

RECEIVING HEALING  
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Mark 10:46 -52

Now they came to Jericho. As He went out of Jericho with His disciples and a great multitude, blind Bartimaeus, the son of Timaeus, sat by the roadside begging.

And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!

Then many warned him to be quiet, but he cried out all the more, "Son of David, have mercy on me!"

So Jesus stood still and commanded him to be called. Then they called the blind man, saying to him, "Be of good cheer. Rise, He is calling you."

And throwing aside his garment, he rose and came to Jesus.

So Jesus answered and said to him, "*What do you want Me to do for you?*" The blind man said to Him, Rabboni, that I might receive my sight."

Then Jesus said to him, "*Go your way, your faith has made you well.*" And immediately he received His sight and followed Jesus on the road.

MERCY: Kindness, Compassion, Pity that wants to do something to alleviate suffering.

Luke 18:35 – 42

Learning from BARTIMAEUS.

- Heard about Jesus – faith came. ROMANS 10:17
- Boldly cried out to Jesus for mercy for his need to be met. HEBREWS 4:16
- Was convinced he could be healed. HEBREWS 11:1 AMPC
- "Faith is the **assurance** [the **confirmation**, the **title deed**] of things we hope for, being the **proof** of things we do not see and the **conviction** of their reality [faith perceiving as **real fact** what is not revealed to the senses].
- Acted his faith and saw results.  
JAMES 2:17  
"...faith by itself if it does not have works is dead."  
Works: Corresponding action
- Showed honor and respect to Jesus - Rabboni: O Great One, Great Master  
1 SAMUEL 2:30  
"...for those who honor Me I will honor."  
Eccl. 12:13  
"...hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God and keep His commandments..."
- Finally ....Bartimaeus asked and received. MARK 11:24

RECEIVE: To take, act, get hold of. To seize with a grip that cannot be shaken.

ISAIAH 53: 3 – 5; MATTHEW 8:16 & 17; 1 PETER 2:24

GRANTED: A gift bestowed. Given freely. Laid up in store...just waiting to be received.