

Jesus, Our Healer

- A. At the conclusion of *Acts*, we find Paul in Rome, trying to convince people about Jesus (28:23-31).
- B. What should we make of these prophetic words, “I would heal them”?

I. Historical Instances of Physical Healing by Jesus

- A. An official whose son was ill (*John 4:46-53*) - The man believed the word that Jesus spoke.
- B. Simon’s mother-in-law with a high fever (*Luke 4:38-39*) - Jesus “rebuked” the fever, and it left.
- C. That evening, all who were sick (*Matt 8:16-17*) - “He took our illnesses and bore our diseases.”
- D. A leper (*Mark 1:40-42*) - “Moved with pity,” Jesus touched him.
- E. A centurion’s servant (*Matt 8:5-13*) - Jesus “marveled” at such faith.
- F. A paralytic (*Mark 2:1-12*) - “The Son of Man has authority on earth to forgive sins.”
- G. A man with a withered hand (*Matt 12:9-13*) - “Of how much more value is a man than a sheep!”
- H. A widow’s son (*Luke 7:11-15*) - Jesus “had compassion on her.”
- I. A woman with a discharge of blood for 12 years (*Matt 9:20-22*) - “Your faith has made you well.”
- J. Jairus’ daughter (*Mark 5:21-24, 35-42*) - “Do not fear, only believe.”
- K. Two blind men (*Matt 9:27-30*) - “Do you believe that I am able to do this?”
- L. An invalid (*John 5:1-9*) - “Do you want to be healed?”
- M. Many who were sick (*Matt 14:34-36*) - “That they might only touch the fringe of his garment.”
- N. A man who was deaf and had a speech impediment (*Mark 7:31-35*) - “Be opened.”
- O. A blind man (*Mark 8:22-25*) - “He saw everything clearly.”
- P. A man born blind (*John 9:1-7*) - “I am the light of the world.”
- Q. A woman who could not fully straighten herself (*Luke 13:10-13*) - “You are freed.”
- R. A man with dropsy (*Luke 14:1-4*) - Jesus “took him and healed him and sent him away.”
- S. Ten lepers (*Luke 17:11-19*) - “Your faith has made you well.”
- T. Lazarus (*John 11:1-44*) - “Lazarus, come out.”
- U. Two blind men (*Matt 20:29-34*) - Jesus “in pity touched their eyes.”
- V. Malchus’ right ear (*Luke 22:47-51*) - “No more of this!”

II. In What Way Do We Need to be Healed (*Acts 28:26-27*)? Without God’s Intervention, We Are...

- A. _____ (*Acts 26:16-18; 2 Pet 1:5-9*)
- B. _____ (*Heb 5:11-14; 2 Tim 4:3-4; Acts 7:57*)
- C. _____ of heart (*Rom 2:4-5; Eph 4:18*)
- D. _____ (*James 1:14-15; Rom 6:23; Col 2:13*)

III. What Can We Learn from Jesus’ Healings?

- A. Jesus is moved with pity and _____ to act on our behalf (*Rom 5:6-8; 1 Pet 2:24*).
- B. “Do you _____ that I am able to do this?” (*Heb 11:6*)
- C. “Do you _____ to be healed?” (*Rom 6:20-21; Acts 2:38*)
- D. “Do not fear, only _____.” (*Heb 2:14-18; John 3:16, 36*)