



# Hart to Heart Ministries

## Christian Training Center

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Hart to Heart Ministries is a training center for those who desire to be used by the Lord.

There are conferences twice a year teaching the "How To" of ministry.

There is teaching on the love walk.

Private pastoral counseling is available, as well as deliverance for those who want to be set free from the past hurts in their lives.

Healing takes place on a regular basis. The Bible tells us by Jesus stripes we were healed. 1 Peter 2:24

If you need to have your faith come up to the next level, you will find how to do it.

Sunday services begin at 10:00 a.m. There are opportunities galore for those interested in being a servant.

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## Lining Up

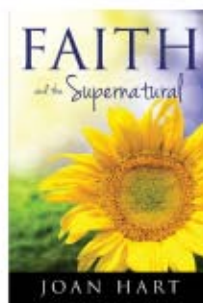
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# LINING UP

by Rev. Joan Hart

Romans 4:17 says, "He calls those things which do not exist as though they did."

In Matthew 9:24 there was a little girl who had died. Jesus told her family she was not dead, only asleep. The **facts** were that she was dead, but the **truth** was, she was asleep! Why? Because Jesus said so! He spoke it! He said she was not dead, she only sleeps. He took her by the hand and she got up. The **symptoms** were death, but the **truth** was she was alive.

The **symptoms** in your body could be: infection, aches, pains, stiffness, and weakness, but the **truth** is; by the stripes of Jesus He already healed you on the day you receive Him as your Savior.

In Your weakness he is made strong. He died for your infirmity. So let it go! Say that, "I let go of any infirmities that might still be hanging around. Go in Jesus name".

Your body is the temple of the Holy Spirit therefore your body is a holy thing and the Holy Spirit lives in your temple because Jesus cleansed it when you received Him. and then you even received the in-filling of the Holy Spirit. You keep it clean by reading the Word, and by washing yourself with the water of the Word. The River of Life is the Word, the Word is God. He has cleansed us and cleanses us daily.

Communion is just a reminder of what He has done for us already. We are doing it to remember all Jesus went through for us. We maybe still go through stuff, but we do go through. We don't stay there.

Jesus went through stuff too. When the crowds were going to stone Him He walked through them and walked away. He went **through** the trouble, it didn't touch Him. He went to a place by Himself and talked to His Father, where He was strengthened and refreshed. He went to the source, the Word of His Father.

We go to our source too, the Bible, and we are

strengthened and refreshed.

The Biblical way to change things is to call things that be not as though they already are.

Jesus does in John 11:11 - He is saying here that it is no harder to raise him from the dead than to waken him from sleep.

Just think about your body that God created. It is marvelously made. When you get a boo boo of some sort, you clean it, bandage it and sit back to wait for it to heal. What else can you do? Nothing, but you can praise God that you are healed.

Our bodies heal themselves. Think about the need to have surgery. The doctor knows he has to go inside to fix something. We are glad they have the knowledge to do it. Anyway he cuts you open, finds the problem and fixes it, then he sews up the wound and sits back waiting for your body to heal. God created your body to heal itself. Not just the skin on the outside, but also on the inside. Awesome!

He created our brain to program our body. We receive Jesus! We believe the Word! We receive the truth from the Bible! The Bible says, "**laughter doeth good like a medicine.**" So now we know Scripture has healing in it. Laughter has healing in it! The words of our mouths that confess the Word have healing in them..

Whatever the Bible says, belongs to you, if you are a child of God. If you have received Jesus as your Savior. We have to program our computer brain to function according to the new manual we read, the Bible. The worlds books have us all programed one way, but God wants us to be following His ways.

Without the truth of the Word, we go down the wrong path with our doing and with our words. We have to reprogram our computer, rather our mind, with the Word so we can have the truth of the Word come out of our mouth. When it comes out of our mouth, our own ears hear it and then it

replaces old thinking with right thinking.

Think of it this way. All your life you have been called fat. Even if you weren't. Your brain picked it up and told you, you are fat. Your brain said if you are fat, you are ugly! You were programmed wrong! Delete!, Delete! Delete! Jesus said you are the light of Jesus, You reflect His glory, He looks at your heart not your flesh.

