

## Revisiting KS Foundational Truths: Part 5

### INTRODUCTION 4:

On 11/23, 12/14, 12/28, 1/18, and 2/8 I shared that the Almighty is urging me to revisit fundamentals in the hope of each and everyone of us examining ourselves and our situations and us moving toward resolution and victory. *No one* in *KS* is exempt. We are all flesh trying to grow into Spiritual Beings. Do not be stuck in what you learned in the past but be open to what *Yeshua* and the *Spirit* reveal today. Ask *Yah Adonai* to *show me my weaknesses*. Do not fall into the trap of hiding your weaknesses and succumbing to pride. *From whom are you hiding your weaknesses and sins?* Repent now, today, and start recovery before it gets *shouted from the rooftop*

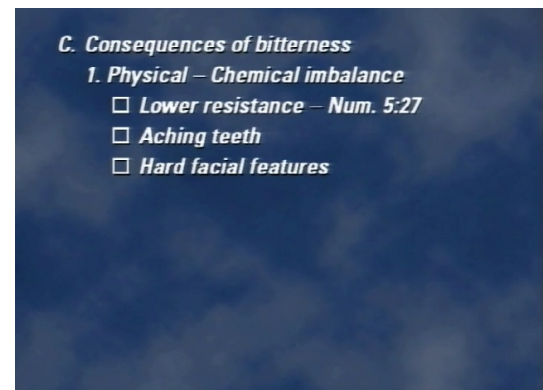
### HOW TO TURN BITTERNESS TO FORGIVENESS

We cannot afford to not clear our conscience. A *clear conscience* involves the inner freedom of spirit toward *Yah Adonai* and others that comes by knowing that *Yah Adonai's* Holiness is not offended by our thoughts or actions, and that no one can point the finger at any of us and say: *you've offended me, and you've never asked for my forgiveness*. Since each one of us is to: "... *have a clear conscience in the sight of both God and man*" (*Acts 24:16*) then we have to find ways to turn bitterness caused by unforgiveness into forgiveness. We have to fully forgive those who have offended us because we cannot expect to be forgiven by *Yah Adonai* if we do not forgive those who have offended us according to the Lord's Prayer.



### CONSEQUENCES OF BITTERNESS

We also cannot afford to harbor bitterness because there are many undesirable consequences to our own well being. We will experience physical consequences and psychological consequences in addition to the aforementioned spiritual consequence of ourselves not being forgiven. When I first heard these consequences elucidated I realized there are severe life threatening results to our disobedience that most people do not realize (I certainly did not) and what may be a persistent physical illness may very well be a violation of *Yah Adonai's* principles. In fact, *Yah Adonai* has raised an entire ministry named Be in Health which addresses these issues. We had the leader of that ministry come to Kol Simcha and many people including Joe and Stephanie Simpkins became successfully trained in the Be in Health Ministry. I trust that after today's review, you will fully agree that you can ill afford to be bitter and will take steps to eliminate bitterness completely from your life. The freedom that comes from eliminating bitterness from your life will be nothing short of amazing!



In Messianic Judaism we note that *Yah Adonai* has scheduled times of repentance as part of His High Holidays (moadim) schedule. If we follow His schedule and participate fully in His instructions we will experience *Yeshua's* life and life more abundant. As we do, we also become aware of the importance of the *Shema* — we truly *shema* when we prove that we heard His Voice by doing what He asked. We refer to this principle as true obedience. It is that simple. Therefore let us obey His Word with all our being and enjoy life in its fullest. *Shabbat Shalom!*