

A Powerful Weapon: Committed To The Lord

Psalm 37:5, "Commit thy way unto the LORD; trust also in him; and he shall bring it to pass."

We know that all things work together for the good to them that love Him (*Romans 8:28*). **I know I could love Him; that's one thing I could do** (*Matthew 22:36-40*). **And I committed all things to Him. And if the job's too big for Him, what's the use in me trying?** Sure. He's the One Who sent it; It's His Word. I don't want to preach my word; **I want to preach His Word**. I don't want to say something about myself; **I want to say something about Him**. So therefore, it's His Word, His power.

That's the reason that I don't believe that one man can heal another. No such stuff in the Scripture. But I believe that Jesus Christ the Son of God has healed every sick person that ever was sick, **if they could only accept it, and saved every sinner, if they'd only accepted it** (*John 1:12-13; Psalm 49:7*). But it's your personal faith in Him, **that you accept and confess** (*Hebrews 4:14-16*). [1]

If someone talks about you, and you talk back about them, **God can't fight your battle; you're fighting it yourself** (*Exodus 14:14*). Just let loose and let Him do it. **And just commit it to Him. The greatest weapon that I know of of a Christian today, is a committal to God**. When you can't do nothing about it, just commit it to Him, and God will take care of it. Don't you believe that? [2]

Did you ever get up of the morning, hear all the robins a hollering, all the little birds just as soon as it breaks day. Set around, and they stick his little heads through the air and sing, sing, sing. You never heard of one of them having high blood pressure. You never did see one on a crutch, did you? God takes care of him (*Matt. 6:25-27*). That's right. **They just trust that, and commit everything to God, and go ahead**. [3]

What's Jesus doing? He's got his eyes set to Calvary. He's going right straight to Jerusalem to be offered up for a Sacrifice. **The weight of every sin that was ever committed on the earth, or ever would be committed, rested upon His precious shoulders** (*John 1:29*). He was a big Man. When people say bad things about you, if you can just go on forget it, **that shows you're a big man**. Little men can't tamper with it; **He was too big to listen to their criticism. He had one thing to do; that's the Father's will** (*John 5:30; 6:38*). He had to die for those men (*Matt. 20:28; John 10:17-18*).

So He kept going with His face set towards Calvary. You can imagine, the strain on Him, the seeing yonder, of Gethsemane (*Matt. 26:36-46*), **the agonies of Golgotha** (*Matt. 27:33-53*), the forsaking of God, the earth turning black, His shoulders rubbing, His face bleeding, His wounds. All was on Him, even to His scream, "Father, is it possible, that this cup..." And He--**such agony till His water and Blood separated and dropped from His brow**. Nothing, only extreme agony would do that. All that was resting upon Him (*Luke 22:39-46*). [4]

"He was wounded for our transgressions, bruised for our iniquity: chastisement of our peace upon Him; with His stripes we were healed" (*Isaiah 53:5*). Everything's in past tense. **There's no negative at all in Christianity; it's all positive, done paid for. It's finished** (*John 19:30*). Amen. Think of it. **It's all completed, all finished**. God cannot do nothing else; it's already completed. Christ stood here tonight, you'd say, "Lord Jesus Christ, heal me." He'd say, "I've already done it." You say, "Save me, Lord Jesus." "I've already done it." **When He died at Calvary, every sin that was ever committed or ever would be committed was forgiven right there on the basis of the shed Blood. But it'll never do you no good till you accept it. Got to be your personal property, and that's your personal faith in a finished work that Christ has already done for you** (*Eph. 2:10*). [5]

Doctor said you can't get well, but God said I could. So I just take it that way and **that's the way I believe it**. Yes, sir. "Oh, my, I'm still sick as I was tonight." It doesn't make any difference. Just makes you stronger belief, be more of a miracle tomorrow for me to get it. Amen. **That's Abraham's Seed**. Don't stagger at the promise of God (*Romans 4:20-21*).

The doctor did all he could do; that's all he could do. **But God hasn't done all He can do. Any job that's too big for God, I can't tackle. So I just commit it to Him and go on**. [6]

A long time ago, when I got saved, I made up in my mind right like this; **I wasn't going to worry about anything God said, because God's able to keep His own Word, and any job that's too big for God to do, what's the use in me worrying about it?** Amen. (*Phil. 4:6-7*).

