



They come in the form of addictions; the things we believe to be true about God, ourselves and others. They are the deep hurts and chronic heart pain that has shaped our thinking and often defined us.

They are our issues.

Jesus' remedy for our issues is the Truth. He said if we knew the truth, we would be free. (John 8:32).

Welcome to New Heart Healing and Recovery | an experience with *The Truth and the Issue*.

## T H E I S S U E F A I T H

### WHAT'S THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN TRUST AND FAITH?

- Trust is earned by you. Faith is imparted to you.
- The Bible says, *“let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, fixing our eyes on **Jesus, the author and perfecter of faith**”* | Hebrews 12:1-2. So we were all born with a measure of faith hardcoded into us—authored by Jesus.
- We are allowed to have faith in whatever or whoever we want!
- 1 Corinthians 12 says that **faith in God** through Jesus Christ is a gift of the Holy Spirit.
- One of my favorite simple definitions of faith is, *“**Belief that is not based on proof**”* | dictionary.com.

### FAITH IS NEVER EARNED

Do you think Peter trusted the water to hold him up when he stepped out of the boat in Matthew 14? How could he? The water hadn't earned that TRUST. Peter walked on water with Jesus because he had FAITH in Jesus, not because he trusted the water.

**And when Peter took his eyes off Jesus**, the water let him down. Thankfully, Jesus rescued him, but the point is that **Peter was distracted** by the circumstances and took his eyes off the One in whom he had faith.

Who or what are you looking at with faith? Are you trusting the untrustworthy? Are you sinking like a rock?

## T H E T R U T H F A I T H



### ARE YOU KEEPING YOUR EYES ON JESUS?

Focusing on Jesus also means focusing on the Word of God. Here's what the Word of God says about that:

- *“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was with God in the beginning...”* | John 1:1 NIV
- *“The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us”* | John 1:14 NIV

### THAT MEANS JESUS IS THE WORD.

That means if Jesus says it, you can count on it. And if Jesus commands it, you can have faith that He will make you able to do what He commands.

**Do you realize** that Peter did not step out of the boat until Jesus told him to?

- *“‘Lord...command me to come to you on the water.’ He [Jesus] said, ‘Come.’ So Peter got out of the boat and walked on the water and came to Jesus”* | Matthew 14:28-29 ESV

Peter understood the power of the Word. And the Word brought FAITH. That's Biblical too:

- *“So faith comes from hearing, and hearing through the word of Christ”* | Romans 10:17 ESV

If Peter asked Jesus to *tell him*, don't you think we can ask Jesus to tell us?

Do you need peace, direction, or restoration? Do you need to be healed or delivered? Do you need to make changes in your lifestyle?

Ask Jesus to command you, and in doing so you will be showing faith.

**Keep your eyes on Jesus and you will see miracles happen!**

## Welcome to New Heart Healing and Recovery

New Heart Healing and Recovery is based on the promise of the Father recorded in Ezekiel 36:26 (TLB)

*“I will give you a new heart with new and right desires, and I will put a new spirit in you.”*

Whether you are an alcoholic, drug, gambling, or sex addict; or a man or woman wrestling with the pain of their core issues (shame, rejection, abuse, anger, unforgiveness) you are invited to join us in the amazing faith-driven experience of exchanging a broken, cynical, unbelieving heart for a new one.

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## Talk to Us

Do you have a Prayer Request?

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How Can We Help You?

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I WOULD LIKE SOMEONE TO  
SHOW ME HOW I CAN KNOW  
JESUS AS SAVIOR.

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I NEED COUNSELING.

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# Healing and Recovery

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