

**SID:** My guest sees demons on people and when he prays the demons leave and the people are physically healed.

*Can ancient secrets of the supernatural be rediscovered? Do angels exist? Is there life after death? Are healing miracles real? Can you get supernatural help from another dimension? Has the future been written in advance? Sid Roth has spent 30 years researching the strange world of the supernatural. **Join Sid on this edition of It's Supernatural.***

**SID:** Hello. **Sid Roth here.** Welcome to my world where it's naturally supernatural. **My guest, Mel Bond,** has a gift called discernment where he can see evil spirits on people, command the evil spirit to leave, and then they get better. I love that gift. When did this start happening in your life?

**MEL:** That happened, it began with in October 1973, and Jesus, in a vision, said, "Mel, I want to take you some place." He took me to this like a large cave, and it looked like it was probably a half a mile wide and I couldn't see the end of it. It was just filled with horrible, hideous demons making all kinds of hideous noises. And without God's help, if anybody from a natural standpoint was there it would destroy them. They would die a horror just hearing or just seeing, either one. And so--

**SID:** I've talked to people that have experiences like that, that unless you had God with you I totally understand.

**MEL:** That's right. And so one particular demon came up to me and he was probably about seven foot tall and he had fingers that were like eight or ten inches long and then he had fingernails, probably three to four inches long that curved, and he was trying to slash and tear me apart and slash, and he was only getting just a fraction of an inch from my face, and it was very horrifying. And at that time I looked up at Jesus, and he was at my right hand side and he had a hold of my hand, and he squeezed it, and I looked up at him. He was a little bit taller than I am. And he says, "Mel, the rest of your life you're gonna go down corridors like this." But he says, "Always know I'll never leave you. I'll never forsake you. I'll be with you and that you have power in my name." And from that time on, an unprecedented amount of encounters have I encountered.

**SID:** But the thing that's so exciting to me is after that encounter with the Lord, all of his senses, spiritually, were activated. And when you teach on this, what happens to the people that listen to the teaching?

**MEL:** Well I've done conferences, ministers' conferences all over the world with the gifts of the spirit, and the gift of discerning of spirits that I would very extremely conservatively say that 80 percent of all people that are born again, filled with the Holy Spirit, they speak in tongues, immediately they begin to see in the spirit.

**SID:** Speaking of seeing in the spirit, in the late '70s two demons came into your bedroom. Tell me about that.

**MEL:** Yeah. In the late '70s I was awakened in the middle of the night because I heard some footsteps in my house and they started walking down the hallway, and they walked into the bedroom, and immediately that I jumped up and started swinging at them with my fist because to, you know, to protect my household, and they just began to laugh. And then immediately, of course, it was pretty obvious that these were spirits, even though it was in living color and they looked like they were physical. And so immediately faster than machine gun bullets the Lord spoke to me and he says, "Mel, this person that you've praying for that has a problem with adultery, has a problem with alcohol that," and I had been working with them for a long time trying to share the scriptures and things weren't getting any better, he says, "This is the root of the problem. The one the right is the spirit of adultery and the one on the left is a spirit of alcohol. Deal with the root of the problem, not the person." And I did. And ever since that they've broken off of that person.

**SID:** That's such a wonderful gift to have. Tell me about the woman that you saw a demon on her throat.

**MEL:** Okay. This happened down in Taylor, Texas. I was a pastor for an Assembly of God Church in Taylor, Texas, 707 Lizzie Street, and it was either the first or second service. So I didn't know the people. My wife and I had just started pasturing there, so we didn't know the people. And while I was preaching then I looked and I see this lady, probably about 85 years of age and on her left shoulder right in this area here I see, and I could talk about it for a long time, but basically it was a demonic force and it had arms and legs. It stretched all over into her neck region and her body like this. And so I just stopped preaching and I says, "I'm gonna take care of the situation in your life right now." And I commanded that force to leave that was in that particular area on her body and I watched that spirit. It dropped off and it crawled out the back door, and then out the door and down the street to the left. By the time that it got to the back door, all of a sudden this lady started raising her voice, sort of not a real loud shout, but shouting and saying, "Praise God! Halleluiah" and that sort of thing. And all the church started getting real excited, and I'm thinking, well I don't think this is such a big deal. Why is everybody so excited? And then when things calmed down the lady spoke and she says, "I had a stroke six months ago and I've not been able to talk for six months, and this portion of my body had been affected." And all of that was totally gone.

**SID:** So like you normally can see this demon. You command it to leave and you see it leave.

**MEL:** Absolutely.

**SID:** And you told me over dinner last night, that when you're ministering to people in a congregation you just look over the whole congregation and God shows you things about people.

