

## I AM: Jehovah Rapha Exodus 15:22-27 February 7, 2021 / Pastor Shawn

<sup>22</sup> Then Moses led Israel from the Red Sea, and they went into the Desert of Shur. For three they traveled in the desert without finding water. <sup>23</sup> When they came to Marah, they could not drink its water because it was bitter. (That is why the place is called Marah.) <sup>24</sup> So the people grumbled against Moses, saying, "What are we to drink?" Exodus 15:22-24

GRATITUDE TURNS TO	,
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<sup>25</sup> Then Moses cried out to the LORD, and the LORD showed him a piece of wood. He threw it into the water, and the water became fit to drink. There the LORD issued a ruling and instruction for them, and put them to the test. <sup>26</sup> If you\_listen carefully to the voice of the LORD your God and do what is right in his eyes, if you pay attention to his commands and keep all his decrees, I will not bring on you any of the diseases I brought on the Egyptians, for I am the LORD, who heals you. Exodus 15:25-26

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♦ Yahweh Rapha (Rä·fä'):	·
God's desires our The LORD will give strength to His people; The LORD wind with peace.	ill bless His people Psalm 29:11

For He Himself is our peace, who made both *groups into* one and broke down the barrier of the dividing wall, Ephesians 2:14 (cp. John 10:10; 2 Corinthians 5:17; Luke 4:18-19)

## Jehovah Rapha desires to bring...

(a)	healing (Ps. 147:3)
(b)	healing (2 Tim. 1:7; Phil. 2:5; Eph.4:22-24)

(c)	<b>healing</b> (2 Kings 20:5-6)
(d)	<b>healing</b> (Isaiah 1:18)

## 8 Biblical Principles on Healing

1. Troubles o	<b>ur Faith.</b> (Psalm 119:67, 71)
2. Sometimes our pain is re	elated to personal (Psalm 32:3-4; 38:3,17-18)
3. Not all illness is	to personal sin. (John 9:3)
4. It's OK to go to profession	
the	<b>first</b> . (2 Chronicles 16:12)
5. We need the	(James 5:14-16)
6. Faith is	for healing but not a (Mark 6:5-6; James 4:2)
7. Not all healing is	·
8. The of Jesus	Christ is the source of healing. (1 Peter 2:24)

## **Discussion Questions**

- 1. What was your "A-Ha" from Sunday's message? Why?
- 2. What does the name "Jehovah Rapha" mean? (Ex. 15:26)
- 3. What was the event/occasion for the revelation of this name?
- 4. What in your life today can be likened to the bitter waters of Marah? List 2-3 bitter experiences you've had recently.
- 5. How can Jehovah Rapha bring healing to our sick world?
- 6. What did the Lord use to turn bitter waters sweet? (Ex. 15:25). What "wood" does the Lord use today to turn the bitter sweet (Gal. 3:13)?
- 7. How is the Lord nudging you to participate in His healing work?
- 8. Who do you know that needs to enter into relationship with Jesus? Name them. Pray for them.