## Wednesday Noon and Evening Meetings September 19, 2018 "SPIRITUAL SEEING"

<u>The Bible</u> <u>Hymns: 34, 144, 412</u>

Steve and Dixie Haussler's last service is Sunday the 23rd.

The law of the Lord is perfect, converting the soul: the testimony of the Lord is sure, making wise the simple. The statutes of the Lord are right, rejoicing the heart: the commandment of the Lord is pure, enlightening the eyes. Psalms 19

Unto thee lift I up mine eyes, O thou that dwellest in the heavens. Behold, as the eyes of servants look unto the hand of their masters, and as the eyes of a maiden unto the hand of her mistress; so our eyes wait upon the Lord our God.

Psalms 123

And Moses went up from the plains of Moab unto the mountain of Nebo, that is over against Jericho. And the Lord shewed him all the land of Gilead, and the land of Ephraim, and all the land of Judah, unto the utmost sea, and the south, and the plain of the valley Jericho, the city of palm trees, and the Lord said unto him, This is the land which I sware unto Abraham, unto Isaac, and unto Jacob, saying I will give it unto thy seed: I have caused thee to see it with thine eyes, but thou shalt not go over thither. So Moses the servant of the Lord died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the Lord. And Moses was an hundred and twenty years old when he died: his eye was not dim, nor his natural force abated. Deuteronomy 34

And as Jesus passed by, he saw a man which was blind from his birth. And his disciples asked him, saying Master, who did sin, this man, or his parents, that he was born blind? Jesus answered, Neither hath this man sinned, nor his parents: but that the works of God should be made manifest in him. I must work the works of him that sent me. As long as I am in the world, I am the light of the world. When he had thus spoken, he spat on the ground, and made clay of the spittle, and he anointed the eyes of the blind man with the clay. And said unto him, Go, wash in the pool of Siloam, (which is by interpretation, Sent.) He went his way therefore, and washed and came seeing.

The neighbours therefore, and they which before had seen him blind, said, Is not this he that sat and begged? Some said, This is he: others said, He is like him: but he said, I am he. Therefore said they unto him, How were thine eyes opened? He answered and said, A man that is called Jesus made clay, and anointed mine eyes, and said unto me, Go to the pool of Siloam, and wash: and I went and washed, and I received my sight. Then said they unto him. Since the world began was it not heard that any man opened the eyes of one that was born blind.

He answered and said, I know one thing, I know that where as I was blind, now I see. John 9

And it came to pass, that as Jesus was come nigh unto Jericho, a certain blind man sat by the way side begging: And hearing the multitude pass by, he asked what it meant. And they told him, that Jesus of Nazareth passeth by. And he cried, saying, Jesus, thou Son of David, have mercy on me. And they which went before rebuked him, that he should hold his peace: but he cried so much the more, Thou Son of David, have mercy on me. And Jesus stood, and commanded him to be bought unto him: and when he was come near, he asked him, Saying, What wilt thou that I shall do unto thee? And he said, Lord, that I may receive my sight. And Jesus said unto him, Receive thy sight: thy faith hath saved thee. And immediately he received his sight, and followed him, glorifying God and all the people, when they saw it, gave praise unto God. Luke 18

Arise, shine, for the Lord shall arise upon thee, and his glory shall be seen upon thee. Lift up thine eyes round about, and see. Isaiah 60

## Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures by Mary Baker Eddy

EYES. Spiritual discernment,--not material but mental. Page 586

How transient a sense is mortal sight when a wound on the retina may end the power of light and lens! But the real sight or sense is not lost. Neither age nor accident can interfere with the senses of Soul, and there are no other real senses. Page 214

Whatever is governed by God is never for an instant deprived of the light and might of intelligence and Life.

With its divine proof, Science reverses the evidence of material sense. Page 215

Man is spiritual and perfect; and because he is spiritual and perfect he must be so understood in Christian Science. He is the compound idea of God, including all right ideas; the generic term for all that reflects God's image and likeness; the conscious identity of being as found in science, in which man is the reflection of God, or Mind, and therefore is eternal; that which has no separate mind from God; that which has not a single quality underived from Deity; that which possesses no life, intelligence, nor creative power of his own, but reflects spiritually all that belongs to his Maker. Page 475

Except for the error of measuring and limiting all that is good and beautiful, man would enjoy more than threescore years and ten and still maintain his vigor, freshness, and promise. Each succeeding year unfolds wisdom, beauty, and holiness.

Life is eternal. We should find this out, and begin the demonstration thereof. Let us then shape our views of existence into loveliness, freshness, and continuity, rather than into age and blight. Page 248

Become conscious for single moment that Life and intelligence are purely spiritual,--neither in nor of matter,--and the body will then utter no complaints.

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Science declares that Mind, not matter, sees, hears, feels, speaks. Whatever contradicts this statement is the false sense, which ever betrays mortals into sickness, sin, and death. Page 485

Mind, not matter, is causation. Page 208

There is more Christianity in seeing and hearing spiritually than materially. There is more Science in the perpetual exercise of the Mind-faculties than in their loss. Lost they cannot be, while Mind remains. The apprehension of this gave sight to the blind and hearing to the deaf centuries ago, and it will repeat the wonder. Tom Sims, 1st Reader