**MEL:** Absolutely. Every time I preach I kind of walk around to the crowds and I'm looking for problems. Really, I'm looking for demons because I'm absolutely thoroughly convinced, according to the teachings of Jesus and the Word of God, that every problem there's a demon. Jesus said, "If you're not for me you're against me." And so we don't have three choices. It's either of God or of the devil. So if there's a problem there's a demon, and if you were to get to the root of the problem then the problem can be fixed.

**SID:** Okay. This is in a congregation. Just out of curiosity when you're going out to the barber shop or wherever you're going--

**MEL:** Same thing.

**SID:** You see it. Do you ever do something about it?

**MEL:** Oh absolutely. I was in a place of business just a few months ago and all of a sudden I looked and there was a demon on the top of this lady's head right there. And so I just walked over and I says, "You know, I see a problem that you have in your head. Can I pray for you?" And she looked at me and kind of puzzled and shocked in a place of business, and people all around and everything, and what a wonderful place for God to give glory. And some of the people, they don't go to church, so we got to bring church to them.

**SID:** Just out of curiosity, did know what happened when that demon left?

**MEL:** Absolutely. It totally left and then she began to smile and tears just flooding down her face. This happened in St. Charles Boonslick Medical Center in St. Charles, Missouri. And I was there getting my annual physical. And so immediately she cried and she says, "It's totally gone." And she says, "I've had an excruciating migraine headache," for I think she said three days. And she says, "Nothing works. Nothing gets rid of it." But she said, "It's totally gone."

**SID:** I'll tell you. To me, it's not scary. Scary is having these critters and not being able to see them.

**MEL:** Absolutely.

**SID:** Once you see the authority that you have to command these to go it's the most wonderful gift in the world. Don't go away. I'm gonna be back after this word and you're going to find out how every area of your life can be affected when you understand Mel's teaching on discernment. Be right back.

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**SID:** Hello. **Sid Roth here with Mel Bond.** And Mel, one of the things you told me is that demons prevent believers from being all that God's called them to be.

**MEL:** Absolutely.

**SID:** Explain a little more.

**MEL:** Oh I'd love to talk about this for two hours, but we don't have time. But basically, the Lord showed me that until a person, a hundred percent of them wants to be rid of this problem, that demon still has authority and he's still can rule. And so I'd like to say people within the sound of my voice, ministries you'll never be and people will never be everything that God wants you to be, and you'll never have everything God wants you to have as long as there's one percent of you that doesn't mind that fault or that problem that you're dealing with. If you don't mind it being there you've got to with your whole heart, the Word of God says that "You will find me if you seek me with your whole heart." If there's one percent, those demons, they know, and they have rights to stay there, and you know they're still there. And so they need to with their whole heart live for God, and then they can have everything that God wants them to have and be everything that God wants them to be.

**SID:** You know, what you're saying is true in a thought with me. A friend of mine was watching the Oprah show and there was a woman that was a well known country singer that said as a child she had thoughts of being a lesbian, and she prayed to God and God didn't take it way. So she felt that's the way God made me. I love God, but this is the way God made me. Do you believe that that's a demon that perhaps she had that one or two percent holding back?

**MEL:** Absolutely. Here's one of the things people don't realize. We are at war with the devil. 2 Corinthians 10, the Bible says that "Tho we walk in the flesh we do not war after the flesh. The weapons of warfare, they're not carnal, but they're mighty through God." And then it goes on and it teaches us this is the progressional step of how people become demon-possessed. It's first thoughts. And after thoughts then imagination, then the stronghold. And so we've got to get rid of those thoughts, because those thoughts are after. They're gonna open, I call thoughts demons that are door-openers. That if we keep entertaining a thought he'll open up the door to let a worse demon come into our life. Then we become obsessed. And then after a period of time of being obsessed we become possessed of the devil.

