

43) What (2) two things can the Lord do for such Christians.(James 5:15)

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b) \_\_\_\_\_

44) What kind of Prayer will save the sick? ( James 5:15)

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45) What (2) two things did the disciples pray that God would do in the name of Jesus? ( Acts 4:30)

a) \_\_\_\_\_

b) \_\_\_\_\_

46) When the disciples went out and preached, what (2) two things did the Lord do for them? (Mark 16:20)

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b) \_\_\_\_\_

## **Roadblocks To Healing**

**Memory Scriptures – Mark 11:25,26- 1st Cor 13:13; Gal 5:6: James 1:15; 2<sup>nd</sup> Kings 5:1-27; Matt 18:23-25**

**Central Truth: Faith worketh by LOVE.**

- 1) There are many roadblocks to receiving healing.
  - a) Sin leads to sickness and death (James 1:15)
  - b) Unforgiveness will cancel every prayer.
  - c) Healing will not work if we are not walking in love.
  
- 2) Healing will not happen if there is sin in your life.
  - a) Sin is the nature and the workings of the devil.
  - b) Healing is God's nature.
  - c) Sin and healing don't mix.
  
- 3) Unforgiveness will cancel every prayer.
  - a) God can't forgive (heal) us if we don't forgive others.
  - b) Your prayer will not work with unforgiveness in your heart.
  - c) Read Matt 18:21-35
  
- 4) Faith worketh by love.
  - a) Faith and Love are both part of the nature of God.
  - b) You can't have one without the other.
  - c) Love never fails.

## **(31) Thirty-one Bible reasons why Christ heals today**

- 1) Divine healing is a statute and ordinance of God. ( Ex 15:24,25)
- 2) God made a covenant of healing with his people. ( Ex 15:26)
- 3) Christ revealed as Jehovah Rapha healed his people in the Old Testament Days. (Ex 15:24-26; 1st Cor 10:1)
- 4) Christ not only healed in the Old Testament Days, but promised his people divine health. (Ex 23;25; Deut 7:15; Ps 105:37)
- 5) Christ healed in Old Testament Days because sickness was a curse and Christ has redeemed His people from the curse. ( Gal 3:13)
- 6) Christ showed his Will concerning the healing of the sick by his ministry while on earth. MaTt 4:23,24; Matt 10:1; Luke 10:9; He healed them all. ( Luke 6: 17-19; Matt 14:14; Matt 15:30,31; Matt 12:15)
- 7) Christ heals today because he gave the promise of healing in the great Commission. (Mark 16:15-18)
- 8) After Christ left the earth, His healing ministry was carried on by the New Testament Church. (John 14:12 , John 20:21, Mark 16:20, Acts 5:12,16, Acts 8:7,8; Rom 15:19)
- 9) Christ heals today because the ordinance of healing was given to the church. (James 5:14-16)
- 10) Christ heals because he has given gifts of healing to the New Covenant Church. (1st Cor 12:9)
- 11) Christ heals the sick today because He has promised to give whatever we ask in His name . (John 14:13, 14; Mark 11:22-24)
- 12) Christ heals because divine healing is in the atonement ( Is 53:3-5; Matt 8:16,17)

- 13) Christ healing is a fulfillment of prophecy. ( Is 53:3-5; Luke 4:18,19)
- 14) Christ healed to fulfill the Old Testament scriptural types. ( Num 21: 5-9, John 3:14,25)
- 15) Jesus healed to prove and confirm His Mission. ( John 10:36-38; Luke7:21-23)
- 16) Christ heals today because he is doing the Will of God and confirming God's promises of healing for all generations. (John 6:38; Act s10:38)
- 17) Healing is one of the benefits of God to his people, and we have a better covenant today than the Old Testament believer. ( Ps 103:1-3; Heb 8:6)
- 18) Jesus heals because He is the same, yesterday, today and forever. ( Heb 13:8; Mal 3:6; Luke 21:33)
- 19) Christ heals because the nature of God is against all evil disease, God is light and there is no darkness in him at all. Only good things come from God. (Gen 1:3,4; Deut 7:15; John 8:12; James 1:7)
- 20) Christ heals because of his compassion. (Mark 1:41; Matt 14:14; Matt 20:34)  
His mercy endureth forever.( Luke 16:24; Ps 136:1-25; Ps 145:8,9)
- 21) Christ heals because divine healing is the children's bread. ( Mark 7:27)
- 22) Christ heals today because the New Testament believer is the seed of Abraham through Christ. ( Luke 13:11-16; Gal 3:7,9,13,14,26;29; Gen 24:1)
- 23) Christ heals because Satan is behind sickness and Jesus came that He might destroy the works of the devil. ( Acts 10:38; Ist John 3:8; Job 2:7)
- 24) Christ heals because all that God promises in his Word through Christ, He says Yes to it and Amen. ( 2<sup>nd</sup> Cor 1:20)
- 25) Christ desires the child of God to be in health. ( 3rd John 2:2)
- 26) Christ heals because it gives God glory. Sickness does not glorify God. ( Luke 13:13; Luke 17:11-15; Luke 18:35-43; Matt 9:1-8; Matt 15:29-31; Acts 3:1-8; Acts 4:21)

27) Christ heals because it is a powerful means to win souls for Christ. (1st Kings 17:20,24; Mark 5:1-19 ; Mark 6:12,13)

28) Christ heals because God has given man dominion over sickness, disease, and the devil. (Luke 4:6; Luke 10:17-19; James 4:7)

29) Christ heals by his Word and all the many promises of healing from his Word , that are for all generations. ( Ps 107:20; Ps 103:1-5; Ps 91:10; Is 53:5; Matt 8:17)

30) Christ heals because he came to give us life and life more abundantly. ( John 10:10; 2<sup>nd</sup> Pet 1:3,4)

31) Christ heals today because it is a part of the Gospel of the Kingdom of God that Jesus preached. ( Mark 1:14; Luke 10:9; Matt 6:10).