

Miracle Service Report

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Tonight's message by Pastor Pacer is entitled **Forgiven To Forgive**. One of the hardest things for us to accept is that we need to be forgiven by God. We feel that everyone owes us something and we need to forgive them for having wronged us or for having treated us unfairly. However, the distinct truth is that we need to be the recipients of God's forgiveness. It is difficult for those who do not understand that there is a God to accept this truth. If we do not believe that there is a God, we only need to answer to ourselves. But if we believe that there is a God, the equation in our lives changes. Now, it is not only about us, but also about God and us owing Him everything. If God made you, it is your right to ask Him about His will and thoughts for you. He sets the rules, therefore we need to ask Him what we must do for Him.

When you were young, your parents set the rules for you. It was not the other way round. So if there is a God, then the question is not what He should do for you, but rather what you should do for Him. If we ignore God Who made us, it is likened to us ignoring our parents who gave us life. The Bible says that there is a God and we have to make a decision. If we believe that the Word of God is true, we need to take heed because the Bible heralds and proclaims a God Who made us. Although we have messed up our lives, He still loves and pursues us by giving us His Son, Jesus Christ. To ignore God is a sin because He is the Creator Who made us.

We may argue that we are not all that bad, so why should we need this Jesus as our Savior? Sin is not only that you have done something wrong, but it is also what you have failed to do right. One of the biggest things we fail to do right is that we fail to give God the glory for all the things He has done. When we ignore God, we ignore Who He is, and that is sin. We need to be forgiven by God not only for the wrongs we have done, but also for the good that we have failed to do.

Peter came to Jesus and asked Him how many times they were expected to forgive. Jesus addresses this question in Matthew 18:23-35. He recounts an interesting story. Jesus talks about God and us. The king is God, the kingdom is Heaven and the servants are all of us. Notice that Jesus says that God will one day settle accounts with all of us. He will tally the deeds in our lives and declare if we have lived for Him or not.

When the king began to settle accounts with his servants, one who owed him 10,000 talents was brought before him. One talent was equal to 15 years of income. Therefore, the servant owed the king 150,000 years of income. He could not pay the king so he begged for mercy and asked for more time to pay. The king took pity on him, released him and forgave him the debt. With a stroke of his pen, the master cleared his debt. What the servant did was just to ask the master for mercy.

The main point of the story is the debt of sin is too great that we are not able to pay it. However, in order for us to receive salvation from God, we have to humble our hearts before Him. Believe that we are sinners, give Him thanks and praise, and ask Him for forgiveness. This is simple to do yet many refuse to act on it. They find it hard to acknowledge that they need to ask God for forgiveness.

You have to ask yourself two questions. First, do you believe that you are a sinner who has ignored God all your life and has not offered Him thanks, praise and gratitude for what He has done? Second, do you believe that you are unable to pay God the debt you owe Him? With a wave of His hand, the King, the Master of Heaven, the Lord of Glory can say to you, "You're forgiven!" So you need to humbly come before God, tell Him you need Him and submit your life to Him.

The story continues and takes another turn. When this same servant found one of his fellow servants, who owed him 100 days' wages, he treated him with unreasonable severity. The fellow

servant pleaded for clemency, but the unmerciful servant refused to hear his plea and threw him into prison.

As believers in Christ, we enjoy the forgiveness of God, but some of us have stopped to forgive others. We enjoy the mercy of God, but we do not want to offer the same to others. We must bear in mind that we are forgiven by God to forgive others.

When the fellow servants saw what had taken place, they were greatly distressed in their souls and told the master what had happened. The master chastised the unmerciful servant and told him that he had done wrong. The servant was forgiven so that the forgiveness he had received could flow through him to others. We receive mercy to give mercy. The master, in his anger, delivered the servant to the jailers until he could pay his entire debt.

The message is for both prebelievers and Christians. We are all sinners, and we owe God a debt we can never pay. Yet Christ came 2,000 years ago to pay our debt. The prebelievers need to believe by faith that God sent His Son to be their Savior. The casual Christians enjoy the mercy of God, but they don't think that they are responsible to show mercy to others. They could be like the unmerciful servant who was forgiven much, but did not partake in forgiving others. Therefore, we must not be a lukewarm or fake Christian. We must show mercy to others just as God has shown mercy to us.

Tonight, many came forward to pray for God's healing touch upon them. Pastor Rony reminded us that there is nothing God cannot do if we believe in Him.

A few months ago, Regin Yeo **tore the ligaments in her left arm and also injured her leg** while exercising in a gym. It was so painful that she could not squat and sleep at night. She



came to the Miracle Service believing that God would heal her. Praise the Lord, the pain lifted and she is now totally well.



Selina Chang's 100-year-old mother Chao Mei Ling suffered from **abnormal sleep cycle**. She could not sleep for 48 hours. As a result, her health took its toll. In April, Selina came to the Miracle Service and stood in proxy for her mother. Praise the Lord, in June, her mother started to sleep normally every night.

Selina suffers from **cataracts in both eyes**. After prayer at the Miracle Service, the eye doctor could not find any cataract in her right eye. Selina is believing that God will also heal her left eye.



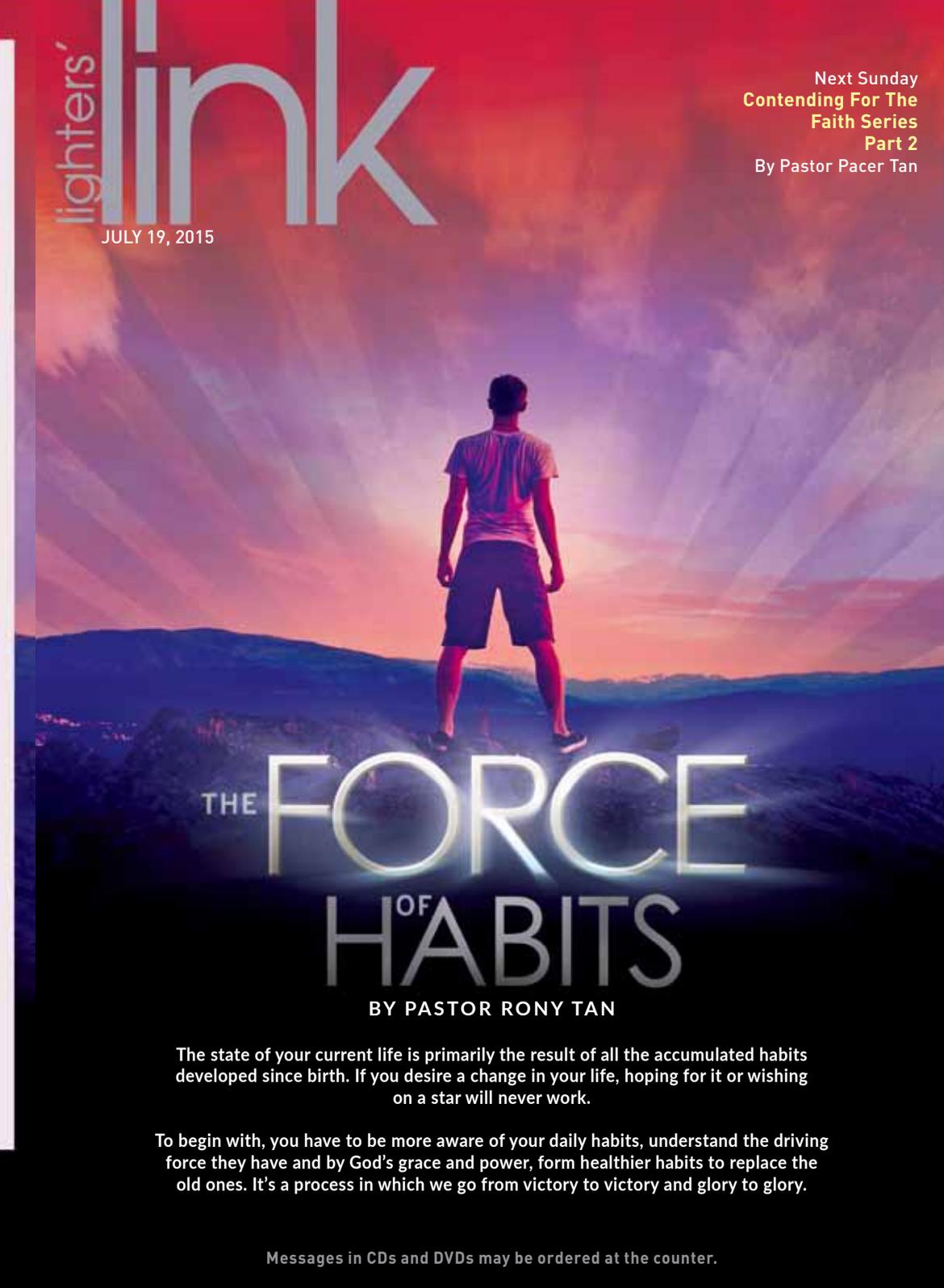
Ten months ago, Eileen Lim **sprained her right thumb**. It was swollen and very painful. Whilst watching the Miracle Service online, God healed her swollen thumb during the mass healing prayer.

ALL GLORY
TO GOD!

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Next Sunday
Contending For The
Faith Series
Part 2
By Pastor Pacer Tan



The state of your current life is primarily the result of all the accumulated habits developed since birth. If you desire a change in your life, hoping for it or wishing on a star will never work.

To begin with, you have to be more aware of your daily habits, understand the driving force they have and by God's grace and power, form healthier habits to replace the old ones. It's a process in which we go from victory to victory and glory to glory.

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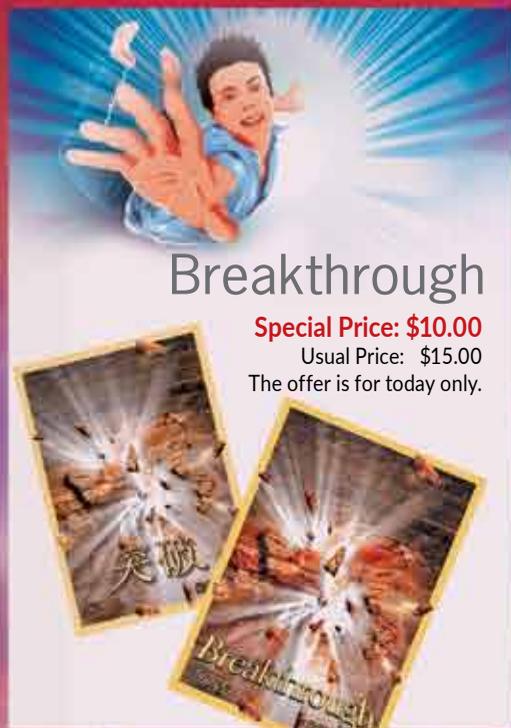
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TODAY'S
PRE-SERVICE UPPERLIGHT
PRAYER ITEMS

- 1. Miracle Service**
 - Thanksgiving for all salvation and healing cases
 - Supernatural visitations
- 2. Ministry of Transport**
 - Divine wisdom and insights upon the leadership to improve and solve problems
 - Our transport system to be more effective, efficient and affordable

JULY 23
THURSDAY UPPERLIGHT
PRAYER ITEMS

- Miracle Service
- Healing of Skin Conditions
- Sunday Services and Weekdays' Activities
- Cleansing Prayer
 - Fear and Worry
 - Bad temper
 - Impatience
- Domestic Helpers in Lighthouse
- Health Crisis



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Five "Benefits" of Unforgiveness

(THEN THE BETTER WAY)

BY PAUL DAVID TRIPP

Why don't people just forgive? That is a very good question. If forgiveness is easier and more beneficial, why isn't it more popular? The sad reality is that there is short-term, relationally destructive power in refusing to forgive. Holding onto the other's wrongs gives us the upper hand in our relationship. We keep a record of wrongs because we are not motivated by what honors God and is best for others but by what is expedient for ourselves.

Five Dark "Benefits" of Unforgiveness

- 1. Debt is power.** There is power in having something to hold over another's head. There is power in using a person's weakness and failure against him or her. In moments when we want our own way, we pull out some wrong against us as our relational trump card.
- 2. Debt is identity.** Holding onto another's sin, weakness, and failure makes us feel superior to them. It allows us to believe that we are more righteous and mature than they are. We fall into the pattern of getting our sense of self not by the comfort and call of the Gospel but by comparing ourselves to another. This pattern plays into the self-righteousness that is the struggle of every sinner.
- 3. Debt is entitlement.** Because of all the other person's wrongs against us, he or she owes us. Carrying these wrongs makes us feel deserving and therefore comfortable with being self-focused and demanding. "After all I have had to endure in relationship with you, don't I deserve . . . ?"
- 4. Debt is weaponry.** The sins and failures that another has done against us become like a loaded gun that we carry around. It is very tempting to pull them out and use them when we are angry. When someone has hurt us in some way, it is very tempting to hurt them back by throwing in their face just how evil and immature they are.
- 5. Debt puts us in God's position.** It is the one place that we must never be, but it is also a position that all of us have put ourselves in. We are not the judge of others. We are not the one who should dispense consequences for other's sin. It is not our job to make sure they feel the appropriate amount of guilt for what they have done. But it is very tempting to ascend to God's throne and to make ourselves judge.

The Ugly Lifestyle of Selfishness

This is nasty stuff. It is a relational lifestyle driven by ugly selfishness. It is motivated by what we want, what we think we need, and by what we feel. It has nothing to do with a desire to please God with the way we live with one another, and it surely has nothing to do with what it means to love others in the midst of their struggle to live God's way in this broken world.

It's also scarily blind. We are so focused on the failures of others that we are blind to ourselves. We forget how often we fail, how much sin mars everything we do, and how desperately we need the grace that we are daily given but unwilling to offer to others. This way of living turns the people in our lives into our adversaries and turns the locations where we live into a war zone.

Yet, we have all been seduced by the power of unforgiveness. We have all used the sin of another against him or her. We have all acted as judges. We have all thought we are more righteous than the people around us. We have all used the power of guilt to get what we want when we want it and in so doing have not only done serious damage to the fine china of our relationships, but have demonstrated how much we need forgiveness.

Forgiveness Is a Much Better Way

It seems almost too obvious to say, but forgiveness is a much better way. The grace of our salvation is the ultimate argument for this truth. Forgiveness is the only way to live in an intimate, long-term relationship with another sinner. Forgiveness is the only way to negotiate through the weakness and failure that will daily mark your relationships. It is the only way to deal with hurt and disappointment. Forgiveness is the only way to have hope and confidence restored. It is the only way to protect your love and reinforce the unity that you have built. Forgiveness is the only way not to be kidnapped by the past. It is the only way to give your relationships the blessing of fresh starts and new beginnings.

Grace, forgiving grace, really is a much, much better way. So, isn't it wonderful to know that you have not only been called to forgive, but you have also been graced with everything you need to answer this call?

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Heaven is the final, eternal and ultimate place of bliss, contentment and fulfillment for believers

Ephesians 2:7

That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace in his kindness toward us through Christ Jesus.

For ages and ages to come, we will be enjoying the exceeding riches of God's grace to no end. On earth, we are now partaking our spiritual inheritance and privileges by measures, depending on the level of our faith and the degree of our walk with God.

However, in Heaven, we will partake our inheritance and privileges fully. We will finally possess completely everything. There will never be an iota of need or lack.

Heaven is final, and that's it! There will be no more nasty surprises. Everything lasts forever. There will be total completeness, contentment and fulfillment.

On earth, we are always asking, "Where is this leading to? What will be the final outcome or result? Finally, what's it gonna be? What's at the end of the road or journey? Where will I be in the end?"

Well, in Heaven, we will say, "This is it! This is what I have been looking for all my life! I have reached the end of life's journey, yet it is not quite the end. In fact, it is the beginning of a glorious forever."

Heaven is glorious, and it is real! We will be totally satisfied eternally.

HEAVEN'S MEETING PLACE

William Branham was a rare prophet of God in the 20th century. In 1937, he was summoned to the bedside of his wife in a hospital. She seemed to be dead. Branham was so grief-stricken that he cried out after her.

She opened her eyes and said, "Bill, why did you call me back?"

Then she proceeded to describe how angels were guiding her to the most beautiful land. Before she slipped away, she said, "Promise me that you will always preach this wonderful Gospel. Heaven is real. The things you preach about Heaven are all true."

She also made him promise to remarry. Now, I'm convinced she had really seen Heaven. That was why her thoughts were heavenly and absolutely free from petty jealousy.

That reminds me of a conversation I had with a pastor friend and his wife. We were talking about death and bereavement.

With a flash of anger, the wife said sternly to my friend, "If I were to die before you, don't you dare make me lose face by getting remarried too soon!" She obviously didn't catch a glimpse of Heaven but Branham's wife did.

"Must you really go?" Branham pleaded time and time again. She said, "Yes, I have seen Heaven and I must go."

Finally, Branham gave in and made an appointment with her to meet at the Eastern Gate in Heaven one day. That's how real Heaven is!

Over 50 Years Of Suffering

What is it like to be suffering from a severe, chronic skin disease that is both painful and embarrassing for over half a century? Come and hear Robert Tan's amazing testimony of healing and salvation. Do bring some friends and loved ones along this coming Saturday, 25th July.



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Sunday, July 26 • 6.00 pm • LET Chapel

Child dedication means a commitment to present a child to God and His purposes. It also means parents dedicating themselves to the Lord to raise their child in the nurture and love of the Lord.

Parents, fill out the form available at the counter and submit it via the form-collection box. Registration closes today.