**SID:** Mel, tell me about the time that you had chest pains.

**MEL:** Okay. This goes back, if you remember the interviews prior, people who listen to this, back in 1973, when Jesus took me down that corridor, that demon, that big tall demon that was trying to claw my eyes out, well I started having chest pains earlier than that. It was in 1972. In fact, it was October 22, 1972, and I started having chest pains, horrible chest pains. I thought I was gonna die. And I fought those chest pains for many years. And then it was right around 1990, that I woke up in the middle of the night and I had see that same demon that was in that corridor and he had his right index finger in my chest wrapped around my heart, and it was just like what woke me up was because of the fact that I had such horrible chest pains, worse than they had ever been, and it was like I knew I was gonna die any second. It's just like I knew that I knew, that I knew. But when I woke up because of the pain I see that demon standing over the top of me with his index finger wrapped around my heart, and faster than machine gun bullets again, the spirit of God spoke to me and He says, "You don't have heart problems. It's that demon. Get rid of the demon and the problem is gone." And so I rebuked him. I told him in Jesus' name, "You have to leave." And then immediately he started pulling his finger out of my chest very slowly, and by the time he pulled his finger, as he was pulling his finger out of my chest that the pain decreased. And then when it was totally out and he was standing there he

started just disappearing right in front of my eyes. And within, it probably took about 20 minutes to half an hour, and all the pain left, and just micro portions of it, I mean just microscopic little hints of it would try to come back every now and then for maybe a couple of years, and I knew it was that demon. And so I just said, “No, no, no, you’re not coming back. In Jesus’ name I have authority over you.” And it would leave. And so now it’s been, my goodness, I don’t know how many years, not an ounce of any kind of chest pains or any problem.

**SID:** Well in your own life the doctors told you and your wife you had one chance in 100,000 of having a normal baby born.

**MEL:** That’s right.

**SID:** And I’ll tell you what, when we come back we’ll talk about that. Don’t go away. Be right back.

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**SID:** Hello. **Sid Roth here with Mel Bond.** And Mel, the doctors told you and your wife that you only had one chance in 100,000 of a normal child. You had three stillbirths, or three miscarriages and a baby born deformed. And why did you continue trying to have children with that doctor telling you that?

**MEL:** Because we believe in the Word of God and we stood on God’s word. And so during the night session I was awakened and I see this demon. It was over the top of my wife’s body, the lower parts of her body, and faster than almost than you can think, I mean so quick, it was like I could see throughout infinity out towards the east, eastern skies, and I see this angel come rushing out of the east, and it came down and wrestled with this demon, and then running off out into the southwestern skies, and at that time we were living in St. Charles, Missouri. And then that angel came back and he got on his knees, and he put his hands in the lower parts of my wife’s body. And we have three perfect children.

**SID:** How were you praying back then?

**MEL:** Well to the best of my ability with my whole heart. But more than anything we were just standing on God’s word. We just said God’s word is truth and we’re gonna believe it.

**SID:** Tell me, when you raised your children, did you teach them about discernment, and did they move in discernment?

**MEL:** Absolutely.

**SID:** Did they understand deliverance? Tell me about that.

**MEL:** I would teach my children, as soon as they began to understand and talk, that I would tell them that if they would have flus, colds, fevers, the typical things that children get, and I'd teach them, this is a spirit. This is a demon spirit. And I'd come in there in the bedroom many times during the night session, and that was my job. You know, my wife would do the other things. But I'd come in there and then I'd pray and they'd break it. They'd break it. And I'd say, "Now if that spirit tries to come back you just take authority. You just say, 'In Jesus' name, you can't stay.'" And you'd hear them, the little girls in there, talking in their voices and saying, "Jesus' name." Even one time my middle daughter, her name is Chantelle, she was about three years old, and she says, "Devil, if you come back I'm gonna squash you like a bug."

**SID:** Out of the mouths of babes. I've got a report here, medical report on one of your daughters about her eyesight. She was legally blind. Tell me about that.

**MEL:** Okay. She was legally blind. And, you know, Jesus said in John 16:24, he said, "If two of you ask nothing in my name ask and you shall receive that your joy will be full." Well that word "ask" means more than your just speaking out of your mouth. It says "to crave and to demand what is due." Not demanding God, but to demand the devil get away. "And that my joy be full." Well my joy can't be full if my child, if my baby daughter, Caress, she's blind. And so I got some charts, legal charts, eye charts, and I began, and so I prayed for her. And I looked into the realm of the spirit and I see that the demon spirit of blindness, I command it leave. And so she had perfect, better than perfect eyesight. Better. And so she went back to the medical doctor, and you have the reports.

