

Series “Behold Your King”
“Just Say The Word”
Matthew 8:5-13
Part–45

Matthew 8-10 Matthew Introduces us to the Authority of the King.

Matthew arranged his material in a topical order, rather than a chronological order.

Outline:

1. Verses – 5-9 The Faith That Leads To Jesus:
2. Verse – 10 The Faith That Makes God Marvel:
3. Verses – 11-12 The Faith That Leads To Heaven:
4. Verse – 13 The Faith That Makes One Whole:

1. Verses – 5-9 The Faith That Leads To Jesus:

“Capernaum” means “Village of Consolation, City of Consolation.”

Matthew 4:13-17

Luke 7:1-10

Centurion - is equivalent to a modern-day Army Captain.

Centurion’s were Gentiles.

Acts 10 Cornelius.

Centurion’s were Wealthy.

Luke 7:5 for he loves our nation, and it was he who built us our synagogue."

Matthew 2:1-2; Matthew 28:19-20

Let us note 6 things about this mans encounter with Jesus:

1. He Came In Humility: entreating Him, Literally “begging or imploring one who is superior” As a servant seeking from the hand of one’s master.

Matthew 8:6

2. He Came Acknowledging Jesus As His Master: and saying, "Lord, Is the equivalent of calling Jesus deity “God.” (supreme One); supreme in authority, controller; God, Lord, Master”)

3. He Came For The Need Of Another: my servant Luke 7:2

Matthew 8:7

Acts 10:28

"I will come and heal him." Either this is "Presumption" or "Divine Promise!"

Matthew 8:8

4. He Came Knowing His Own Unworthiness:

We must see ourselves as sinners:

The Book Genesis teaches and the rest of the Bible reveals:

1. Man was created: (Master Designer)
2. Man has fallen: (Depraved sinner by nature and choice)
3. Man needs to be redeemed: (Man needs a new birth)

5. He Came Trusting The Sufficiency Of God's Word: but just say the word,

Matthew 8:9

6. He Came Acknowledging Jesus As The Authority Of God: "For I, too, am a man under authority, with soldiers under me;

2. Verse – 10 The Faith That Makes God Marvel:

He marveled, The word marveled – "To wonder, a wonderful thing, a marvel, marvelous" Jesus was "Amazed or Marveled."

Mark 6:6

Why Would Jesus Say This?

- This Man's Background:
- The Man's Occupation:
- The Man's Wealth:
Luke 18:24-25
- The Man's Certainty:
Hebrews 11:1

3. Verses – 11-12 The Faith That Leads To Heaven:

Isaiah 25:6

Micah 4:2

Matthew 8:12

The Bible speaks of the torment of darkness in hell (Matthew 8:12; 22:13; 25:30; 2 Peter 2:17).

The Bible speaks of the torment of no rest (Revelation 14:11).

The Bible tells of a torment that produces weeping and gnashing of teeth (Matthew 8:12).

A place of separation: Those who are in hell are eternally separated from the presence of God (2 Thessalonians 1:9).

A place “where [the] worm does not die, and the fire is not quenched.” Mark 9:44

4. Verse – 13 The Faith That Makes One Whole:

Matthew 8:13

Application:

The very essence of faith is ...

1. Humility - being humble before Him. (We need to seek Him)
2. Believing - in God's power. (Not a formula)
3. Knowing - our own unworthiness. (Sinner by nature and choice)
4. Trusting - in His care. (Faith not feelings)