None of the old programs are any good any more. You are a new creature in Christ. All things have become new. Say, **"I'm good lookin', I'm the light in a dark world as Jesus shines through me. I'm creating new paths for my thinking. I want the truth of the Word in me, I refuse to believe the old lies. I am a new creature through Christ. My old way of thinking is wrong. I'm thinking like the Word says."**

Our bodies respond to the Word of God. In John 11:44 Lazarus was bound up with grave clothes from his toes to the top of his head. Yet when his body heard Jesus call him, he could not walk, yet he came out. He could not see, but he came out. His body responded to the Word of God.

We must train our bodies to respond to the Word of God.

II Cor. 5:7 "We walk by faith, not by sight". We are programmed to react by what we see. But God wants us to walk in faith and not by what we see. We only please God when we walk in faith.

Heb 11:1 says, "Faith is the substance, (the realization or confidence) of things not seen!" **Faith is the title deed of things hoped for.** It is impossible without faith to please God.

The Bible way to change things in your life or your body is to call things that are not as though they already are. That's what God does. That's what Jesus does. He is our example so that's what we better be doing.

We have to learn to reprogram our thinking and

not allow fear to take over in us in any kind of a situation.

**God's Word is life to us! Speaking The Word brings healing! Speaking the Word brings blessings! Speaking the Word brings direction, correction, understanding, and truth in all situations will line up with the Word, including our bodies, our life situations, our finances, and families. It will all line up!**

Gal 3:5-9 We have to walk as He walked and things that "are not" already "are" to God!

**Faith acts as though it's already done. It is an action.** Run towards it. Keep the Words of your mouth in line with the Word and then your brain will change. You will begin to talk to the body and say, "Hey body, line up. I'm your computer so body, line up with the things in the Word."

"Mouth get in gear by saying what the Word says, not what my goofy head thinks. Mouth you say the right things and then my body will follow along." My computer brain be fixed and line up with the Spirit! Mouth be fixed and speak the right Word so my body hears it!

Your body will begin to act on what your mouth is saying and you will suddenly be lined up, body, soul and spirit! Suddenly, you are on the right path of your faith walk to receive those things that are not but you know they already are in God's eyes.

Today, believe that you are renewed in your mind, body and you are lined up with the Spirit. Receive healing, and deliverance that Jesus already paid for you to have. It's already a done deal. Just believe, get your faith on fire to receive what you need. It's already yours!

Come on Tuesday nights to our Christian training meetings at 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.

We soak in His Presence, we pray, worship and learn the how to's of a life in Jesus!

Everyone is welcome!

## **Same Department**

A pastor knocked on the parishioner's door. "Angel, is that you?" said a voice from inside.  
"No, but I'm from the same department!"

## **Resurrection**

A letter came from Health and Human Services to a resident of Greenville County, South Carolina: "Your food stamps will be stopped, effective next week, because we received notice that you passed away. May God bless you. You may reapply if your circumstances change."

\* In life, there are many promotions in spiritual growth, but there is no graduation.

— T..J. Bach

\* What really matters is what happens in us, not to us.

—James W. Kennedy

\* Blessed is the person who is too busy to worry in the daytime, and too sleepy to worry at night.

Six-year-old Carol was visiting Grandma, and helping set the supper table. "What are we having to eat?" she asked.

"Fish, dear," replied Grandma.

"Why do we have fish every Friday when I visit you?"

"Because we belong to a church that believes in eating fish on certain days, sweetheart."

Carol gave thought to that, then ruled, "When I grow up, I am going to join a hamburger church."

## **The Power is in You**

Summoned power (personal power within you) is yours because you are a child of God, a follower of Jesus Christ and because God's Holy Spirit continues to work in your life.

As you face the challenge of making your own life count for that which is right and good, and the world a better place for all people, much will be required of you.

When you are hesitant to act, or feel a failure of nerve coming on, when courage lags or even if laziness and the "I don't care" blues get you down, may the words of Mordecai to Esther burn in your hearts and minds: "And who knows whether you have not come to the kingdom for such a time as this??" (Esther 4:14)

— Haviland C. Houston

## **Hart to Heart Ministries - Announce!**

Each Tuesday night at 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. we have been meeting and soaking in the Presence of the Lord. We will continue to do that, however, we are a training center and so our meetings will now be called: "Christian Training Meetings"

We will be teaching God's children how to be equipped for His service, worship the Lord, and pray for the needs of others as we come together in agreement each week.

