

JESUS OUR HEALER

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INTRODUCTION: I was first introduced to Jesus the Healer while working at the Youngstown Sheet and Tube Company in Youngstown, Ohio. I knew about His Virgin Birth, and His dying on the cross, but I knew nothing about how He healed everyone who came to Him no matter what their condition was. My Journey began in Matthew, and by the time I read through the Gospel, I was convinced that Jesus detested disease, and was passionate about removing it from peoples lives.

A JOURNEY THROUGH MATTHEW

MT. 4:23-24 – Teaching, preaching and healing everyone.

MT. 8:1-4 – “I will” and a leper is cleansed.

MT. 8:5-13 – “I will come” “not necessary, just say the word!”

MT. 8:14-15 – Peter’s mother-in-law is healed of a fever.

MT. 8:16-17 – All were healed, Isaiah’s prophecy is mentioned.

- **IS. 53:4-5** – The Messiah would bear our sicknesses and carry our pains. One translation says: Surely He has borne our physical maladies, sicknesses, diseases, terminal illnesses and injuries, and carried our pain. Dr. Isaac Leeser Agrees. Orthodox Jews endorsed only his translation at the time.

MT. 9:1-8 – A paralytic is healed and Jesus links sin with sickness.

MT. 9:18-26 – Jairu’s daughter is raised and a blood issue healed.

MT. 9:27-31 – Two blind men are healed, Jesus links healing with faith.

MT. 9:35-36 – Jesus heals everywhere.

MT. 10:1 – Jesus empowers His disciples to help Him heal the sick.

MT. 11:1-6 – Jesus is the Messiah and our healer.

MT. 12:9-15 – A withered hand is restored, “to do well”, healed all!

MT. 14:14 – Compassion moved Jesus to heal all who were sick.

MT. 14:34-36 – Everyone who touched His garment was healed.

MT. 15:21-28 – A Canaanite woman’s daughter is made whole, healing is the children’s bread.

MT. 15:29-31 – Great multitudes including the lame, blind, dumb, maimed and many more were all healed.

TESTIMONY OF A DECEIVED PASTOR

He was 55 years old. He had an incurable disease. The church he started was celebrating their 25th anniversary. He was going to resign because of his health. Brother Hagin told him to let God heal him and not to retire. The pastor said it wasn’t God’s will to heal him. He said at night a light filled his room and he saw a man robed in white who said “it’s not my will to heal you”, then disappeared. Knowing this man asked Hagin to pray for his brother’s salvation, Hagin said “what if I told you a man robed in white appeared and said it wasn’t God’s will to save your brother. What would you say?” He said “it couldn’t be, God’s Word says God’s not willing any should perish.” Hagin said “exactly! And God’s Word says Jesus bore your sickness and carried your pains.” The pastor saw it, received his healing and pastored the church for 17 more years.

IN CLOSING:

1 JOHN 3:8 – Jesus came to destroy the works of the devil.

ACTS 10:38 – Satan is the oppressor, Jesus is the healer.

LUKE 13:16 – Satan binds, Jesus looses.

IS. 53:4-5 – Jehovah laid on Jesus our sin and sickness. Jesus got our healing for us. All we have to do is praise Him for healing us. **1 COR. 11:23-31** – This Sunday come expecting to receive healing while celebrating the Lord’s Supper!