

Jesus Christ Conquers Leprosy - Matthew 8A

Matthew 16:6 Then Jesus said unto them, Take heed and beware of the leaven of the Pharisees and of the Sadducees.

Matthew 23:3 All therefore whatsoever they bid you observe, that observe and do; but do not ye after their works: for they say, and do not.

Matthew 7:28,29 And it came to pass, when Jesus had ended these sayings, the people were astonished at his doctrine: 29 For he taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes.

Matthew 8:1-4 When He was come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed Him. 2 And, behold, there came a leper and worshipped Him, saying, Lord, if Thou wilt, Thou canst make me clean. 3 And Jesus put forth His hand, and touched him, saying, I will; be thou clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed. 4 And Jesus saith unto him, See thou tell no man; but go thy way, shew thyself to the priest, and offer the gift that Moses commanded, for a testimony unto them.

Matthew 8:1 When He was come down from the mountain, great multitudes followed Him.

Matthew 7:21 Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.

Amos 8:11 Behold, the days come, saith the Lord GOD, that I will send a famine in the land, not a famine of bread, nor a thirst for water, but of hearing the words of the LORD:

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Mark 5 6 But when he (Gadarene demoniac) saw Jesus afar off, he ran and worshipped Him,

Mark 10 Summarized of blind Bartimaeus that cried aloud for Jesus to heal him.

Matthew 6:10 Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven.

Luke 10 Summarized of the religious leaders versus the Good Samaritan.

Mark 5 Summarized of the woman with the issue of blood healed

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

1 Thessalonians 5:18 In every thing give thanks: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus concerning you.

Job 1:21 And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither: the LORD gave, and the LORD hath taken away; blessed be the name of the LORD.

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thou clean. And immediately his leprosy was cleansed.

John 11 Summarized of Lazarus raised from the dead.

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Luke 4:21 And he began to say unto them, This day is this scripture fulfilled in your ears.

Concise Bible Dictionary - Leprosy - This loathsome and incurable disease is often mentioned in scripture. Some persons were smitten with leprosy as a direct judgment from God, as were Miriam (though she in grace was subsequently cured), Gehazi, and Amaziah; in the case of Gehazi the disease was to descend also to his seed. God's power alone could cure the leper, as seen in the case of Naaman the Syrian, and in the many lepers that the Lord Jesus cured when on earth. Amaziah dwelt in a separate house, and the lepers were enjoined to proclaim their own condition by calling out, "Unclean, Unclean." Lev 13:45. Leprosy is a vivid type of sin, and its insidious working, producing an unclean condition. Lev. 13 and 14 treat of the way it was to be discovered and dealt with by the priests as those having the mind of God. The instruction in Lev 13:12,13, though seemingly paradoxical, is significant: when the leprosy covered *all* the skin, the priest was to pronounce the man clean: "it is all turned white: he is clean." That is, the leprosy, instead of striking inwards, had worked itself out, typical of a man truly confessing his sin; then the effect only of the defilement remains. Besides leprosy in the *person*, laws were also given as to leprosy in a *garment*, answering to the sin that may be in a person's surroundings, which must be cleansed or destroyed. There is also leprosy in the *house* (when they were come into the land), answering to manifest sin in a christian assembly, which must be removed, or the assembly must be dissolved. Holiness becomes God's house.

Strong's #3014 lepra *lep'-rah* AV-leprosy 4; 1) leprosy 2) a most offensive, annoying, dangerous, cutaneous disease, the virus (bacteria) of which generally pervades the whole body, common in Egypt and the East.

Leviticus 13:1 And the LORD spake unto Moses and Aaron, saying, ...

Leviticus 14:1 And the LORD spake unto Moses, saying, ...

Summarized of the affects of leprosy & what God said to do about it & what to do when healed.

Mark 16:17,18 And these signs shall follow them that believe; In My name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; 18 They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.

Luke 4 Referred to Our Lord Jesus tested in the wilderness.

Exodus 4:6 And the LORD said furthermore unto him (Moses), Put now thine

hand into thy bosom. And he put his hand into his bosom: and when he took it out, behold, his hand *was* leprous as snow.

