



Beyond the Sermon

A Sermon Application Guide

Title: Unleashing Gospel Power

This guide is designed to offer a simple tool for those wanting to take the next step with Sunday's message. You can print this guide to study on your own, or use it in a group and experience transformation together.

Prayer

"Thank you Jesus for your faithfulness and mercy. You have been and always will be a perfect father. Thank you God for all the opportunities, even just this week, to be able to turn to you rather than the world. Help me continue to get better at turning to you. I am thankful for the ways you have blessed me and the things you have taught me. Amen."

Message Theme

The Healing Power Of God

Key Truths

If we don't water our faith, it won't grow. Reading the word, spending time with God, and stepping out in faith are ways to grow in our faith and trust.

In the Old Testament, we read that human's sins were still held against them. Then to reconcile mankind to God, there was one sacrifice that paid for all people, for all time. Now in the New Testament we don't live by the same law and our sins are forgiven through Christ.

By looking at Jesus, we can see exactly what God is like. Jesus went around doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil. God didn't send sickness. The devil introduced brokenness to the world and God sent Jesus to heal.

When Jesus went to his hometown he could not do any mighty works because of their unbelief. A lot of times we can think that God will just heal us if he wants to but that's not true. Our unbelief can get in the way of us receiving what God has for us. We can have faith and unbelief at the same time and they work against each other. If we can deal with our unbelief, it will stop working against us. If we pray for someone and don't see immediate healing, it doesn't mean it's not God's will for them to be healed. Healing can be in an instant but most of the time it is a process.

Practical Application

Some things to keep in mind this week:

1. There is more to salvation than being forgiven and going to heaven. Part of being saved is receiving healing.
2. We are sons and daughters of Abraham and are heirs according to the promise. Healing was purchased for us. All of us.

Reference Verses

- 1 Corinthians 3:6
- Hebrews 1:2
- 2 Corinthians 5:19, 5:21
- Acts 10:38
- Matthew 8:16
- Mark 9:17-27, 6:4-6, 16:17-18
- James 5:14
- Numbers 21:6--9
- John 3:14-15
- Luke 13:10-17, 18:35-43
- Galatians 3:29
- Deuteronomy 28:16-68
- Psalms 145:8-9, 136:1-10
- Isaiah 30:18
- Hebrews 6:2

Declarations

“God is faithful and has my best interest in mind. He is not out to get me and does not cause bad things in my life. God is a perfect Father that brings life, light, and love. I will trust God when it comes to each area of my life and I will not shy away from Him. He loves me dearly and created me to be a blessing.”

What's Next?

Now it's time to write down anything the Lord has spoken to you. Praise Him, Thank Him and ask the Holy Spirit to help you walk this out.

Scripture References

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1 Corinthians 3:6 NKJV I planted, Apollos watered, but God gave the increase.

Isaiah 53:4 LESSER But only our diseases did He bear Himself, and our pains He carried.

Isaiah 53:4 BASIC ; while to us He seemed as one diseased, on whom God's punishment had come.

Isaiah 53:4 MASORETIC Surely our diseases did He bear, and our pains He carried...

Isaiah 53:4 ROTHERHAM Yet surely our sicknesses He carried, and as for our pains, He carried the burden of them.

Isaiah 53:4 SMITH, J.M. Yet it was our sicknesses that He bore, our pains that He carried.

Isaiah 53:5 NKJV ...by His stripes we are healed.

Isaiah 53:5 LESSER ...Through His bruises was healing granted to us.

Isaiah 53:5 ROTHERHAM ...By His stripes there is healing for us.

Isaiah 53:5 MOFFATT ...The blows that fell to Him have brought us healing.

Isaiah 53:5 GOOD NEWS BIBLE We are healed by the punishment He suffered, made whole by the blows He received.

Isaiah 53:5 YOUNG'S ...by his bruise there is healing to us.

Isaiah 53:5 AMPC ...and with the stripes [that wounded] Him we are healed and made whole.

Matthew 12:28 NKJV But if I cast out demons by the Spirit of God, surely the kingdom of God has come upon you.

Matthew 10:7-8 NKJV And as you go, preach, saying, 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' Heal the sick, cleanse the lepers, raise the dead, cast out demons. Freely you have received, freely give.

Luke 10:2 NKJV Then He said to them, "The harvest truly is great, but the laborers are few; therefore pray the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into His harvest.

Luke 10:3&8 NKJV Go your way; behold, I send you out as lambs among wolves...Whatever city you enter, and they receive you, eat such things as are set before you. And heal the sick there, and say to them, 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.'

1 Peter 1:18-19 NKJV ...knowing that you were not redeemed with corruptible things, like silver or gold, from your aimless conduct received by tradition from your fathers, but with the precious blood of Christ, as of a lamb without blemish and without spot.

Colossians 1:13 NKJV He has delivered us from the power of darkness and conveyed us into the kingdom of the Son of His love...

Colossians 1:13 BARCLAY It was He who rescued us from the grip of the power of darkness...

Colossians 1:13 JORDAN It was the Father who sprang us from the jailhouse of darkness, and turned us loose in the new world of His beloved Son.

Colossians 1:13 BASIC Who has made us free from the power of evil and given us a place in the kingdom of the Son of His love.

Romans 1:16 NKJV For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God to salvation for everyone who believes, for the Jew first and also for the Greek.

Romans 1:16 NKJV ...salvation for everyone who believes...

2 Corinthians 5:21 NKJV For He made Him who knew no sin to be sin for us, that we might become the righteousness of God in Him.

Matthew 8:16-17 NKJV When evening had come, they brought to Him many who were demon-possessed. And He cast out the spirits with a word, and healed all who were sick, that it might be fulfilled which was spoken by Isaiah the prophet, saying: "He Himself took our infirmities And bore our sicknesses."

2 Corinthians 11:4 NKJV For if he who comes preaches another Jesus whom we have not preached, or if you receive a different spirit which you have not received, or a different gospel which you have not accepted—you may well put up with it!

Galatians 3:13-14 NKJV Christ has redeemed us from the curse of the law, having become a curse for us (for it is written, "Cursed is everyone who hangs on a tree"), that the blessing of Abraham might come upon the Gentiles in Christ Jesus, that we might receive the promise of the Spirit through faith.

Deuteronomy 28:15-68 NKJV

Exodus 15:26 NKJV " For I am the Lord who heals you."

Psalms 138:2 NKJV For You have magnified Your word above all Your name.

Psalms 89:34 NKJV My covenant I will not break, Nor alter the word that has gone out of My lips.

2 Peter 1:2-4 NKJV Grace and peace be multiplied to you in the knowledge of God and of Jesus our Lord, as His divine power has given to us all things that pertain to life and godliness, through the knowledge of Him who called us by glory and virtue, by which have been given to us exceedingly great and precious promises, that through these you may be partakers of the divine nature, having escaped the corruption that is in the world through lust.

2 Corinthians 1:20 NKJV For all the promises of God in Him are Yes, and in Him Amen...

1 Peter 5:8-9 NKJV Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil walks about like a roaring lion, seeking whom he may devour. Resist him, steadfast in the faith...

Matthew 15:22-28 NKJV And behold, a woman of Canaan came from that region and cried out to Him, saying, "Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David! My daughter is severely demon-possessed." But He answered her not a word. And His disciples came and urged Him, saying, "Send her away, for she cries out after us." But He answered and said, "I was not sent except to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." Then she came and worshiped Him, saying, "Lord, help me!" But He answered and said, "It is not good to take the children's bread and throw it to the little dogs." And she said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their masters' table." Then Jesus answered and said to her, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be to you as you desire." And her daughter was healed from that very hour.