



## *Day One: Spirit, Soul, Body*

To pick back up with our last thought, we were further exploring this treasure. In essence, this is the new creation miracle (2 Cor 5:17). Let me digress a bit - it is essential for you to understand a few basic parameters for what has gone on inside you, if you are one with the King (let that little nugget just blow your wee mind apart). 1Thessalonians 5:23, *"Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your whole spirit, soul and body be preserved blameless at the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ"* identifies the tripartate nature of man. That is, we are a spirit, we have a soul, and we live in a body.

Beautiful, The God head Himself is a threesome: Father, Son and Spirit - perfectly united in their oneness, yet completely individual persons. I call this the Divine entanglement and if you are in God baby, you are divinely entangled with cords that cannot be broken or unravelled.

Remember that Adam only became a living soul after the very breath/spirit of God was breathed into Him. Before that, He was a body and a soul but the life came with the spirit (Gen 2:7). When you are born again as Jesus told Nicodemous when he was all confused about the whole deal, it is by the Spirit of God ( John 3: 1-8). It is as though the very spirit of God again breathes upon us, the Divine kiss that made Adam a living person at the first creation again recreates us into a brand new person at our new creation. The miraculous has occurred. He takes me, recreates me, inhabits me, and I inhabit Him.

## *Soak Time*

Let's cement this truth in our hearts by turning to John 3:6, *"That which is born of the flesh is flesh, and that which is born of the Spirit is spirit"*. Since I didn't open my eyes to have received Elle Macphersens's body when I was born again, I still looked the same in the mirror, and my very sharp mind quickly deducted that this experience was indeed spiritual. I am joking. But really the essence of it is, we need to understand what **has** happened - the sheer magnitude of the miracle conceived on the inside of us.

Song of Songs 3: 4 declares, *"Now I'll bring Him back to the temple within*



*where I was given new birth- into my innermost parts, the place of my  
conceiving."*

Spend some time thinking about this. Look up the following scriptures and  
write them out to memorise and meditate upon.

2 Cor 5:17, Eph 4:24, Gal 6:1 and Col 3:10-11.

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Desire the pure milk of the Word and let it convince your heart.....



## *Day Two: A New Colour*

When you mix blue together with red, you make purple. A new colour - no longer blue or red but a brand new colour- purple. Similarly you can not unmix it to return it to blue or red, it is forever purple.

I am forever purple, eternally mixed with Jesus. Its like the glorious entanglement of the Holy Trinity. They are all completely one but also a complete person. I am forever gloriously entangled with Father, Son and Spirit. But I am also a unique individual, created for intimate personal relationship with my King.

The gift Jesus has given us is inexpressible. It is not possible to adequately explain it. It is not the language of the brain, but the heart. It is a union your heart was made to understand and receive, not your brain. So receive the Holy seed, conceive the miraculous and birth the impossible.

You know Mary in the Bible, Jesus' mother. We all think Mary must have been this amazing spiritual Joan of ark or something. Let me tell you sweet thing, she was just like the shulamite maiden who felt dark and dirty at the beginning of her journey with the king or like Esther a orphaned jew who became a queen and saved a nation or you and me, plain simple clay pots that have all held some stuff in our time we wish we hadn't.

Let me let you in on a secret - what happened to Mary has happened to you! If you have been united with the King, you are one spirit with Him (1 Cor 6:17) and the miracle has occurred . You have conceived the Holiest of seeds, you are now born again into the holiest of creatures - perfected by the blood of Jesus and clothed in the robes of royalty. You are Queen Esther, Mary the mother of Jesus, and the shulamite maiden. You are forever one with the King.

Sister, you are a new colour! Not only are you a jewel in the crown of the King and a royal diadem in His hand (Is 62:3), but you also have a new name, a holy marriage partner who is completely ravished by your adoring gaze, He sings over you, and the whole of the kingdom of heaven lives inside you. You are the secret garden of the King, you are the pearl of great price the Father gave everything to have.



