

Facedown at the Feet of Jesus

Mark 1:39-45

The Restorative Work of Jesus: Leper Edition

- 1) The _____ shown by Jesus (v. 39-40)
- 2) The _____ felt by Jesus (v. 41-42)
- 3) The _____ offered by Jesus (v. 43-45)

The Care Shown by Jesus (vs. 39-40)

Portrait of Leprosy:

Posture of the Leper:

On his _____

Begging for _____

With _____

Problem with this Encounter:

The Compassion Felt by Jesus (vs. 41-42)

The Impossible and Unthinkable- Jesus _____ the man

Jesus touched him- revealing His _____

Jesus touched him- making him _____

Jesus touched him- restoring his _____ and _____

Jesus touched him- commanding him to be _____

The Cleansing Offered by Jesus (vs. 43-45)

The Old Testament Connection: Laws About Leprosy (Leviticus 13 and 14)

The Role of the Priest:

- 1) The priest would go _____ to examine the sick
- 2) The priest declared someone _____ or _____
- 3) The priest performed the steps of ceremonial _____

The Gift that Moses Commanded:

- 1) Sacrifices that restored a person into _____

Two birds (symbolizing life and death)

Fresh water and blood (symbolizing life and purity)

Cedar wood, scarlet yarn, and hyssop (symbolizing life and purity)

- 2) Sacrifices that restored a person into _____ with God

Lamb- guilt offering and sin offering

Oil- presentation (wave) offering

Why was this necessary?