

Emotional Pain Relievers

From the Series

HEALING RAIN

“Great is the honor and the responsibility placed upon fathers and mothers, in that they are to stand in the place of God to their children...by teaching the child to love and trust and obey them, (they) are teaching him to love and trust and obey his Father in heaven.” {Ministry of Healing, pgs. 375-376}

No Unconditional Love & Are Wounded → Emptiness & Pain

“The Lord desires us to be sensible and to reason from cause to effect.” {Manuscript Releases, Vol. 7, pg. 58}

No Unconditional Love & Are Wounded → Emptiness & Pain → Behavioral Narcotics(Drugs) to Fill the Void & Numb the Pain

“Thousands are today in the insane asylum whose minds became unbalanced by novel reading, which results in air-castle building, and lovesick sentimentalism.” {Counsels on Sabbath School Work, pg. 21}

“We must do something to stop this terrible tide of moral impurity. Self-abuse(masturbation) stands as the most degrading sin, polluting the whole character of the man. Unless those who are practicing this vice break off their sin and repent before God, they will find no place in the city of God. There entereth into that city nothing that defileth or maketh a lie. Such characters are living a lie continually. We are living in an age when iniquity abounds, and the special work of God's delegated servants must be to suppress this iniquity and to bring in righteousness.” {Manuscript Releases, Vol. 21, pg. 384}

“God does not employ compulsory measures; love is the agent which He uses to expel sin from the heart.” {Thoughts from the Mount of Blessings, pg. 76}

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Unconditional Love → Fills the Emptiness & Heals the Pain → No Need for Behavioral Narcotics(Drugs)

“The revelation of God's love to man centers in the Cross.” {Ministry of Healing, pg. 423}

“Thousands pass through life as if they had no great object for which to live, no high standard to reach. One reason for this is the low estimate which they place upon themselves. Christ paid an infinite price for us, and according to the price paid He desires us to value ourselves.” {Ministry of Healing, pg. 498}

Case Scenario(Men): Mason is a childhood friend who has just recently moved back to your hometown where you now live. You guys hit it off really well and become good friends once again just like it was when you were kids. As you are becoming closer, Mason has opened up to you that he struggles with overcoming sin in his life. At a later talk, he shares with you that he has a problem with pornography and masturbation in which he can't gain the victory. He then asks you for your advice. What do you do?

Case Scenario(Women): Olivia is a childhood friend who has just recently moved back to your hometown where you now live. You guys hit it off really well and become good friends once again just like it was when you were kids. As you are becoming closer, Olivia has opened up to you that she struggles with overcoming sin in her life. At a later talk, she shares with you that she has a problem with watching Romance movies and emotionally lusting after and fantasizing about other men; even married men as she wishes her husband was more like them. She says she has tried many times to stop but that she can't gain the victory over it. She then asks you for your advice. What do you do?