

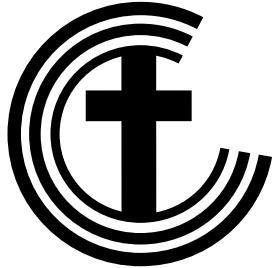
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Matthew 8:1-22 – Questions

How does the text's portrayal of Jesus healing different types of ailments (leprosy, paralysis, fever) reflect the various ways sin can manifest in our lives, and what does this teach us about God's desire to heal us spiritually?

The centurion's faith was praised by Jesus as greater than any in Israel. What can we learn from his understanding of authority and how might we apply this to our own relationship with God?

How does the text's emphasis on Jesus' 'gentlest touch' in healing challenge our perceptions of how God deals with our sins and struggles?



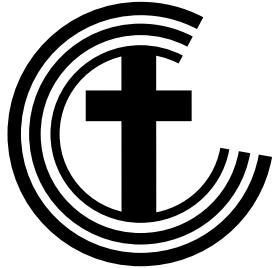
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The text pictures that true healing from Jesus always triggers a response of serving. How might this principle apply to our own spiritual growth and involvement in the church?

What does the text's acknowledgement of demon possession and Jesus' authority over it reveal about spiritual warfare in our lives today?

How does Scripture's interpretation of 'let the dead bury their own dead' challenge our understanding of priorities in following Christ?

The text emphasizes the importance of understanding and applying God's word. How can we cultivate this practice in our daily lives beyond just hearing sermons?



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What does the Scripture's addressing of public recognition for service in the church teach us about the motivations behind our own acts of service?

How does the concept of 'counting the cost' of discipleship, as presented in the text, apply to different stages of our spiritual journey?

The text contrasts the 'biblically revealed Jesus' with the 'culturally defined Jesus'. How can we ensure we're following the former rather than the latter in our own faith walk?