By BRENDA O'NEILL

TV host Chris Tarrant has praised the powers of a world-renowned Ulster falth healer.

The presenter of ITV quiz show Who Wants To Be A Millionaire called the healing hands of south Derry man Danny Gallagher 'a God-given talent'

A seventh son of a seventh son, the Maghera man says he has helped thousands of people overcome illness and crippling pain. According to ancient Celtic lore, the seventh son possesses the power to heaf people by simply touching them Danny said: "When I first met Chris he was a bit sceptical and did use the words fraud and comman but after he saw for himself what I did for people he

soon changed his mind.

"It's his own testimony. He saw it with his own eyes.

At the meeting the scep-tical TV host asked: "You must have had a lot of sceptical people coming to you mying you're a con man, what's your reaction?"

He then said that a lot of the 'miraculous' cures were down to psychological belief rather than Danny's hunds

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But after witnessing people regain their ability to see or walk, Chris told Danny, "You've lived all your life with this God-given talent; well, I've seen it for myself."

At one point Chris asked Danny: "How do you ex-plain it? Is it a miracle?"

Danny said they later talked about many different

"Chris was really nice and we just chatted over tea. I think he was really taken aback.

The faith healer met Chris in Birmingham at one of his healing clinics and recorded their interview.

He now uses the TV host's belief to publicise his healing clinics in Northern Ireland

Danny has travelled world-wide. He is currently holding clinics in Uster and plans to be in Ballymana tomorrow

Tarrant, who regularly fishes in Co Derry, de-scribed the trips as his best ever holidays.





CONVERTED: TV's Chris

SEVENTH SON: Danny