

# FTK: KINGDOM CARING

Sermon Series : For the Kingdom

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*“People brought anybody with an ailment, whether mental, emotional, or physical. Jesus healed them, one and all. More and more people came, the momentum gathering.”*

(Matt 4:24)

Kingdom Caring is:

1. Done in the Spirit's power (Luke 4:14-19)
2. The evidence of Authentic Faith (Matt 25:31-40; Jas 2:14-17)
3. Ultimately Found in Jesus (Matt 11:28-30; Her 4:9-16)
4. Ultimately Fulfilled in the New Heaven & New Earth (Rev 21:1-5)
5. About encouraging focus & perseverance (Heb 12:1-3)

Matt 10:5-8

[ The stories, videos, and campaign info can be accessed at:  
<http://www.forthekingdom.build> ]

## QUESTIONS

1. At Grace Chapel we value “soul care”. How does a broken spirit affect a person's:
  - a. Relationship with God?
  - b. Participation in the church?
  - c. Ministry in the world?

If you're comfortable, share an example from your own life?

2. What is the difference between caring in our “flesh” and caring by the empowerment of the Spirit? (cf. Flesh vs Spirit in Gal 3; Rom 6; etc).
3. Community is a key instrument of God's grace
  - a. How does God use community (eg. your Group) to bring healing to our souls?
  - b. How do we position/posture ourselves to best receive the ministry of community?
4. (If there are any “soul care” needs, take time to speak encouragement into each other's lives and pray for God's healing power.)