

THE GOSPEL

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Greek word definitions.

OF JESUS CHRIST Born Of The HOLY SPIRIT

JESUS HEALS A LAME MAN ON THE SABBATH DAY IN JERUSALEM, 28 AD.

JESUS would go up to Jerusalem during the Feast Day, and here **HE** would heal a man who had been ill for 38 years. The religious rulers were already plotting **His** death a year into **His** Ministry. And they were watching.

John Chapter 5:1 "After this there was a Feast of the Jews; and **JESUS** went up to Jerusalem.

John 5:2 "Now there is at Jerusalem by the sheep market (gate) a pool, which is called in Hebrew tongue Bethesda, having five porches. (the name of the pool is **Bethesda**: bay-thes-dah' = house of kindness, mercy. **Having five porches**. (a covered colonnade) The place sounds very inviting and accommodating to the sick people.

5:3 "In these lay a great multitude of impotent folk, of blind, halt, withered, waiting for the moving of the water. (Sounds so much like our modern world, with so many feeble people down on their back. **Blind**: typhlos, toof-los' = opaque, smoky. **Halt**: kho-los' = half limping, lame. **Withered**: xay-ros' = arid, shrunken, dry skin. **Waiting for**: ek-dekh'-om-ahee = to accept from some source. **The moving** (stirring) **of the water**. (Reminds me of the HOLY SPIRIT).

5:4 "For an angel went down at a certain season into the pool, and troubled the water: whosoever then first after the troubling of the water stepped in was made whole of whatsoever disease he had. (Now, this all may seem very remotely possible to us, but let's look at the words. **angel**: angelos, ang'-el-os = to bring tidings, a messenger, by implication a pastor. Even as today's Pastor is bringing the Message of Healing from GOD'S WORD; The HOLY SPIRIT Is Stirring Up our Faith to Receive our Healing. **Went down at a certain season**: Kairos, kahee-ros' = set or proper time. I believe when we go to Church, this can also be Our Season for Prayer and Healing. But, in this late day, to many avoid going into the pool. The Pastor can **Stir the water**, and they shy away from going in. But, if they are willing to come to the Altar for Prayer. **whosoever then first after the troubling of the water stepped in**: embaino, em-ba'hee-no = to walk on, embark aboard a vessel, come get into, enter into, step in. **was made**: ginomai, ghin'-om-ahee = to cause to be, or come into being.

whole: hoog-ee-ace' = healthy, well in body, true in doctrine, sound, whole. Here we see where hearing the sound doctrine of healing, is part of our physical healing. **Of whatsoever disease he had**. Let's expel all doubt, when going for prayer, no disease holds power against... **JESUS Christ's Healing Power**.

5:5 "And a certain man was there, which had an infirmity thirty eight years. (many people spend to much of their lives sick).

5:6 "When **JESUS** saw him lie, and knew that he had been now a long time in that case, **HE** said unto him, **Wilt thou be made whole?** (**Wilt thou**: thel'-o = desire, delight in, choose, prefer, to determine. **be made**: ginomai = to become. **Whole**: hoog-ee-ace' = healthy, well in body, true in doctrine, sound, whole).

5:7 "The impotent man answered Him, Sir, I have no man, when the water is troubled, to put me into the pool: but while I am coming, another steps down before me. (Don't let others going up hinder you from coming to the Altar for Prayer For Your Healing).

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MY FATHER WORKS UNTIL NOW, AND I WORK. ---JESUS CHRIST.

5:8 "JESUS said to him, Rise, take up your bed, and walk. (Rise: egeiro, eg-i'-ro = stand up, rouse, collect your faculties. Take up your bed (pallet) and walk: per-ee-pat-eh'-o = to tread all around, walk at large, as proof of ability, be occupied, deport oneself.