Sweet one, you are no longer for sale. You are a purchased possession, fully redeemed from your old life. Your life now is seated with Him in heavenly places - crowned, adored, loved and cherished. I lie not - it is all in the Book! Read it, believe it , receive it and live it. Your life is not lived in the squalor of your past but in the indescribable glorious kingdom of God. Baby, you are the rags to riches story beyond all else. Hollywood can't hope to match the story God has written for you!

## Soak Time

*"Every part of you is so beautiful, my darling! Perfect your beauty, without flaw within!" Song of Songs 4:7(TPT)* This is your Bridegroom- King's declaration over you. Let this wash over you! Close your eyes and imagine Him telling you this. Let this become your identity, the place you live from. Who will you believe?

I have a question for you to ponder, If we tell someone they are stupid or useless long enough, how do they act? The Holy Spirit is continually calling out who we are, when we believe Him. How will we act?

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### *Day Three: To Good to be True*

You might by now be thinking, 'but this is too good to be true'. (Incidentally the word Gospel is better translated the 'too good to be true news'). What do I have to do to get/ receive such a deal! I'll tell you our role in all this:

We say "I DO". **With our whole hearts we say I DO** (rom 10:10)

Let me show you something that Holy Spirit has showed me. There is a word God used to describe two people in the Bible. It is only used twice in the whole Bible, both times in the New Testament. It is the word CHARITOO. It means to grace, impart special honour-to make accepted and to be highly favoured.

It is used in Luke 1:28 when the angel comes to Mary and says '*Rejoice, **highly favoured** one, blessed among women*'. And again in Eph 1:6 where it says He has '***made us accepted in the Beloved***'. Who do you think he is talking about there? Bingo- US! Get that? I said US!

Now really get it... let it go deep inside you, meditate it, and behold the beauty of it. He - not me - puts you in the same category as our beloved Mary. Who is the Beloved? Right again, that's Jesus. The Father identified Him as such at His baptism (Luke 3:22), and the shulamite identifies him as such in Song of Songs (1:7). Girlfriend, you are accepted in the Beloved, as the beloved of the King.

Incidentally, Mary's role in all this? She said **I DO**. (Luke 1:38)

God is not worried about your past. He puts His treasure in plain clay pots, remember. He has dealt with your past - All your sin issues were dealt with at the cross. Jesus doesn't just cover your sin. He became your sin so you could become the righteousness of God (2 Cor 5:21). He gave the ultimate exchange- in essence His life for ours. There is only one factor that limits God's transformative power in our life: Will we believe Him?!?!



## Soak Time

There is a choice to be made. Luke 1 :38 gives us Mary's response to this declaration of great favour upon her. *Then Mary said, "Behold the maidservant of the Lord! Let it be to me according to your word."* She couldn't possibly understand with her physical mind how she could fall pregnant and give birth to the Saviour of the world, especially since she was a virgin. She chose to believe God, contrary to the evidence available to her and the physical rules of nature.

God presents you with the same choice. Do you believe, like Mary, that the supernatural life of God has been conceived inside you and therefore give birth to it (see it manifest in your life)? Or do you decline/doubt and live barren and fruitless? Ponder this carefully and record your decision:

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*'Trust in the Lord with all your heart, and lean not on your own understanding'*



### *Day Four: Mirror, Mirror on the Wall*

'Okay Mandy, I buy it - **I DO I DO I DO!** I am so at the altar! But, I don't look any different, I don't feel much different and I still struggle with sin issues in my life. My life is not perfect. Where is the crown and dress and jewels? I feel it has fallen off my head. In fact, I don't like the mirror I use a whole lot at all.' Isn't this how we feel?

I think we need another mirror. Do you know you can't see your own face without a mirror or something to reflect it? In essence you don't know what you look like unless you look in the mirror? It's the same with our born again spirit - we don't know what it looks like unless we look in a mirror.

What's the bit we most like at weddings? It's the kiss. Just before he kisses her, he lifts up the veil and she sees his face, with all the love right there for her to behold. Do you know that when Jesus died on the cross, He tore the veil?

