"No word from God shall be without power." (Luke 1:37, Worrell)

Throughout most of the history of Christian Medical Foundation, we have utilized Luke 1:37 as our basic scripture and have used the usual translation, "For with God nothing shall be impossible." This indeed is a most wonderful truth and has given us in our Christian walk and in our surgical practice, great support and strength throughout the years. Its truth has been proved over and over again. Recently I was inspired when Rev. Jack Taylor from Texas, who is a Baptist minister and an author, visited Christian Medical Foundation and informed me that a more accurate translation of the Greek was, "No word from God shall be without power." This translation serves to amplify the truth. When the Truth of God is imparted to one's spirit the witness of the Holy Spirit within gives anointing and inner joy.

As I was thinking about this scripture, I imagined Jesus standing at the tomb of Lazarus and speaking the Word with such power that the putrefying body of Lazarus came alive and he came forth healed. Not only was the impossible made possible through Jesus and His command, 'Come Forth,' but the speaking of the Word brought forth magnificent power sufficient to bring the dead to life.

I then thought of the statement in Genesis 1, where God said 'Let there be light' and there was light. Then God said, 'Let there be the firmament in the midst of the waters and let it divide the waters from the waters.' God then said, 'Let the waters that are under the sky be gathered together in one place and let the dry land appear.' God said, 'Let the earth bring forth vegetation.' God said, 'Let there be lights in the firmament of heaven. He then said, 'Let the waters bring forth swarms of living creatures; let the earth bring forth living creatures after their kind.' In verse 26 God said, 'Let us make man in our image.' Thus our triune God spoke, the earth and all that is on the earth and above the earth including man, God spoke into existence.

Since man has been created in the image of God, when he becomes triune through the baptism of the Holy Spirit, he thus is of the image of God. He then possesses the ability to speak, when under the anointing of the Holy Spirit, the Word of God with power and with tremendous creative energy.

In a world such as today, where so much is being spoken by the psychosomatic, incomplete man, oriented to the world system, which is negative and destructive, there is a great need for triune man to begin to speak forth the anointed Word of God with creative heavenly power. When those who preach from pulpits, do so from a psychosomatic point of view and heal only psychosomatically (pastoral psychology), men who hear such words are uninspired. When one speaks the Word of God with power and heals the sick through the power of the Holy Spirit, power emanating from man's spirit anointed by God's Holy Spirit, great power and great healing virtue are the product with edification and creative power ensuing.

In my sister Rita Bennett's new book, she discusses the healing power of the Lord's Prayer. Rita talks of an eleventh century Irish prayer which translates Matthew 9:11, "Give us today for bread the Word of God from Heaven," instead of "Give us this day our daily bread." It occurred to me as I read this, how wonderful it would be if when we say the Lord's Prayer, we would ask that each day for bread, God would give us the Word of God from Heaven! Modern man is starved for the hearing, comprehending, and the receiving of the Word of God. The Word of God is nourishment for the anemic and malnourished spirit of the modern human being. It is almost as if there is a present day fulfillment of the prophecy of Amos. (Amos 8:11, "Behold the days are coming says the Lord, when I will send a famine in the land; not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the Word of the Lord.") Present day man exists in an era of a fantastic, multiplicity of words being spoken and heard via television, radio, audio-cassettes, telephones, lectures, and speeches, drama, opera, and so forth. In the midst of it all, there is a famine of the hearing of the anointed Word from God which alone can break the yoke of bondage that is upon the mind and spirit of modern man. The unfettered intellect of
man liberated through the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God, cutting the spirit free from its incarceration by the soul, can proclaim the unsearchable riches of Christ, thus speaking the Word, healing the sick, raising the dead, and freeing the captives. This is within the potential of modern man were he to go back to the foot of the cross and resolve to look unto Jesus who is the Word, who can indwell us, and inspire us, and use us to be His voice in a time of international deafness, blindness, and mental callousness. Let us resolve in 1991 to receive the Word, to have it ingrafted in our hearts and spirits, and then to begin to proclaim the Word of God with great power to the liberation, and to the healing of modern man who is in such dire need across the entire world today.