5:9 "And immediately the man was made whole, and took up his bed, and walked: and on the same day was the sabbath. (not only did this man get up, he picked up his pallet, and walked. This would give the religious critics reason to accuse the man walking and carrying his bed on the sabbath, and JESUS).

5:10 "The Jews therefore said unto him that was cured, It is the sabbath day: it is not lawful for you to carry your bed. (It was considered unlawful, and even punishable by stoning. To them, the healing of the man was only a minor detail here).

5:11 "He answered them, He that made me whole, said to me, Take up thy bed, and walk. (the man was not going to take the blame for this).

5:12 "Then they asked him, What man said to you, Take up thy bed, and walk?

5:13 "And he that was healed did not know who it was: for JESUS had conveyed Himself away, a multitude being in that place. (When critics just want to Accuse you as a Christian, it is best to convey yourself away.

They are not going to be civil, respectful, courteous, or polite. They just want to Exalt Themselves over your Christianity).

5:14 "Afterwards, JESUS finds him in the Temple, and said to him, Behold, thou art made whole: sin no more, lest a worse thing come unto thee. (He tells the man to not go on sinning. The Original Sin of disobedience, through Adam, brought sickness and eventually death into the race of mankind. I have seen sinners get healed, but not turn to Savior. Their seems to be No thankfulness in the heart. I think we see a little of this, next).

5:15 "The man departed, and told the Jews that it was JESUS, which had made him whole. (told: an-ang-el'-lo = to announce in detail, report. The man appears to have turned on JESUS to clear himself with the Jews. This would only make the religious rulers more determined to do JESUS in, but he himself would be off the hook with them).

5:16 "And therefore did the Jews persecute JESUS, and sought to slay Him, because He had done these things on the sabbath day. (This is a perfect example of how the world's judges can twist GOD's Laws in such a way that they can now have a Channel to Act in Persecution of the Christ and even His followers. Persecute: dee-o'-ko = make one to flee. Press, pursue. It is the old game of the hunt and the hunted. Savages never outgrow that cave man instinct, not even in law and religion. They sought: dzay-the'-o = to plot against life. to slay: apokteino, ap-ok-ti'-no = kill outright, destroy, put to death. Him. As I said at the beginning, they decided very early in JESUS Ministry, to kill Him).

The fact that JESUS Healed a man on the sabbath and told him to take up his pallet and walk, was just another useful item to justify the eventual murder of JESUS. But, now He will address them. As well).

5:17 "But JESUS Answered them, My FATHER Works hitherto, And I Work. (Answered: apokrinomai, ap-ok-ree'-nom-ahee = to respond, begin to speak to them, My Father: pater, pat-ayr' Father is capitalized 268 times in the Bible; and father is mentioned another 150 times, for a total of 419 times. (So, don't let them strip your Parental Rights And Responsibilities from you). Worketh: ergazomai, er-gad'-zom-ahee = to toil, be engaged in or with, Ministering with His Son. Hitherto: heos, heh'-oce = continuance, this day. GOD made the sabbath so man could rest. GOD never got tired of His Works. Even so would JESUS go on working His Ministry. And I Work. And they couldn't stop Him!

5:18 "Therefore the Jews sought the more to kill Him, because He not only had broken their sabbath, but said also that GOD Was His Father, making Himself equal with GOD. (broken: lyo, loo'-o = to loosen. The Jews had made sabbath laws to hard for their own people. JESUS Softened the sabbath. GOD: The Supreme Divinity. To say GOD is your Father is not the same as making yourself equal with GOD. The Jews had forgotten their Father GOD, while they were away captive 70 years in Babylon. Then the Romans overtook them. They felt like so many do today, like Fatherless 'State' children).