*"Now all of us with unveiled faces see Him, beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, and are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory.(2 cor3:18)*

That's the mirror to use. Look at the face of your Beloved - not at your past, all your ugliness and mess ups. Look at Him full in the face. He has removed the veil and is leaning in, to give the most glorious of Spirit kisses. He is both the author of and the perfecter of your faith (Heb 12:2). Keep your eyes fully on Him, not your past. After all He doesn't look at it. When He looks at you, He sees you after the Spirit. You are forever lovely to him - His perfect partner! (2cor5:16)

The shulamite maiden cries, 'I am so dark and dry and unworthy'. He says to her, 'Yet you are so Lovely'. The author of beauty calls you Lovely. Now who are you going to believe?



## Soak Time

Let's challenge ourselves. 2Cor 5:16-17 states, *'Therefore, from now on, we regard no one according to the flesh. Even though we have known Christ according to the flesh, yet we know Him thus no longer. Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.'*

What do you think it means to regard no one according to the flesh?

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How does this affect both how we view ourself and each other?

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*'But you are not in the flesh but in the spirit, if indeed the Spirit of God dwells within you...' Romans 8:9*





## *Day Five: Who's Got the Ball?*

I know a football analogy isn't very lady-like but we can cope. Okay, so viewing according to the spirit and not the flesh...

A brief recap first. When you are born again, it happens in your spirit. Remember, that's where the real life is. Your born again spirit is forever Holy, set apart and perfected. It is sealed by the Holy spirit, and is a completed work. (Eph 4:24, Eph 1:13)

Your born again Spirit is a complete person. Complete with a mind and senses, it prays and speaks. How do I know? Well the Bible tells me '*I have the mind of Christ*' (1 Cor 2:16). 2 Peter 3:1 urges me to '*stir up my pure mind*'. Well I know my natural mind does not always think like Jesus and is definitely not always pure in its thought. Therefore, the mind of Christ in all its purity and wisdom must reside in my now perfect and Holy born again new creation. For extra reading on this consult Romans 8 esp. verse 6. In essence, it is the real you.

Now your soul and body - the two other parts of you - are not renewed at the new creation. They are purchased completely but not yet fully redeemed. They are in the process of their transformation (Eph 1:13-14). So there are two big hitters in this ball game - they are the spirit and the soul. The body is a follower and it goes with the side which has the ball.

Now your soul and your spirit were once united in their dirty little deeds, but when you were born again God put a division between your soul and your spirit (Heb 4:12). He recreated your spirit gloriously, sealed you with His Holy Spirit, put all the resources of heaven in there (Eph 1:3), and in fact sets up camp in there Himself. Then He says, 'Now take off the veil'.

You look Him full in the face, in His Word and in the Secret places of your heart where He now lives, as you believe and receive the things he says about you, who he says you are, and what He says you have. (Romans 8: 29 promises us that we are destined to be conformed to His image- how quickly is up to you).

Your soul (your mind, will and emotional part of you) will become more and more renewed and transformed (Romans 12:1-2) and you will go from glory to glory. The more you look at Him and believe Him, the more like Him you become. Remember that is your soul and body - your spirit is already complete and united to Him fully.



## Soak Time

Romans 12:2 states, *'And do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind, that you may prove what is that good and acceptable and perfect will of God'*. How are we transformed? By the renewing of our mind. What are we doing as we renew our mind? We are getting our physical mind in agreement and understanding with what our spiritual mind declares to be truth. As soon we have mind (soul) in agreement with spirit, the body will follow with physical manifestation. That's what it means to prove His will to have it manifest physically in your life.

Let me give you an example. God's will is that peace reigns in my life. Jesus left me with His peace (John 14:27). So in my born again spirit I am always peaceful (Gal 5:22). How do I get that peace to manifest in my life?

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Ponder renewing your mind in terms of other promises in The word. The process is the same for every Bible promise: Choose a promise to suit your current situation, find a scripture and renew your mind to the truth of that scripture today, then watch it manifest in your life...