**SID:** Speaking of medical doctors, tell me about that heart surgeon that came to one of your meetings.

**MEL:** Okay. He was a person that, he said he was a Christian. But he just didn't believe in healings and miracles. And he came to a service in North Carolina, and he said that, well the upshot of the whole thing is let me start back. That I was preaching and when I was preaching I didn't know these people. It was the first time I had ever been to this church in my life. There was 300 people, something like that there. And I look back and I see this man. I see in his chest and I see the demons, and I can tell you where they were wrapped around his arteries on his heart region. And I just told him, I said, "You got problems here," and I described it. And I didn't say it was a demon. I didn't want to scare him. Some people get scared by that. And so I just said, "There's a problem here." And I told him where it was intricately. And then I said, "I'm gonna get rid of it now in Jesus' name." And so I did. And then he got real excited and he says, "I felt that! I felt that!" And he says, "I know it's God because I feel so much better." And then he made the statement. I think he said he's a heart surgeon. He says, "I'm scheduled to have open heart surgery to do exactly what you said." He says, "I want to know where you got your training." I says, "I just got my training from Jesus. He lets me look inside the spirit world and see, look inside the bodies and see if there's things wrong." And he says, "I came to this service to prove that you were a fake." And he says, "Now I know that Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever, and that healing and miracles are real."

**SID:** You know Mel, it's wonderful that you move in this supernatural gift of discernment. But when people read your book or they attend your conferences, do you get many reports of people that start moving in these gifts of discernment?

**MEL:** I would say immediately. I just came from Japan where I did a Masters conference and I had some very incredible ministers that are even friends of Dr. Paul Yonggi Cho that said this is the greatest meeting he's ever been in his life, and it's only 45 minutes, a small meeting. And immediately, in there, I think there was like 95 percent of those ministers, and here we have a language barrier. And there was like 95 percent at least.

**SID:** Started moving into discernment.

**MEL:** Immediately they started seeing in the spirit world and seeing spirits, which is so important, because people need to realize that's the root of all of our problems.

**SID:** Now you talk about love conquers the devil.

**MEL:** Absolutely.

**SID:** Love stops the devil. Explain that.

**MEL:** In the natural world, natural-minded people, if they see a spirit it would horrify them, because it's a dimension they're not familiar with, that they're not schooled in. So they don't believe in it. And so Satan doesn't know about love. Love is a dimension, God's unconditional love is a dimension that Satan knows nothing about. It's the secret place of the most high God. And so when we operate in love that we get into a dimension that absolutely torments the devil, and it's one of the greatest forces. Because what is love? God is love. He is unconditional love. And I think that's one of the major reasons that the devil fights people getting in love. If you read in 1 Corinthians 13, it talks about the nine gifts of the spirit. The devil knows if he fights all the gifts of the spirit, he's got nine battles on his hands. But it says, "If we don't walk in love then none of the gifts are..." So he knows all he has to do is fight us, keep us from operating and living in unconditional love. Then none of the gifts work. None of them work or are factual.

**SID:** So that's probably why his problems between husbands and wives, parents and children, whereas if he can stop this love he wins.

**MEL:** He stops it all. That's right.

**SID:** But if someone moves in love it mystifies him.

**MEL:** Absolutely. We actually, when we walk in love we are walking inside of God. That's the reason the Bible says, "Walk in the spirit." When we walk in love it's just like we're encased by God. We're in the sacred place of the most high God. What's the sacred place? Remember when you were a kid you played Hide and Seek?

**SID:** Right.

**MEL:** The greater that you can hide then you can't be found and the devil can't find us if we get in God's unconditional love.

**SID:** Okay. Last thought.

**MEL:** Well my last thought that I'd like to bring out is in the Book of Mark, the Bible says, "The rich young ruler came to Jesus." And Jesus was giving him the greatest opportunity that he had ever had in his life. And Jesus said there was only one thing that kept him from that, that he wasn't trusting God. That he had fear of trusting God with his finances. And so what I want to say, it's the same thing today. I'd be willing to say that a hundred percent of the time there's only one thing, and it's a demon. There's only thing that keeps people from experiencing the grand finale that God has for them in this life.

**SID:** I've never looked at that, the rich young ruler, that way. So you believe that there is an evil spirit behind just about every physical illness, every problem between people?

**MEL:** I see it, Sid. I see them. I see them. The Lord has shown me how I can do this at my will any time that I want. And I see it. I wish people could see it the way I, and I can train people to where that they can see, too, because it's all in the Word of God, that there's over 700 verses just in the New Testament where it validates, 2 Peter 1:3-4, where it says, "God has already given us all things that pertain to this life and godliness." What's godliness? God likeness. You'll know the truth and the truth will set you free.

**SID:** Do you know the truth? The truth is Jesus died in your place for your sins. And every rotten thing you've done your whole life, everything you're guilty about, the blood of Jesus will wash away and make you clean if you tell him you're sorry. And then when you're clean you ask the King of Love, Jesus, to come and live inside of you. Who wouldn't want love, pure love, God's love living and radiating through you. Make Jesus your Lord. Do it now.