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Hart to Heart Ministries is a training center for those who desire to know more about Jesus.

There are conferences twice a year teaching, "How to have Victory."

There is teaching of the Word and how to apply it to your everyday life.

Private pastoral counseling is available, as well as inner healing for those who want to be set free from the past hurts in their lives.

Healing takes place on a regular basis. The Bible tells us by Jesus stripes we were healed. I Peter 2:24

If you need to have your faith come up to the next level, you will find how to do it.

Sunday services begin at 10:00 a.m. There are also opportunities galore for those interested in donating their time and talents.

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Stay faithful and walk into God's blessings. Nothing is impossible with God!



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All of us have missed opportunities, or blown chances, at some time in our lives. We look back and wonder why we didn't put more effort into something? Why didn't we do this, or that? Why did we spend all those years running with the wrong crowd when we should have been getting ahead?

Whatever the reason, it's tempting to think we will never have another chance. We have missed our season!

However, the good news is that **God always has another season.** In the book of Joel 2:25 He said, He would restore the years that have been stolen.

Of course we can't go back and relive our childhood, but God can make the rest of our lives so rewarding and fulfilling that it makes up for those lost opportunities in our past. **So don't be discouraged!** God controls time!

For every opportunity we have missed, every chance we have blown, God can turn back the clock and bring bigger and better things across our path.

Maybe you regret not being a good parent and now you don't have a good relationship with your children, maybe you don't even speak to each other. But God can wipe out all the hurt, pain and resentment in a split second. God can restore that relationship. Ask Him!

If you have built up a wall of hurt feelings, don't make the mistake of settling in and end up with a bitter situation. **No disagreement has to last forever.** Forgive those who hurt you and let go of the offense. Keep believing and keep praying. If you stay in faith, God will restore your relationship and even make

up for those lost years. Don't settle for less than God's best!

Even Hezekiah was given fifteen extra years. He was excited about his new lease on life. It was almost too good to be true. Just for peace of mind, he asked God for a sign. God told him to go out and watch the sundial. Remember, there were no clocks like we have. They had markings on the ground to help them tell time according to the positions of the sun's shadows.

Hezekiah was saying to God that if this promise is to come to pass, if You add years to my life, don't just **stop** time, I want You to do something more difficult, something even more out of the ordinary. Make the shadow go in the wrong direction. **Turn back time.**

That was a lot of nerve! Hezekiah was putting God's love to the test by asking Him to do that. He asked God to interrupt the entire solar system just to assure Hezekiah that His promise was sincere.

Sure enough over the next 45 minutes he watched the shadow go counterclockwise. The sun went in reverse ten degrees.

If God can reset the sun, He can certainly reset the clock in our lives. He can restore the years we have lost. If we stay in faith, a shift will occur.

God has new opportunities in front of us. He wants the rest of our lives to be better than the first part. God will restore the seconds, minutes, hours, days, weeks, months and years we have lost. He will present us with opportunities we missed, because we were in the wrong place, even if it was our

fault. **God is so merciful that He will give us another chance.**

We need to ask God to give us back every opportunity we missed. We have to be honest and admit the truth to Him; " I have been at fault Lord, I may have blown my opportunities, but I know You are full of mercy and that You love me and will give me another chance."

If our attitude is right, we will get God's attention. We have to get rid of our defeated mind set! **Don't dwell on the past.** We can't move ahead to the good, if we are always looking back at the bad or the mistakes we made.

We might not understand how our lives can be restored and we don't have to know how. We just have to know Him. All we have to do is believe and be open to His blessings. He can give us one idea to make up for everything that we have lost. **He is a good God and will change things for us.**

Sometimes we want to give up, but God knows that. Ask Him to restore your joy and your peace. **He will do what we have the faith to believe for.** We have to brush ourselves off and not care what someone else said, did, or didn't do, and begin to stand strong and positive. We also have to stop blaming ourselves. Get over it!

We need to begin to declare the positive things in our lives and say: "This thing will not defeat me. God will restore these years I goofed up. God will make changes for me. I will be better than I was before. I am not going to let go of my divine destiny. My frustration has to go! I will not give up!"

We need to quote the Scriptures that fit our situation and bring our thinking back to where

it's supposed to be.

We can't give up no matter what happens. You need to stand on the Word and do the best you know how. God will help you with the rest. You can trust Him with everything. Stay focused and continue to stand.

We can overcome every obstacle and we can live in abundance. We have new seasons of favor and blessings coming. Receive His restoration so you can fulfill your destiny. Don't give up on your future.

God is building your foundation so it's strong, so you will be able to stand and stay in faith no matter what happens in your life. God can open doors for you and He can put the right people in your path. He can bring healing to our bodies and bring the finances we need. **He will bring the promises to pass.**

We have to choose to believe Him today, tomorrow and all the days ahead. Even when you have been wrong, God knows it and still loves you and wants the best for you.

Say this in faith: "I am His child and I trust Him with my life. I know my life will be better than the first part of my life. I receive His restoration of all good things in my life by faith."

You may not see the change right away, but continue to believe and you will.



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A Word of Encouragement

The Word of God tells us to, 'cast our bread upon the waters,' and assures us that we will again find it after many days. Our bread is referring to our seed (our provision). I believe we have entered into a season of increase and multiplication, and we are going to see the plowman overtake the reaper.

"The days are come," declares the Lord, "when the reaper will be overtaken by the plowman and the planter by the one treading grapes. New wine will drip from the mountains and flow from all the hills." (Amos 9:13)

Amos speaks of a time of unusual blessings as we see things that were once barren and unfruitful bringing forth such a blessing that it produces an amazing amount of fruit. I believe that we have entered into a season where we are going to see the Lord's abundance and faithfulness like we have not previously experienced. Expect it in your life and remember to thank the Lord for His favor.



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