

The Space in Between

Identity Abuse: Finding Your Value in God Alone
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Ephesians 2:10a (NLT) *“For we are God’s masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus...”*

Why don’t we always see _____ answers to our prayers?

Luke 13:10-13 (NLT) *10 One Sabbath day, as Jesus was teaching in a synagogue, 11 he saw a woman who had been crippled by an evil spirit.*

Ephesians 6:12 (NLT) *For we are not fighting against flesh-and-blood enemies, but against evil rulers and authorities of the unseen world, against mighty powers in this dark world, and against evil spirits in the heavenly places.*

11 She had been bent double for eighteen years and was unable to stand up straight.

1. In the middle of our struggle, just keep _____.

12 When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, “Dear woman, you are healed of your sickness!”

2. Often, there’s space between the _____ and the _____.

13 Then he touched her, and instantly she could stand straight.

MY NOTES

**3. If we want to be healed and whole,
we need to allow Jesus not just to
_____ us but also to _____ us.**

Romans 12:2 *"...let God transform you into a new person by changing the way you think."*

Luke 13:12-13 (CSB) *12 When Jesus saw her, he called out to her, "Woman, you are free of your DISABILITY." 13 Then he laid his hands on her, and instantly she was restored... How she praised God!*

Psalms 147:3 (CSB) *He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds.*

Pastor's Blessing

- Be blessed with the strength to keep showing up, day after day, even when you don't see immediate answers to your prayers.
- Be blessed as you live faithfully in the space between the declaration of God's promise and the demonstration of God's power until you see His promise fulfilled.
- Be blessed as you allow the Holy Spirit to completely heal your heart and eternally transform your life.
- Be blessed today in Jesus' name.