If He's Almighty God, He does all things. If He can't do all things, He's not Almighty God. So I believe Him to be Almighty God. **So I commit myself to Him, my soul to Him, my body to Him, my living to Him, my breathing to Him, my dying to Him, my resurrection to Him, and some glorious day, He will come** (*Psalms 62:1-2,5-8; Heb. 9:27-28*). [7]

Now, when you bury a seed, you farmers, you take and go out here and plant your corn, you don't go out every morning and scratch it up, and say, "Let's see now, is it growing? Anything happen to it? No." Put it back down. Late the next day, you say, "I want to see if it's getting along all right." scratch it up again; **it'll never grow like that**. Well, **the thing you do with seed, you**

commit it to the ground, cover it up; that's all you can do about it. It's up to God to do the rest of it.

Well, that's the same way it is with the Word of God. If you'll take any Divine promise God made in His Bible, **put it in your heart, and water it every day with praises of God** (*Psalm 34:1*), **that's going to come to pass, it'll grow, if you quit fooling with it, if you'll just leave it alone**. Don't say, "Let me see, can I move my finger any better today, do I feel any better, is my headache a little bit better?" Oh, no, it'll never be that, **just commit it to God**, and walk away, and leave it alone. **That's God's seed**. It'll grow (*Mark 4:26-28*). [8]

Here's where the weakness of so-called Christianity fails to receive their healing (their promises) today. **They're looking at the lump instead of looking at what God said**. Could you imagine a farmer planting his corn and going out every day and digs it all up, see if it's going to grow or not? He will never have a crop. He commits it to the earth, under this that God promised and that settles it.

That's the way we receive every Word of God, because it's a seed and **we receive it in our heart** (*Rom. 10:10*) **and commit it to God and forget about it**. God does the rest of it because He promised He would. God's Word. And every word will produce just exactly what it is, **for the Word's a Seed** (*Luke 8:11*). [9]

Any promise that God makes, you just plant it in your heart and say, "**It's mine. God gave it to me.**" Now, you may not see any results right now. You never see a corn crop as soon as you plant your corn, but potentially it's there. **As long as you'll leave it alone, and keep watering it, it'll grow**. Don't worry about that. If it's a germitized seed... And every Word of God is germitized by God Himself. God is in the Word, so it will grow. You know it will.

There you are. **We have to take His Word, accept It, believe It, commit It, and It grows**. That's right. Don't keep digging It up now. You'll ruin It. You'll ruin your crop every time you do that. So just commit it to God and believe it. [10]

But we don't always know, you know. God works in mysterious ways His wonders to perform. If we commit anything to God and believe it, like our children or whatever more, let's believe that God will answer that prayer (*Acts 16:30-31*). **Just commit it to God**. That's all you have to do. And don't put your hands on it anymore. Let God have it. **If you're going to do something about it, then God will stand back and let you go ahead till you get finished**. But when you commit it to God and let Him have it, then He will do it. You just believe Him. Just stand back, and don't work, but believe. **That's where grace is imputed for righteousness, if you believe that God will** (*Rom. 4:5*). [11]

Listen to me. I'm going to say something big. **Every time that you look at your symptoms, you're delaying your healing**. Don't dig it up again. **It's**

committed to Him that promised to heal, Him that heals the rest of them (*Numbers 21:4-9*).

When you pass through the prayer line and hands are laid upon you, the Bible said, "*the prayer of faith shall save the sick*" (*James 5:15*). Don't say, "Well, let's see if I feel any better, my heart any better, my hands..." Don't do that. You're delaying it. **Commit it to the ground because it is a seed.** [12]

Whether it's sprouting, whatever it's doing, you don't care. God promised it, and potentially you have your healing **when you accept it. It's in seed form** (*Isaiah 53:4-5*). [13]

We try to make God like an errand boy, "**Lord, You do this for me! And You do this for me! And You go do that,**" tell Him what to do.

Jesus said, "When you pray, pray like this manner, 'Our Father Who Art in Heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy Kingdom come. Thine will be done'" (*Matt. 6:9-10*). Who, find where we do that? **We're always wanting God to run errands for us, or do something for us. But when we're willing to say, "Thy will be done," commit ourselves to Him, commit our ways to Him.** All that we are, commit it to Him. **That's when God will move, when you're willing to let Him work on you, not you work on Him.** [14]

Christians here, there's many a Lutheran setting here, Baptist, don't condemn them people, **they lived in their age.** Jesus said, "Every Word of God is a Seed." Is that right? A sower went forth sowing seed. He said, "I, the Son of man, have sowed the Seed" (*Mat. 13:37-42*), and the seed's the Word of God." (*Luke 8:11*). And every time you see this Bible say anything, it's a Seed. And we're sowed with the incorruptible Seed of God (*I Peter 1:23*). **And if a man will take any Divine promise of God in his heart and water it with faith, it'll produce just exactly what it said it would do.** Amen. Don't care what it is. Just take God's promise in your heart... [15]