CONCERNING CMF FINANCES

As we launch into 1991, let us pray that God will supply the financial needs of the Foundation week by week, and month by month. In order for the finances of CMF to be met each month, it would require that each person who receives the newsletter would send $2.00 on a regular basis to CMF. Actually what occurs is that approximately one/tenth of the readership of the newsletter support the Foundation and send in approximately two thirds to three quarters of the needs of the Foundation each month. If it should be that you are in a situation that you cannot help the Foundation financially, please remember CMF in your prayers. In all actuality, the prayers of those who love this work are more important than the finances. God took care of us in 1990 and He surely will do so in 1991. For everyone who has given, and especially for all of you who have prayed, as we enter this new year, as President of Christian Medical Foundation, I send you my thanks and my heartfelt gratitude for your support and your caring which is extended now over the past thirty years in many instances. God bless you and keep you in the coming year. WSR

ATTENTION PRE-MEDICAL STUDENTS!!

The Board of Directors of CMF is now accepting applications for the Marion W. Griffin, Jr., Memorial Scholarship. The scholarship was established to encourage dedicated Christian medical students entering their first year in a United States or Canadian Medical School. This year’s scholarship of $2,500 will be awarded on the basis of need and academic ability as well as total Christian commitment. To apply, write a letter to the Board of Directors, outlining your experience with Christ, financial need, and qualifications. Letters may be sent to: Christian Medical Foundation, Board of Directors, ATTN. Lyn Thornton, 7522 North Himes Avenue, Tampa, FL 33614-3305. Deadline 6/30/91.

LETTERS TO DR. REED

Dear Dr. Reed,

I was so pleased that you thought well of the tract “Is There Any Hope?” Besides my brother, who is a surgeon and a strong Christian, your approval means more than any other person’s. Hope is so important, isn’t it? God places it right up there, in the Scriptures, with Love and Faith, but we seldom hear sermons or see tracts on Hope (many on Love and Faith). “No Hope?” was published in Herald of His Coming newspaper and was published in that paper around the world, I was told. Bill Young, who had the Keswick tract ministry and lived somewhere in the Tampa area encouraged me to write both tracts. He seemed to be such a fine person and is now with the Lord.

The reason your approval meant so much to me, is that your faith and testimony for Christ and the power of prayer had an influence on my life. We will never know, will we, what a few words or actions in the service for our Lord may accomplish in other’s lives until “we know even as we are known.”

Richard Mays was a patient of mine dying of cancer of the lung in the early 1960’s. Dr. David Yocum had operated on him and called me one evening to ask if I might desire to go with him and a visiting surgeon to visit Mr. Mays and pray for him. When I met them at Mr. Mays’ home, you were that surgeon. It was so amazing to me that a physician would pray for a patient, especially one dying of cancer! He later died, but I remember your faith and your example. I was a church member (First Baptist Church), a deacon and even a Sunday school teacher, but I was not a “true” Christian. I had a terrible time learning to pray. It was several years later that a young man gave me a book on prayer (Rosalind Rinker’s Conversing with God) which I read straight through one night. I had never heard anyone in the church pray to the Lord Jesus, but she encouraged this. At the end of the book there was a simple drawing of a wheel with three sections; one wheel but three integral parts. At that moment by revelation, not logic, I saw Father, Son and Holy Spirit as one God! That was really my problem though I never admitted it. I believed that Jesus was a wonderful teacher, Son of God but not the Almighty God, not even God, for I would have left Him on the cross. I immediately wept and prayed that the Lord Jesus would forgive me for not trusting Him as my Savior, my Lord, and my God! After forty-five minutes of prayer He gave me a wonderful peace.

Prayers were answered. The Bible became a new book; it all fit together. A prayer and Bible study group was formed that met for two years or more. After much prayer, the Lord gave me boldness and about one month later I led a severely depressed patient to accept Christ in my office. I saw her life take a 180° turn and have helped several hundred, including two recent AIDS patients, take Christ as their Savior and Lord since then. I pray regularly with my patients in the office and in the hospital. My brother has since become a true Christian and also witnesses to his patients.

All of these things are to the glory and praise of the Father, Christ Jesus our Lord and to the Holy Ghost! I wanted you to know that your testimony, faith and exemplary prayer were seed sown for your Master!

Your brother in Christ,

Berry Lee Moore, Jr., M.D.
Dear Friends of The Littlest Angel,

A blessed, happy, and prosperous new year is wished for each of our readers from the Littlest Angel. "May the God of your hope so fill you with all joy and peace in believing - through the experience of your faith - that by the power of the Holy Spirit you may abound and be overflowing (bubbling over) with hope." (Romans 15:13, Amplified)

Christmas '90 was a beautiful season here at CMF but busy. Many new customers and many old friends stopped by to visit us in our brimming over Littlest Angel Shop. Thank you all who ordered from us this Christmas. Mail orders have become a large part of our business, and we appreciate you and your business.

