



Sermon Outline
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Rapha—God is
my Healer
Exodus 15:26

I love the stories of Redemption!

Story #1: Kim

The name of the mission agency Rapha...is derived from the Divine announcement of healing. Jehovah Rapha. The Lord Jehovah is my _____.

Every time you drink in the marvel of the person, the deity, the Spirit of God our Father you find your heart drawn to love him more. The more you _____, the more you _____.

In contrast, the less you know Him...the more you are _____...about everything, from your own identity and purpose, to the design of life and human experience. The less you know about God the more life is a riddle where every day is another question mark.

Story #2: Jehovah Rapha

Exodus 15:26

26 He said, "If you listen carefully to 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."

Rapha--The word carries an image of a tailor who stitches with needle and thread to _____ that has been worn or torn.

Story #3: Rapha on display in Jesus

Matt 4:23-25

23 Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and healing every disease and sickness among the people. 24 News about him spread all over Syria, and people brought to him all who were ill with various diseases, those suffering severe pain, the demon-possessed, those having seizures, and the paralyzed; and he healed them. 25 Large crowds from Galilee, the Decapolis, Jerusalem, Judea and the region across the Jordan followed him.

The two-parts of Jesus' ministry. There are first -- _____.

Matt 9:35

35 Jesus went through all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and healing every disease and sickness.

Story #4: Where we live!

We are in between, and so what healing do we know in our own lives?

1. The healing extravagance is _____ than when Jesus was present among us.
2. What can be known of healing is known through the _____.

James 5:13-15

13 Is anyone among you in trouble? Let them pray... 14 Is anyone among you sick? Let them call the elders of the church to pray over them and anoint them with oil in the name of the Lord. 15 And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise them up.

3. God's healing includes the blessing and richness of the _____.

Story #5: Szabi

What the world brought forward as evil, God has redeemed with _____.

Story #6: Your Story!

Jehovah Rapha has taken upon himself to stitch together the places worn and torn. There are some things that _____.