All the Word that God has spoken, **it must be fulfilled.** God cannot say anything without having it fulfilled. **When He has spoken It, it is a finished work** (*Rom. 4:13-21*). It's already finished when God speaks It. God never speaks until He is ready for it to be; and, **when He speaks, it is just as well as already happened.**

Now, if that wouldn't give us a basis to put our faith on! **When God speaks a Word, it's already finished.** And what about His promises that He has given to us? Everything that He has said, it's already a finished work (*Gen. 1:3-4*). **So, therefore, when we receive His Word into our heart, it's already done, it's completed!** [16]

The Holy Spirit today is hunting out honest hearts **that will believe that message. Everything in the Bible that was promised is to that believer; and when you accept it in its fullness, then God knows that you'll do it, He gives you the abstract to that** (*Eph. 1:13-14*). Then, every promise that's made is in your possession, and **the Holy Spirit has to quicken that to you** (*Rom. 8:11-17*). [17]

Then how can you say you can stay home and be just as good a Christian as you would be at church? You can't do it. Read the Word! **The Holy Spirit feeds on the Word.** The Bible is God's spiritual diet for His Church. **And the Holy Spirit is the One Who brings It to you and places It in the heart, and with thanksgiving you water It.** And every Divine promise will produce just exactly what God said it would do. It's got to. **It's His Word, and It's Life** (*John 6:63-64*). [18]

We know that the Holy Ghost feeds on the Word. And may the Holy Spirit of God take the Word and give It to every heart, just as we have need of it. [19]

Oh, brother, you never know what it is, **when you get down and really commit yourself to God.** Don't use your own mind. Don't use your own thinking (*Prov. 3:5-6*). **Just commit your ways to Him and just walk the way He leads** (*Psalms 37:5*).

If He goes this way, that's all right. Sometimes it leads through deep waters, but you know the song says: "Some through the waters, some through the flood, some through deep trials, but all through the Blood." God's ways lead right through the deep sea, into the wilderness, and up over the hills, through the wilderness of sin, and so forth. **But God will bring you out, if you'll just follow Him and not try to use your own thoughts. Just do what God says do, and you'll be all right.** You believe that? [20]

God can use every faculty of our being if it's committed--surrendered to Him. He can use our mind, our dreams, our subconscious, our first conscience, our tongue, our songs, our eyes... **Everything that we have can be used of God if it's committed to God.** See? Everything that you are commit it to God. He'll use every outlet and every part of you, He'll use it. No matter what it is, **He'll use it if it's sanctified to His purpose and calling.** [21]

I know Who I have believed. I'm persuaded He's able to keep that which has been committed. **If God says anything, God keeps His Word.** And He's the same yesterday, today, and forever (*Heb. 13:8*). I'll go on record through the tapes and so forth as that, but I say this, **that the right mental attitude towards any Divine promise of God, will bring it to pass.** Remember that. **If you take the right mental attitude towards it, the promise, it'll bring it to pass.** May the Lord grant it. [22]

Brother Branham speaks out in prayer:

I now commit myself to God. I commit my ways, all my thinking, my doing. May I not think no more my thoughts. May I no more have any ways of the world. May they all be cleansed. May I just have pure, holy thoughts from this day on. May my whole life be His.

Speak through me, Lord. **I wouldn't say do that unless You'd ordained it.** You ordained Your Gospel to be preached by man. You could ordain the winds to preach it. You could ordain the stars to preach it. You could ordain

the moon, the sun, to preach it. But you ordained man. You won't change it. You're waiting on man. You're not waiting on the stars; they're obeying You. The winds will obey You. But, Lord, we men, we're no good; we don't obey You. Lord, forgive us, won't You? Won't You forgive us? [23]

O God, Creator of heavens and earth, Author of Everlasting Life, Giver of every good gift, I'm following these instructions, because I have been taught that Your Son has conquered all my troubles. **I accept Him as my Conqueror. And I commit all myself to Him, believing that my sickness, diseases, or whatever is wrong with me will leave me.** [24]

Help us, Lord. I pray for every person, Lord, I pray a prayer of faith for all. Now, **to those that are open hearted to God's Word, by faith I plant this seed.** I claim that in the Name Jesus Christ and in faith in God, that, Lord God, I commit them to You now. **Water the Seed (Isaiah 44:3); send the Spirit upon it, Lord, that germitized Word there,** that You're the same great God to heal, same great God to save, the same great God of the resurrection. You're God. May they produce a crop, **a Bride for our Lord Jesus, a sanctified womb of the heart to receive the Word.** Grant it, Lord. I commend them to You to take from here, if possible, every one Your bride. In the Name of Jesus Christ. Amen. [25]

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- [5] "Hear Ye Him" (56-1215), par. 11
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[Bro. Branham in „Conduct-Order-Doctrine“, page 724]