Is It God's Will To Heal?

Text: Matthew 12:15 - "...great multitudes followed Him, and He healed them all."


Nowhere in the N.T. can you find in Jesus healing ministry, that He refused to heal anyone that came to Him.

Matt. 13:58 - "And He did not many mighty works there, because of their unbelief."

In the Centurion's servant story, Jesus told the Centurion in Matt. 8:13 - "...Go thy way; and as thou hast believed..." Notice the phrase, "as thou hast believed." The responsibility of believing lies upon us. Jesus has done all that He will ever do on Calvary. That's why He said in John 19:30 - "It is finished." Jesus has literally done EVERYTHING we need. All we have to do is believe no matter how bad the storm or severe the test.

Matt. 9:29 is another example of how our faith sees us through the situations we face in this earthly life. "According to your faith, be it unto you." W O W !

Other References: Matt. 21:22 - "And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive."


Why do people think it's not God's will to heal when Jesus "went about doing good, and healing all that were oppressed of the devil; for God was with Him." - Acts 10:38

John 10:10 tells us that "The thief cometh not, but for to steal, and to kill, and to destroy: I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly."

1 John 3:8(b) - "For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil." If it's in the steal, kill, or destroy category, satan is the author of it. God wants to bless us."
"Life more abundantly" is what Jesus wants to give us. What good father or parent wants to kill their children or make them sick? How much more does our Heavenly Father want to give us good things.


God wants us to learn by His Word, by Christian teachers, pastors, prophets, apostles, evangelists, and the Holy Spirit.

(See: John 16:13 & 14)

You wouldn't teach a child not to play with fire by allowing him to feel the burns of the flames would you? Neither will God give us cancer or such sicknesses, to teach us a lesson!

Why would He be the Author of such disastrous diseases when Jesus clearly came to save us and heal us? God wouldn't put cancer or any other sickness on us. If that was so, then why would Jesus come as our Healer to take away sickness? If sickness was from God, then we shouldn't see a doctor or go to a hospital to get medical help, or we'd be fighting against the will of God to "teach us a lesson". How absurd!

Remember, John 10:10 and I John 3:8 we've previously discussed? Let's look at Isaiah 53:5 and I Peter 2:24, to see the reasons why Jesus took those 39 stripes on His back.

Isaiah 53:5 - "But He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities: the chastisement of our peace was upon Him; and with His stripes we are healed."

Here's the 3 distinct categories of Jesus redemptive work He did for us on the cross.

1) "He was wounded for our transgressions, He was bruised for our iniquities..."

EXPLANATION: This is the spiritual work (the forgiveness of our sins) that Jesus did for us. The Spirit part.

2) "...the chastisement of our peace was upon Him..."
EXPLANATION: This is the emotional, soulish part (our mind, emotion and will) that we have within us.

3) "...and with His stripes, we are healed."

EXPLANATION: This last category is our physical. The body, the outward (and inner physical) needs that are important for our health. It's crucial that our physical body remains vibrant, whole, and pain free, so we can serve the Lord to the best of our ability.

If Jesus paid the price for our spiritual (and most people and denominations accept this truth), then doesn't it make sense by Isaiah 53:5, that He also paid the price for our healing?

Let's look at 1 Peter 2:24 - "...by whose stripes ye were healed."

The conditions stated before this last phrase in verse #24, is worth noting. "...That we being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness..."

Jesus wants us holy (Lev. 20:7; Eph. 1:4; Eph. 5:27; 1 Peter 1:15 & 16), free from sin (1 Cor. 15:34; Ro. 6:12), and living a life of righteousness (Eph. 6:14; 1 Tim. 6:11; II Tim. 2:22).

We can live a holy, dedicated life to God by faith, as we continue to focus on Jesus and not our imperfections. When we become born again, the Holy Spirit immediately comes to live within our spirit. His job is to mold us to be like Jesus. We can, too. It's a faith walk. As we become more in love with Jesus, we'll want to please Him and shine out as a light in a much darkened world. (Matt. 5:16)

Many Christians today give up when they don't see a quick manifestation of their healing. Don't give up or let your faith weaken! Build up your faith by the healing scriptures of the Word of God.

SEE: Psalms 107:20 - "He sent His Word and healed them, and delivered them from their destructions."

"What things so ever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them."  (Mark 11:24)

Matt. 21:22 - "And all things, whatsoever ye shall ask in prayer, believing, ye shall receive."

Are you ready to believe that "With God all things are possible"? (Matt. 19:26)

You can be healed because the Word says "by whose stripes ye were healed" in 1 Peter 2:24.

So, if it's past tense, then know it can manifest into present tense right now. Jesus already paid the price. Remember, He never turned anyone away who came to Him for healing. He won't turn you away either, if you believe.

"Only believe".  (Mark 5:36)

"Believe only".  (Luke 8:50)

Closing Remarks:  Don't ever doubt God's ability (power), or availability (desire) to heal you ever again.  Is it God's will to heal you?  It most certainly is.

"But let him ask in faith, nothing wavering..." - James 1:6.

Don't be moved by what you see, Just be moved by what you believe.  Ask in faith without a doubt, Surely God will bring you out.

Trust in Him with all your needs, He'll answer you, wait and see.

Your miracle isn't hard to get, Stand on His Word and don't you fret.

Be patient till the answer comes, He'll see your faith and say, "Well done".

No fight is a fight that's easily won, But you will win if you waver none.
This journey of life will soon be 'ore, And you'll be standing on heaven's shore.

So don't quit now or you'll regret You missed your breakthrough, Cause He's not finished yet.

HEALING IS FOR TODAY! "JESUS CHRIST THE SAME YESTERDAY, AND TODAY, AND FOREVER."

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