



HEA 315 - 3 credits

God's Provision for Healing

Description

In this course you will learn how to receive and minister God's healing power. A solid biblical foundation will be laid which will release faith for effectively receiving and ministering healing. The ministries of Jesus and the apostles will be studied as a pattern for healing today.

Texts:

God's Provision for Healing by A. L. and Joyce Gill

God's Provision for Healing CDs by A. L. Gill

Healing the Sick by T. L. Osborn **OR** *How to Heal the Sick* by Charles and Frances Hunter

Objectives

Academic:

- You will quote the following verses:
 - ✓ III John 2
 - ✓ Isaiah 53:5
 - ✓ Acts 10:38
 - ✓ I Corinthians 2:4
 - ✓ Mark 16:17,18,20
 - ✓ Proverbs 18:21
 - ✓ James 2:17
 - ✓ Psalm 103:2-4
 - ✓ James 5:14, 15
- You will biblically discuss the will of God concerning sickness and health.
- You will state the meaning of the covenant name Jehovah-Rapha.
- You will state two New Testament references which affirm that Isaiah 53:5 means that Jesus suffered for our physical healing.

- You will state the means by which we receive salvation and healing.
- You will state the three aspects of Jesus' ministry with which He also commissioned the twelve, the seventy, and all who believe.
- You will discuss the place of healing in evangelism.
- You will state the meaning of the word *dunamis* and at least three occasions in which it is used biblically to refer to the power of God.
- You will give a biblical foundation for the practice of laying on of hands.
- You will discuss the place of anointing with oil for the healing of the sick.
- You will discuss at least one reason why "prayer cloths" are a valid method through which God ministers healing.
- You will state and discuss five categories of words which we are to speak to release the healing power of God.
- You will discuss the reasons why there is power in the name of Jesus.
- You will discuss the relationship between faith and actions.
- You will discuss the two statements of Jesus which declare, "...all things are possible...."
- You will state a definition of "the prayer of faith".
- You will discuss two blocks or enemies of the prayer of faith.
- You will discuss the proper response if instant, visible results to prayer are not manifest.
- You will state a definition of "praying the Word".
- You will give a definition of the soul, and the intellect, the emotions, and the will as they relate to the soul.
- You will discuss how the mind can be renewed.

- You will state the two things necessary for healing of the soul.
- You will give definitions of the following gifts of the Spirit discuss how they relate to healing: discerning or distinguishing between spirits, the word of knowledge, the word of wisdom, faith, working of miracles and gifts of healings.
- You will state at least five questions one should ask himself if he does not receive the manifestation of his healing.

Behavioral:

- Your faith for health and healing will grow!
- You will praise your God for His provision for your healing!
- You will lay hands on the sick and they will recover!
- You will release the dynamite power of God for healing.
- You will minister and receive the anointing with oil for healing as it is appropriate.
- You will speak only words which produce life.
- You will minister healing through the casting out of spirits if necessary.
- You will speak with authority.
- You will renew your mind with the Word of God.
- You will forgive and receive forgiveness.
- You will move in the gifts of the Spirit that God may minister His grace through you to a hurting world.
- You will receive healing and do what is necessary to keep your healing.

Standards for Grading Assignments

As indicated below, “C” or 2.0 level work is considered average. **Leaders are not average people.** You are therefore expected (required) to put forth the effort necessary to demonstrate at least “B” (3.0) level work or higher on all assignments which you submit. Any which do not will be returned to you with input from your instructor on how you can raise your grade to the expected level. **A course grade will not be given until your assignments demonstrate that you have understood the material presented in the course and allowed your life to be transformed by the Spirit and the Word studied** — the requirements for attaining a “B”.

Your individual assignments (notebooks, tests, reports) will be graded according to the following standards. These grades will be averaged together to determine your course grade. Remember, CLU is training leaders and leaders are above-average people. Your work will reflect that.