1991, I am sure, means "new beginnings" for the Littlest Angel. New merchandise, new display, all things becoming new. We are praying for God's clear direction in the Littlest Angel's future. We have outgrown our space in the English cottage. Our book nook is in another building and really should be a part of the original house. Jesus is blessing the shop. It is so important to be where Jesus wants us, and to learn to listen in the difficult days ahead, in our nation, and our families. "Prepare your work outside and get it ready for yourself in the field; and afterward build your house and establish a home." (Proverbs 24:27, Amplified)

"Be careful therefore how you listen. For to him who has [spiritual knowledge] will more be given; and for him who does not have [spiritual knowledge], even what he thinks and guesses and supposes that he has will be taken away." (Luke 8:18, Amplified)

The Reco angels are enjoyed by so many. There are sixteen angels in the collection. We have offered seven with this newsletter. They are: Adoration, Faith, Hope, Joy, Peace, and Serenity. This month's selection is Praise. This is a wonderful way to begin 1991, with praise. Order your angel, Praise, today as a reminder of how to break through the obstacles in your life, with praise and a grateful heart. "Enter into His gates with thanksgiving and a thank offering and into His courts with praise! Be thankful and say so to Him, bless and affectionately praise His name!" (Psalm 100:4, Amplified)

I have a Michael Podesto calligraphic in our home and it reads: "Thou hast given so much to us, one thing more, give us a grateful heart."

These are absolutes for the '90's and become so with practice. Bless you one and all.

Love,

Kay

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Book Offer

We are offering The Family Book of Manners by Hermine Hartley this issue. This book will help you see that manners are not stuffy rules dressed up in white ties and tails. They can show up in sports shirts and jeans. The more they're seen, the more you will enjoy confidence instead of confusion and embarrassment. The book is available in both hard and softcover at $15.95 and 6.99 respectively.

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April 14-21:
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June 1-8:
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Medical Trip

October 13-20:
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URGENTLY NEED PHYSICIAN IN OB/GYN to join as partner to physician in Paducah, KY. CONTACT: Dr. Paul Price, 2311 Kentucky Ave., Paducah, KY 42001, (502) 443-8420.

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CHRISTIAN FAMILY PHYSICIAN NEEDED. Treat patients of all socio-economical groups. CONTACT: William J. Mitchell, M.D., Director of Advocate Family Health Care Center, Inc., 2685 Florida Street, Mandeville, Louisiana 70448. (504) 626-1713.

MEDICAL SPECIALISTS NEEDED for seminars going to remote and inaccessible areas of China. CONTACT: Dr. Donald Dale, Jian Hua Foundation 9/A Hyde Centre, 223 Gloucester Road, Hong Kong.

TWO CHRISTIAN GERMAN NURSES desire to improve their English proficiency by coming to the United States or Canada to help a Christian organization for their room and board. They are interested in seeing "how it is to work in a Christian team." Please reply in care of Christian Medical Foundation.

NEEDED CHRISTIAN, BOARD CERTIFIED (CLINICAL AND SURGICAL) PATHOLOGIST to join group in private hospital. CONTACT: Lynn Myers, M.D., 5501 N. Portland, Oklahoma City, OK 73112, (405) 946-8108.

CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 6 St. Petersburg, Florida
Speaker - Dr. Reed, 11:30 - 1:30, Civitan Club, Orange Blossom Cafeteria, 4th Street by 4th & 3rd, CONTACT: Jack Vanderbleek, (813) 898-0557.

16 Spring Hill, Florida
Speaker - Dr. Reed, Order of St. Luke meeting, First United Methodist Church, Spring Hill Drive, CONTACT: (904) 683-2600 (Church).

21 Brandon, Florida
Speakers - Dr. and Kay Reed 7:00 p.m., Brandon Evening Women's Aglow, Chapel at Ridgewood Arbor, 203 Ridgewood Avenue, light supper served-$5.00, reservations by the 19th please, CONTACT: Lynne Wadsworth (813) 681-2418.

23 Daytona Beach, Florida
CMF monthly meeting 7:00 p.m., First Presbyterian Church, 620 S. Grandview Avenue.

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