Exodus 4:3,4 And he said, Cast it on the ground. And he cast it on the ground, and it became a serpent; and Moses fled from before it. 4 And the LORD said unto Moses, Put forth thine hand, and take it by the tail. And he put forth his hand, and caught it, and it became a rod in his hand:

Exodus 4:7,8 And he said, Put thine hand into thy bosom again. And he put his hand into his bosom again; and plucked it out of his bosom, and, behold, it was turned again as his *other* flesh. 8 And it shall come to pass, if they will not believe thee, neither hearken to the voice of the first sign, that they will believe the voice of the latter sign.

Jonah Summarized of Jonah in the fish & his preaching that all got saved in Nineveh.

Jonah 2:9 But I will sacrifice unto thee with the voice of thanksgiving; I will pay that that I have vowed. Salvation is of the LORD.

Numbers 12:10-13 And the cloud departed from off the tabernacle; and, behold, Miriam *became* leprous, *white* as snow: and Aaron looked upon Miriam, and, behold, *she was* leprous. 11 And Aaron said unto Moses, Alas, my lord, I beseech thee, lay not the sin upon us, wherein we have done foolishly, and wherein we have sinned. 12 Let her not be as one dead, of whom the flesh is half consumed when he cometh out of his mother's womb. 13 And Moses cried unto the LORD, saying, Heal her now, O God, I beseech Thee.

Summarized of Moses interceding for Aaron & later for Israelites praying forty days & nights

Numbers 12:14,15 And the LORD said unto Moses, If her father had but spit in her face, should she not be ashamed seven days? let her be shut out from the camp seven days, and after that let her be received in *again*. 15 And Miriam was shut out from the camp seven days: and the people journeyed not till Miriam was brought in *again*.

Numbers 16 Summarized of the murmurings in the wilderness including Korah & company.

2 Chronicles 26:16 But when he was strong, his heart was lifted up to *his* destruction: for he transgressed against the LORD his God, and went into the temple of the LORD to burn incense upon the altar of incense.

1 Samuel 15 Summarized of Saul doing sacrifice before Samuel came.

2 Chronicles 26:17,18 And Azariah the priest went in after him, and with him fourscore priests of the LORD, *that were* valiant men: 18 And they withstood Uzziah the king, and said unto him, *It appertaineth* not unto thee, Uzziah, to burn incense unto the LORD, but to the priests the sons of Aaron, that are consecrated to burn incense: go out of the sanctuary; for thou hast trespassed; neither *shall it be* for thine honour from the LORD

God.

Referred to Zachariah offering incense when the angel predicted of John his son.

2 Chronicles 26:19,20 Then Uzziah was wroth, and *had* a censer in his hand to burn incense: and while he was wroth with the priests, the leprosy even rose up in his forehead before the priests in the house of the LORD, from beside the incense altar. 20 And Azariah the chief priest, and all the priests, looked upon him, and, behold, he *was* leprous in his forehead, and they thrust him out from thence; yea, himself hasted also to go out, because the LORD had smitten him.

Exodus 30:21 So they shall wash their hands and their feet, that they die not: and it shall be a statute for ever to them, even to him and to his seed throughout their generations.

1 Peter 1:15 But as he which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation;

2 Chronicles 26:21-23 And Uzziah the king was a leper unto the day of his death, and dwelt in a several house, *being* a leper; for he was cut off from the house of the LORD: and Jotham his son *was* over the king's house, judging the people of the land. 22 Now the rest of the acts of Uzziah, first and last, did Isaiah the prophet, the son of Amoz, write. 23 So Uzziah slept with his fathers, and they buried him with his fathers in the field of the burial which *belonged* to the kings; for they said, He *is* a leper: and Jotham his son reigned in his stead.

Job 1:21 And said, Naked came I out of my mother's womb, and naked shall I return thither: the LORD gave, and the LORD hath taken away; blessed be the name of the LORD.

Matthew 10:8 Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out devils (demons): freely ye have received, freely give.

Luke 10:19 Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you.

Romans 16:20 And the God of peace shall bruise Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen.

Galatians 6 Referred to the different gifts of the Holy Spirit.

James 5:14 Is any sick among you? let him call for the elders of the church; and let them pray over him, anointing him with oil in the name of the Lord: