

Who Would Touch the Untouchable?

Actual Jesus (Gospel of Matthew) – Part 82

Matthew 8:1-4

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¹ And when He had descended from the mountain, many crowds followed Him.

² And look! A leper¹ came up and² began worshipping³ Him, saying, “Lord, if You wish *it*, You are able to cleanse me!”

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³ And He stretched out His hand and⁴ touched him, saying, “I do wish *it*; be cleansed!” And immediately his leprosy was cleansed.

⁴ And Jesus says to him, “See that you tell no one, but *instead* go, show yourself to the priest, and bring the gift which Moses directed, for a testimony to them.”
(Pastor Phillips’ ad hoc translation)

Introduction:

I. The _____ of a Man (vv. 1-2)

A. His _____ (vv. 1-2a)

1. His condition

Numbers ____:12

2 Kings ____:7

Leviticus ____:34

2 Chronicles ____:20

2. His conditions

Leviticus ____:45-46

Leviticus ____:6

Ezekiel ____:17

¹ A person with a serious, unidentified skin disease. And so each time.

² Literally, *having approached*....

³ Or *bowing to*.

⁴ Literally, *having stretched out His hand, He*....

B. His _____ (v. 2b)

II. The _____ of the _____ (vv. 3-4)

A. His Dis _____?

B. His Dis _____ (v. 3)

1. Of _____

2. Of *power* —

C. His Di _____ (v. 4)

1. What they are:

2. Why they are:

a. Immediate reasons

b. Larger reason

3. What we learn: