

They Overcame!

Are you sick or battling a chronic medical condition or something that causes you great physical or emotional pain? The advice given by a wonderful quadriplegic woman contains the answer! She says to praise the Father regardless and to use the hurting parts of our bodies to praise Him all the more. If your back is hurting, tell the Father that your back praises Him; if your legs are hurting, tell Him that your legs praise Him; if your heart hurts, tell Him that your heart praises Him! If everything hurts, tell Him that all within you praises Him. Say to Him, *"Bless the Most High O' my soul, and all that is within me, bless His holy name!"* (Psalm 103:1) Our Father really is deserving of this, and He really will help us get through. It is by His strength that we do all things!

Even further, do you remember the verse from *Revelation 12:11*, *"And they overcame him with the blood of the Lamb and the word of their testimony..."*. It truly is the blood of the Lamb and the words of our mouth/testimony that will heal us; that will cause us to overcome! The blood of the Lamb was flowing when He was lashed with stripes, and His flesh was torn and removed. And as well all know, by His stripes we are healed! And, doesn't the Bible tell us that the power of life (healing) and death (sickness & disease) lies in the power of the tongue? Our testimony of our faith -- our words in everything we say -- will show our Father, and others, what we truly believe through His Son. It is His blood that heals us, and it is our testimony, the words of our faith, that bring it into being in our own lives. Let us be sure to replace all our complaints and "I cant's" with praises and "He will"!