



Service Handouts – 1 & 2
September 25, 2019 and October 2, 2019

GOD'S WILL TO HEAL

1. Luke 5:12

- a. The man with leprosy had an advanced case, which was considered a living death.
- b. Millions of people are still asking same question today. They know God can heal but are not sure if He is willing to heal them.
- c. The greatest barrier to the faith of many seeking bodily healing in our day is the uncertainty in their minds as to it being the will of God to heal all. Nearly everyone knows that God does heal some, but there is much in modern theology that keeps people from knowing what the Bible clearly teaches—that healing is provided for all. It is impossible to boldly claim, by faith, a blessing that we are not sure God offers. The power of God can be claimed only where the will of God is known.

2. Luke 5:13-14

- a. I will, be thou clean. In other words, of course I will!
 - The first thing Christ did was to correct the leper's theology by saying, "I will, be thou clean." Christ's "I will" cancelled the leper's "if." This added to his faith that Christ *could* heal him, with the fact that He *would* heal him.
- c. Healing is for all mankind everywhere.
- d. It is as much God's will for you to be healed as it is for you to be saved.
- e. Jesus went to the cross spirit, soul and body to redeem us spirit, soul and body.
- f. Go through the gospels and note the "all's" and the "every's" and you will see that the redemptive blessing of healing is for *all*.
 - Matthew 4:23-25
 - Matthew 9:35-36; 10:1
 - Matthew 12:15
 - Matthew 14:14; 34-36
 - Luke 6:17-19

3. Three reasons why Christians don't receive their healing:

- a. They don't know that it is God's will for them to be healed. His will for us is found in His Word, the Bible. Faith begins where the will of God is known.
- b. What's been provided by grace must be received by faith. Look at Romans 5:1-2.
- c. Many don't obey and follow God's plan for their lives.

4. Examples

- a. Healing scriptures where the individual's faith was emphasized.
 - Mathew 9:27-30
 - Mark 9: 20-23
 - John 4:46-54

- Luke 5:17-26
- Matthew 8:5-13
- Mark 5:25-34
- Mark 10:50-52
- Luke 17:12-19
- Mark 10:46-52
- Matthew 15:21-28

“Are you saying that my faith can make me whole?” Absolutely not. I’m not saying it – Jesus said it.

Friend, this is good news. What if the doctors have run every test and exhausted every drug, and they say, “I’m sorry, but there’s nothing we can do?” Can you still be healed? Yes. Your faith can make you whole, and it’s easier than you think.