

**FAITH TO BE HEALED**  
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**ACTS 14:7-10**

1. Paul did three things:
  - A. Preached the gospel, perceived the man had faith to be healed, and commanded the man to stand upright.
2. The man did three things.
  - A. Heard Paul speak, had faith, and leaped and walked.
3. The results: a man who never walked, leaped and walked for the first time in his life.

**THE BREAKDOWN**

**V7** – They preached the gospel.

- Who taught Paul the gospel? Jesus did. So He must have told Paul something that connects healing to the gospel.
- **ROMANS 1:16** The gospel is the power of God that saves, heals, delivers and makes whole.
- Since the gospel message involves the death, burial and resurrection of Jesus, Jesus must have told Paul that He also bore our sickness as well as our sins.

**MATTHEW 8:1-17**

**V8** – The man never walked.

- A condition caused by the fall of man.

**V9** – Heard Paul speak.

- It penetrated his heart and soul.
- What could Paul have said: Whatever, it brought faith into his life. The light bulb went on – he saw it!

**V10** – “Stand up right on thy feet”.

- This reveals it takes actions to complete the work of faith. “Go wash”; “take up your bed”; “stretch forth your hand”; “dip seven times”. Whatever the command is, it must be obeyed.

**TESTIMONY:** woman who tore ligaments in her ankle. Faith came when she heard the gospel – that Jesus bore her sickness and carried her pain. She acted on what she heard on her own.

**TESTIMONY:** From **PSALMS 128:1-4 (NLT)** Many who were infertile were able to bear children by listening to what God said in these verses and acting accordingly.

**TESTIMONY:** From **MARK 16:18** A man was leaving work with stomach issues. Through laying on of hands he was instantly healed.

**TESTIMONY:** From **JAMES 5:14-15** A woman with a tumor was in the hospital scheduled for surgery. She was anointed with oil and the tumor dissolved.

**CONCLUSION:**

**PSALMS 107:20** – The word has been sent. It’s up to us to believe it and act upon it.