We have seen miraculous healings, heard answers to prayers we have prayed and seen people come in on fire for the Lord. His anointing has been awesome as we sit in His Presence! He is equipping the saints through teaching and hands on training.

It doesn't matter what church you attend, you are welcome to join us. Come in and learn, then take it back to your church.

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# Maturing in the Lord

As God's children we all love to read the Word and learn all the wonderful ways and things that Jesus did for us. Only we rarely stop to realize, those things that He did were for us to grow up or come into maturity. He not only wants us to be blessed, He wants us to learn!

There has to be a balance in our life in order to mature and become more Christlike.

Some people might even walk out of a service if the message isn't teaching on an area they want, usually the blessing area. They won't receive truth because they don't want to change. They want to live the way they want to live. And then they try to make the Word of God support the kind of lifestyle they want to live.

So our attitude needs to always be, **"It's not what I want, but it's what God wants that matters. And it's not what I say or what anyone else says. It's what He says that counts!"**

We all believe in faith and prosperity and we get pleasure when we hear that sort of a message. But if we focus on one or two subjects from the Word and neglect to receive from other areas we will become weak and unproductive spiritually.

Confessing the Word over our circumstances won't produce anything if we are holding unforgiveness in our heart against someone. If we understand all about speaking the Word in faith, but we never learn the principles of forgiveness, we will be unstable and out of balance. We won't be strong in faith.

**We need to find out how God works and then work with Him, not against Him!**

There are things in our lives that cause our faith to fail. Even though we have big faith. Sometimes we miss it because of our own sin. What sin? It can be any wrong we have done that is unconfessed. However, most of us do confess. There is that sin though in our lives that robs us of faith and the blessings of God. We do know when we have done something or said something wrong to someone. **It's knowing right from wrong.**

Being offended or holding a grudge in our heart will keep our faith from being effective or fruitful.

**Harboring offense is like drinking poison and then expecting someone else to die from it.**

Offense is to be judged or to judge another unfavorably or unjustly. Taking an offense is something that creates displeasure, resentment or anger in us toward someone. We are hurt or insulted.

Mark 11:25-26 says, "And whenever you stand praying, if you have anything against anyone, forgive him, that your Father in heaven may also forgive you your trespasses. But if you do not forgive, neither will your Father in heaven forgive your trespasses." NKJV

The Amplified Bible says, "Forgive him and let it drop, leave it, let it go".

Right there is where we **open the door to offense!** We entertain it in our mind and cry! Our feelings get in on the act. We have a full-blown offense, which now has opened the door to the enemy and all our Word praying goes out the window.

We are always wanting the other person to change because of how **they affect us!** We are taking an offense! Jesus didn't say anything about them **changing. It is always about us changing.**

Offense, holding a grudge, feeling hurt and harboring unforgiveness in our heart will keep the faith of God from working in our lives. But when we learn how to forgive others, then God will forgive us.

If we don't stop pointing fingers at those around us, we will have no peace in our lives. God is using them to change US!

We want to be so holy and walk in righteousness! Yet we are so offended by those we know, how they treat us, how they talk to us, or the lack thereof, that we become offended. Get out the party hats and blow the horns! We're

having a poor me pity party! However, no one comes to that sort of party. Just because we can talk spiritual and act spiritual doesn't mean we are!

If each person was told to look at a certain object, and told to exclaim what they see, each would be different. Even the age of a person will cause them to describe it differently. A child may describe it very simple using only one word, yet someone else may say many descriptive words. You're looking at the same object and thinking, it doesn't look like that to me. That's okay. It's your opinion!

If something else is added, your opinion might change. The thought process goes from immature to mature. Function, color all playing a role as the mature look at it. Our thoughts change about some things as we mature.

I could use a sunset for an example. The other night my husband and I were driving in the country when I noticed the sun was almost down. The sky was streaked with reds, oranges etc. and I thought it was beautiful. My husband just said, "I see it." I didn't take an offense because he didn't agree with me.

Maybe you see a sunset at times and say, "Wow, that sunset is awesome!" But when someone else looks at it all they see is only a little pink somewhere and it really isn't so pretty. Stop and consider the maturity of the person and how they see things. **Don't be offended because they don't agree with you.** It's what they perceive. They may have seen others that were even better.

We are talking about maturity in age and in the Spirit so let me give you another example: If I hold up a small bottle, a child might look at it and say, "It's all dirty, and has sand in it." They want it for their purpose, maybe for collecting a bug or something.

