

How many openings are in Jesus Christ's Body? Let me tell you that it was opened in twelve different ways!

LORD: Tthe first opening in His Body was **Circumcision** for the **Name LORD**.

God: the second opening was for the **Name God**. This was the opening of His Soul in the Garden of Gethsemane when every pore of His Body was opened and bloody sweat dripped out through His Skin. Do you understand how many openings are in your skin? No wonder God made it in the proper order because this fits with the deliverance of your soul, and there is no excuse for us to miss it now. (You nurses and medical people here will have to help me because I do not know if I remember everything about the skin, but I remember something about it.

Look how much God provided in that little bitty space! And, then, you say that you cannot make it! You are a lying prophet! Start prophesying the Truth to your soul by saying, "I can make it. I can do all things through Christ which strengtheneth me." You do not live because you have this or have that or do not have this or that. You live because God said, "Ye shall live Your life is from Him.

Merciful: **Merciful Bloody Sweat** pushes back what we deserve. Look how much He pushes back. Every time we breathe it is usually wrong. It is either not deep enough, or high enough, or broad enough; there is just something wrong with the way we breathe. We are imperfect creatures. But, thank God, He said in His Word that we are accepted in the beloved. This is why we need to get *in Christ*. Get Him *in us*, and, then, let Him grow where we are surrounded with Him, then we are *new creation*. All right, Merciful — Bloody Sweat.

Gracious: the **Face**. And we will go into this sometime, maybe in October Convention.

Long-suffering: His **Beard**. Just think how much Blood came out of His Being when each hair was pulled out, yanked out. It was not pulled out fast with tweezers but with the claws, as it were, of wicked human beings.

Abundant in Goodness: His **Back**. I could go on to things about the cells and the openings in the human body, but we will get to those.

Abundant in Truth: His **Head**. There were openings in His Head.

Preserver of Bountifulness: His **Right Hand**.

Forgiver of Iniquities: No wonder the Bride said, "My head is in His Left Hand."
In His **Left Hand** is forgiveness for iniquities.

Forgiver of Transgressions: His **Right Foot**.

Forgiver of Sins: His **Left Foot**.

Just Judge: His **Side**. Blood and Water were brought forth by the spear after He already was dead.

We will be in Matthew, the twenty-sixth chapter, in a little while, but, first, let me talk to you about your soul. I am not talking about something I read in a book. I am talking about something I know. Glory be to God!

Do you see this sponge? It is a poor facsimile, but it is better than nothing. But, really, your soul is a tannish colour. I have seen sponges, natural sponges, that have that same tannish colour. I am using this little sponge in this demonstration to show you that God created your soul to be like a sponge.