



## Session 3: Is It God's Will to Heal the Sick?

\* If we question whether it is His will when we pray for healing, then we cannot pray in faith.

- **James 1:6-8**

\* How can we know that it is always God's will to heal?

### **1.) God's Word promises healing!**

\* The Word of God is the Will of God.

**Matthew 8:1-3; Exodus 15:26; Psalm 103:2-3; Isaiah 53:5; III John 2; James 5:15;**

### **2.) Jesus ministered healing to all!**

\* When we look at the ministry of Jesus, we see that He healed all.

\* Jesus carried out the Will of His Father when He ministered and this included healing the sick (John 4:34).

- **Matthew 4:23; Matthew 8:16; Matthew 12:15; Matthew 14:35-36;**

**Matthew 15:30; Acts 10:38**

\* Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today and forever (Hebrews 13:8).

### **3.) God is no respecter of persons!**

- **Acts 10:34**

\* God loves every person the same.

\* Everything that God offers, He offers to all.

\* Why would God be willing to heal some and not be willing to heal others?

#### **4.) It's always God's Will to save!**

\* We know that it is God's Will to save any sinner who cries out in repentance.

##### **- II Peter 3:9**

\* On several occasions in the New Testament, the word “saved” comes from the Greek word “sozo”.

##### **Mark 16:16**

- “sozo” – to save; to rescue from danger or destruction;

- The word “sozo” is sometimes translated “healed” in Scripture.

##### **Matthew 9:21**

(“sozo” is also translated “healed” in Mark 6:56, 10:52 & Acts 14:9)

\* Physical healing is part of salvation.

##### **- Psalm 103:2-3**

\* If we believe it is always God's Will to heal, why can't we believe that it is always His Will to heal the sick.

#### **Conclusion:**

\* Let's remove the “if” from our prayers for healing, and become confident that God Wills to heal the sick.

\* We need to feed our faith by feeding on God's Word!