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(Feast: heorte, heh-or-tay' = Festival: feast, holyday. Of the Jews: Ioudaios, ee-oo-dah'-yos = of Judaea. Of Hebrew origin, Yehuwdah. The LORD GOD had established Feasts for His People. The Passover was Established in the land of Egypt, right before Israel left it. (Exodus 12:11-51). In fact, The LORD changed the Calendar for the Jews, and designated that Nisan would be the First month, and the Passover would begin on the Eve of the 14th day of Nisan. Remembering the 15th begins on the Eve of the 14th. CREATOR began the day at Night (Genesis 1:5) then Created the Day Light. ...And 600,000 Men and their families left Egypt; after 430 years there (Ex 12:40). After they multiplied from 70. (Genesis 46:27). Upon entering the Land That The LORD GOD Promised. The LORD'S Feasts, especially Passover, would be Celebrated in Jerusalem, Israel's Capital City. It is the LORD'S: YHWH, Yeh-ho-vaw' = The Self-Existent and Eternal GOD'S... Passover. Exodus (12:11-12). Modern mankind has next to no understanding of The Hebrew heritage because they do not read their Bible. They only listen to the world's news. The god of this world system has blinded their eyes to CREATOR LORD GOD. And to HIS dealings with the Hebrews, since Abram was called out of Ur, Chaldea, and promised the land of Canaan. Read Genesis 12:1-3, 15:6-8.

2nd Corinthians 4:4. "In whom the god of this world hath blinded the minds of them which believe not, (the god: theos, here, is one fallen angel, driven by delusions, seeking to be GOD. Lucifer, a fallen angel, once thought he would be like GOD, by his rebellion. But ended up only a celestial being; who then wanted to control the world: aion, aheeh-ohn' = Age. Lucifer has been limited to this age until Christ Returns, and he knows he has but a short occasion left (Rev 12:12). Lucifer hath blinded: typhloo, toof-lo'-o = to make blind, obscure. The minds: noema, no'-ay-mah = perception, intellect, purpose, & thoughts. Of them which believe not, lest the Light of the Glorious Gospel Of Christ, Who is in the Image Of GOD, should Shine: augazo = (to Beam forth) unto them. Adam abdicated, renouncing his throne of advantage, to Lucifer the Serpent; by his disobedience of GOD. JESUS, by His Total Obedience of GOD, Took that Dominion back for us. So the people of the world never forget... Jerusalem is mentioned at least 642 times in the Hebrew Old Testament, Zion is mentioned 153 times, Sion 1 time. And Jerusalem 59 more times, and Sion 7 more times in the Christian New Testament. We do not see any of the 16 Arabic names for Jerusalem or Zion, in the Qur'an).

In 2nd Samuel 5:7 King David takes the stronghold of Zion from the Jebusites, and re-names it the City of David.

(Read Isaiah 28:16. "Therefore thus saith The Lord (Adonay=my Lord) GOD (LORD, YEHOVAH), Behold, I lay in Zion (siyyon: Permanent Capital, Chief mountain of Jerusalem) for a Foundation A Stone (eben, plummet stone, to build to) A Tried (bo'-khan: Trial) Stone, A Precious (yaw-kawr'=Valuable, Prized, Excellent) Corner (pin-naw' = Chief, Chieftain) Stone, A Sure (yaw-sad' = Set, Established) Foundation: he that believeth shall not make haste.

GOD Lays The Chief Cornerstone there. "a corner-stone of preciousness" His Name Is JESUS CHRIST. HE WILL NEVER BE MOVED

1 Peter 2:6-7. "Wherefore also it is contained in the Scripture, Behold I Lay in Sion A Chief Corner Stone, Elect, Precious: and he that believeth on Him shall not be confounded: kat-ahee-skho'-no = not be shamed down, disgraced, dishonored. 1 Peter 2:4-5 "To Whom coming, as unto A Living Stone, disallowed indeed of men, But Chosen Of GOD, And Precious, ye also as lively stones, are built up a Spiritual House, an holy priesthood, to offer up Spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to GOD By JESUS CHRIST. (As the Jews found out, It is impossible to discard A Living Stone, and even His lively Christian stones). All Nations Are One In Christ!