



# Healing For All

**"The disciple is not above his master, nor the servant above his lord. It is enough for the disciple that he be as his master, and the servant as his lord..." (Matthew 10:24-25).**

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**"Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever" (Hebrews 13:8).**

Our faith in God is often influenced by our perceptions of who God is, which in turn is based on our past knowledge and encounters with God (or the lack of these). The encounter of Jesus with the two blind men brings this out - **"Believe ye that I am able to do this?"** They said unto him, Yea, Lord. **Then touched he their eyes, saying, According to your faith be it unto you"** (Matthew 9:28-29). It was only after their positive response that Jesus touched their eyes. There will always be sceptics who doubt the truth and believe the fictitious. Prophet Isaiah was perplexed by such people when he proclaimed "Who hath believed our report? and to whom is the arm of the LORD revealed?" (Isaiah 53:1). The route to victorious faith is in hearing the word of God. "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God" (Romans 10:17). The miraculous ministry of Jesus Christ gives hope to all today because what He did then, He is still doing today for those who will dare to exercise their faith in Him, because **"Jesus Christ the same yesterday, and to day, and for ever" (Hebrews 13:8).**

"And Jesus went about all Galilee, teaching in their synagogues, and preaching the gospel of the kingdom, and healing all manner of sickness and all manner of disease among the people. And his fame went throughout all Syria: and they brought unto him all sick people that were taken with divers diseases and torments, and those which were possessed with devils, and those which were lunatick, and those that had the palsy; and he healed them. And there followed him great multitudes of people from Galilee, and from Decapolis, and from Jerusalem, and from Judaea, and from beyond Jordan" (Matthew 4:23-25).

In this scripture we learn the following:

1) "Jesus went about all Galilee". Despite being

the son of God, He did not stay in one place for people to come to Him. He went about all Galilee. Towards the end of His earthly ministry, He said to his disciples "... Peace be unto you: **as my Father hath sent me, even so send I you"** (John 20:21); and **"Go ye therefore..."** (Matthew 28:19). When we go as Jesus went, we will experience similar manifestation of power as He did.

- 2) "teaching, ... preaching ... and healing..." Jesus' ministry was balanced. The teaching and the preaching were equally important as the healing. It is those who are well taught that will appreciate and be able to retain their miracles.
- 3) The scope of His healing ministry was all manner of sickness, all manner of disease and deliverance from devils. Our God is not a God of half measures. "And they were beyond measure astonished, saying, **He hath done all things well: he maketh both the deaf to hear, and the dumb to speak"** (Mark 7:37). When God brought Israel out of Egypt, the Bible declares. **"He brought them forth also with silver and gold: and there was not one feeble person among their tribes"** (Psalms 105:37). We must never forget that "For with God nothing shall be impossible" (Luke 1:37).
- 4) News of Jesus' ministry in Galilee spread throughout "all Syria" resulting in their sick and demoniacs being healed and delivered. Our testimonies has power to bring healing and deliverance to others.
- 5) Multitudes from Galilee, Decapolis, Judaea, Jerusalem and beyond Jordan followed Jesus because of what they heard.