

Jehovah Rapha: God Our Healer

Series: *What's in a Name?*

– Exodus 15:22-26 –

*God is our Healer, not because He makes **EVERYTHING***

*right, but because He makes **US** right.*

1. Jehovah Rapha brings healing in at least three ways:

* *Physically (Matt. 4:23)*

* *Emotionally (Psalm 147:3)*

* *Spiritually (Isaiah 53:5)*

2. Three Important Principles

* *Sometimes God uses **SUFFERING** to heal our **SOULS**.*

* *Sometimes healing takes place in **UNUSUAL WAYS**.*

* *The **CROSS OF CHRIST** is the ultimate source of healing.*

"With joy you will drink deeply from the fountain of salvation!"

– Isaiah 12:3

Application Questions. . .

1. What part of the text or message had the greatest impact on you? Where were you most encouraged, intrigued, or challenged?
2. If God offered you immediate, supernatural healing (spiritual, physical, mental or emotional), what healing would you ask for first?
3. Look back at verses 1-3, 11. In what ways can you say that you have recognized these character attributes of God in what has happened in your own life?
4. How do we reconcile this name for God with the fact that there are sincere, strong Christians who pray for healing but never get well? What specific Scriptures help support your answer?
5. Are you more open to God in feast or famine? Why?
6. Based on your own life story, how would you describe God's power to someone else who wasn't there when He rescued and healed you?
7. How well does your joy match your walk and talk for God (Isa. 12:2-3)?

