalm 91:1-2).
 - The second speaker is The LORD Jesus (Psalm 91:3-13).
 - Pestilence is in here twice. It covers plagues, all kinds of sickness and all kinds of diseases. COVID-19 is actually part of the curse of the law.
 - The third person is the heavenly Father (Psalm 91:14-16).
- III. God has mercy on those who are sick. Pray for them.
 - Say, "I bind you, devil, in the Name of Jesus. Father, send laborers across their path with The WORD of salvation and The WORD of their redemption from sickness."
 - Phil Driscoll was in the hospital with COVID-19.
 - o Brother Copeland told him, "You are healed. This thing will not bother your lungs and will not affect your ministry on the trumpet at all."
 - The doctor told him he would never leave the hospital alive.
 - His wife, Darlene, called Brother Copeland and said she had just checked Phil out of the hospital that morning!
 - He was healed by the word of knowledge, the power of faith and the promises in Psalm 91.





- He picked up that horn, took a deep breath and played it as if he had never stopped.
- IV. The LORD wants to deliver and honor you with long life and satisfy you with His salvation (Psalm 91:15-16).
 - With 120 years, I'll satisfy him and show him My salvation.
 - Jesus tasted death for every man (Hebrews 2:9).
 - You can't taste it, smell it, see it or hear it when you die. The believer doesn't die, he just departs.
 - When Brother Hagin was a teenager, he died and went down toward hell. He screamed, "But I'm Baptist!" He depended on being a Baptist to take him to heaven.
 - He asked The LORD to forgive him and received Jesus as his LORD and Savior.
 - He died again and this time went up toward heaven. It was glorious. He was told, "You have to go back. You're not finished yet."
 - Don't ever feel sorry for someone who steps over into that glory.
- V. God wants to heal you.
 - "But if the Spirit of him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, he that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by his Spirit that dwelleth in you" (Romans 8:11).
 - He's working in here right now to heal everything wrong with you, your family, your dog and your goldfish. God will take care of a man and his beast.
 - Brother Copeland laid hands on a dog having seizures. The LORD healed the puppy.
 - Jesus calls us brethren—His brothers and sisters. The whole congregation of us are called the brethren. He's not ashamed to call us family!

MAKE IT PERSONAL

Use your authority to speak the promises of God in your life. Pick out two things in which you need God's help. Find scriptures that promise this help.

Write down the needs and write God's promise. Say them every day with faith and
thanksgiving, expecting Him to do what He said He would do.





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DAY 5 - KEEP THE SWITCH OF FAITH ON FOR A HEALTHY LIFE

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- I. The prophet Isaiah prophesied of Jesus' death.
 - The *King James Version* states, "Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows" (Isaiah 53:4).
 - o Griefs and sorrows should be translated "sickness and disease."
 - However, Jesus did also bear our sorrows and griefs. Paul wrote that we are to grieve not because we have hope (1 Thessalonians 4:13).
 - The Hebrew word *shalom* means "nothing missing and nothing broken." That concerns finances, family, business and church—all are promised to be "nothing missing, nothing broken"!
 - It was not just Jesus' body that died. It was also spiritual death, which is being separated from God.
 - A woman claimed the scripture, "Thy Maker is thine husband" (Isaiah 54:5). Her husband fixed everything around the house, but then he died.
 - She told Jesus. "You're my husband now, so fix my toilet." Her toilet has worked ever since!
- II. We are supposed to rebuke the devil. We're the ones who are supposed to be standing up against tornadoes. Talk to the works of the devil.
 - Brother Copeland was flying to Arkansas in a thunderstorm and saw a tornado.
 - He said, "In the Name of Jesus, tornado, you get back up there where you belong." Jesus is not blowing down churches with tornadoes.
 - "You are a royal priesthood" (1 Peter 2:9).
 - Some say, "But I don't feel like a priest. I feel like something a truck ran over.
 I'm sick and in a mess."
 - o No, now you're alive, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ.





III. Turn on the switch of faith.

- Brother Hagin said, "Plug in with your faith. Make an effort. There's power in those electrical sockets, but you're not going to get any benefit of it unless you plug in there. Turn the switch of faith on."
- Breast cancer is healed by the power of the Name of Jesus.
- A shoulder that has been so hard and painful, it will work for you—but you have to act on it.
- Make this declaration: "I call my ankles well. I'm calling things that be not as though they were. There's no arthritis in my feet, no pain in my knees and ankles, no pain in my thighs, no pain in my body, in the calves of my legs. I refuse to have it. I'm pain free. Appendix, no, you don't, don't mess with me. I call my liver well, eyes well and ears well."
- Sinus trouble is being healed. Stomach problems, stomach ulcers, all pain everywhere, even on your neck, is gone.

IV. Jerry Savelle was attacked with a stroke.

- The doctor said Brother Savelle would never be normal again. He was able to pray in the spirit, but couldn't say one word in English.
- He had total memory loss. He didn't know Carolyn or his daughters. He couldn't remember one scripture or one sermon he had preached.
- When he went home from the hospital, he knew his family but he only had partial use of his right arm and right leg.
 - After a few days, he walked out to his shop and started every motorcycle and car; then turned them all off.
 - As he left the building, he asked his granddaughter Rachel for the keys. Without thinking, he took them in his right hand and locked the shop.
 - When he took those keys, immediately he got back the use of his arm and his leg, and his total memory returned.
 - o Within a week, he was traveling and preaching all over the world.

MAKE IT PERSONAL

God wants you well, healed and whole. Believe that He will fix anything that concerns you—and He will! Please send us your experiences so we can rejoice with you. Contact us by <u>clicking here</u>, or <u>contact us on Facebook</u>TM.

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