- “D”
 - Indicates barely passing work that is inferior to the average both in quantity and in quality.
 - Manifests a lack of initiative or sense of responsibility or both.
- “C”
 - Average work; either steady work of an acceptable quality, or work of a high quality which is uneven, irregular or fragmentary.
 - May be mechanically or outwardly correct but shows little reflection upon or personal assimilation of the material.
- “B”
 - Intelligently has fulfilled the requirements of this course.
 - Understands the subject matter presented and has applied it to his life in a limited manner but has not really made the truths his own.
- “A”
 - Grasped the material with thoroughness, industry and correctness of detail.
 - Made the material his own by thinking about it and integrating it, using originality, natural ability, and insight.

Course Requirements

1. Completely read *God's Provision for Healing* by A. L. and Joyce Gill. In your Course Notebook, write answers to the questions at the end of each chapter. This will be submitted to your instructor at the end of the course for evaluation on completeness and prayerful thought.
2. Listen the the CD series, *God's Provision for Healing* by A. L. Gill as assigned.
3. Completely read *Healing the Sick* by T. L. Osborn or *How to Heal the Sick* by Charles and Frances Hunter. Take notes as you read to help you in writing a short response paper to the text. What truths presented by the author were new to you? What ones were especially meaningful? Did the author say anything with which you did not agree? Can you support your opinion Scripturally? Will you be making any changes in your life as a result of the ministry of the Holy Spirit to you through this text?
4. Earn at least a "B" on all Tests (not Self-Tests).
5. The study of healing is irrelevant and superficial if

it is only an academic exercise. The main objective of this course is that you receive and minister supernatural healing more effectively. Therefore, choose a specific healing prayer project to focus on in this course. It may be a physical need in your own body, a member of your family, or anyone else you choose. You will submit a report about your prayer project in the final lesson, including the following information:

- a) Describe the illness and your relationship to the individual for whom you are praying. How long has he been ill? What healing modalities have been tried? Why did you choose this person for your "prayer project"?
- b) Spend time in prayer and journaling concerning the sick person. What are God's instructions to you in this specific circumstance? Include a copy of any related journaling in your report.
- c) Keep a record of the steps you take to minister the healing grace of God to this individual.
- d) Describe the results of your obedience. Was the healing immediately manifested? If not, what did the Lord want you to do next? Continue to keep a record of your prayer and obedience until the healing is fully manifest or the Lord tells you to stop.



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Course Schedule

Lesson One

Assignment to be completed:

Read Lesson One of *God's Provision for Healing* by Gill, answering the questions on page 16. Keep in mind that your answers to these questions will be submitted to your instructor at the end of the course, so prepare these answers in the way that will make this easiest to do. You may write or type your answers in your course notebook or type them into a file which can be e-mailed, especially if you live in a different country than your instructor.

Listen to CDs 1 and 2 or view Video 1a and 1b of the *God's Provision for Healing* series.

Memorize III John 2.

Complete and correct Self-Test One.

Begin reading your collateral book.

Subjects to be explored:

God's View of Sickness and Disease

Related objectives:

- You will quote III John 2.
- You will biblically discuss the will of God concerning sickness and health.
- You will discuss sickness as a weapon of satan against man.
- Your faith for health and healing will grow!

Lesson Two

Assignment to be completed:

Read Lesson Two of *God's Provision for Healing* by Gill, answering the questions at the end of the lesson.

Listen to CD 3 or view Video 2a of the *God's Provision for Healing* series.

Memorize Isaiah 53:5.

Complete and correct Self-Test Two.

Continue reading your collateral book.

Subjects to be explored:

Healing in Our Redemption

Related objectives:

- You will quote Isaiah 53:5.
- You will state the meaning of the covenant name Jehovah-Rapha.
- You will state two New Testament references which affirm that Isaiah 53:5 means that Jesus suffered for our physical healing.
- You will state the means by which we receive salvation and healing.
- You will praise your God for His provision for your healing!