The next age group looks at it and says, "Wow, what is she doing with that kind of bottle? Where did she get it, and how much did it cost? Why

doesn't she throw that old empty bottle away?"

I would say, "This bottle is a miracle. It cost Jesus His life to bring this to me. I cherish this bottle with the old sand in it. Besides there is a note in it!" See now the value is increasing in your eyes. Your opinion of the bottle is changing! You are seeing it with my eyes instead of what you think!

We need to see other people with the eyes of Jesus and know that He is changing us, not them! When we can see others as they are and still value them for whom they are and the way they are, we will grow up and come into a place of maturity.

What about the bottle? Our family took a vacation when our children were like nine and thirteen years old. We each prayed before we left and asked God for something special on the vacation.

Our son asked to find a **bottle in the ocean** with a message in it. While walking the beach late at night with his dad, the bottle glistened out in the water and when they put their flashlight on it, Kevin could see it was a bottle. It washed up closer to him so he could grab it. He could see a note in it and some sand. They walked back to the hotel where I was and brought it to me. I thought they were joking and trying to play a trick on me. They had not opened it yet and wanted me to do it. When I pulled out the piece of paper that was all sandy, it said, "**Jesus lives!**"

This bottle just increased in value because of the way you now perceive it.

Treat others with value! They may not be cleaned up or full of the Holy Spirit yet, but God has a purpose for them in our lives. Stop complaining about the sand in their lives. See if you have sand in your own life or are offended by them. You know what to do, **confess it and forgive!** When you can forgive and pray for those who offend you, you will know you are maturing in the Lord.

# **"Healing for the Brokenhearted" with**

**Prophetess Joan Hart**

**Check your schedule for the  
program which is shown in your  
area several times each week.**

## **Indiana/Southern Michigan**

**Sundays 1:30 a.m. Ch #46**

**Mondays 10:00 p.m. Ch #46  
on WHME**

## **Kalamazoo / Portage**

**Sundays 4:30 p.m. Ch. # 95**

**Mondays 4:30 p.m. Ch. # 96**

**Tuesdays 1:00 p.m. Ch # 97**

**Thursdays 12:30 p.m. Ch # 96**

## **Radio**

**Fridays 9:30a.m. & 5:05 p.m.  
WKPR - AM 1440 // FM 105.1**

## **Hart to Heart Ministries Christian Training Meetings**

**Learn how to walk in the Spirit  
and apply the Word to your life.**

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## **"Phenomena of the Holy Spirit"**

**By Joan Hart**



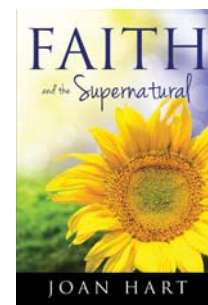
This book will whet your appetite for more of Jesus when you read these stories Joan Hart has experienced in her life. She tells about her visit to heaven, and many encounters she has had with Jesus.

## **"How to Have Victory Through Prayer"**



Praying the Scriptures in this book will help you receive the answers to your prayers. God hastens to perform His Word not ours!

## **"Faith and the Supernatural"**



**New  
Book**

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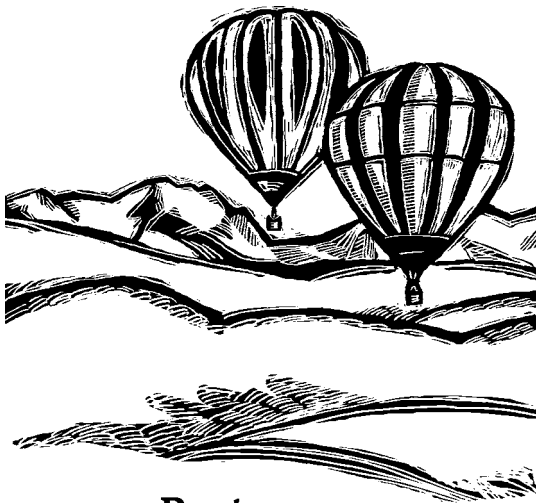
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Restore us,  
O God Almighty;  
make your face shine  
upon us, that we  
may be saved.

Psalm 80:7, NIV

## "The Sanctuary of Praise"

**EXTENDS AN INVITATION**

**TO WORSHIP AND  
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