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Possessing God's Benefits

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The Twelve Laws that Govern Health and Healing The Woman and her demon possessed Daughter

Course 13 Lesson 4

Scriptures

Matthew 15:21-28 Then Jesus went out from there and departed to the region of Tyre and Sidon. 22 And behold, a woman of Canaan came from that region (who had heard about Jesus) and cried out to Him, saying, "Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David! My daughter is severely demon-possessed." 23 But He answered her not a word. And His disciples came and urged Him, saying, "Send her away, for she cries out after us." 24 But He answered and said, "I was not sent except to the lost sheep of the house of Israel." 25 Then she came and worshiped Him, saying, "Lord, help me!" 26 But He answered and said, "It is not good to take the children's bread and throw it to the little dogs." 27 And she said, "Yes, Lord, yet even the little dogs eat the crumbs which fall from their masters' table." 28 Then Jesus answered and said to her, "O woman, great is your faith! Let it be to you as you desire." And her daughter was healed from that very hour.

Jesus' love for his Gentile Church

"Have mercy on me, O Lord, Son of David. She acknowledged that Jesus was the Messiah. She confessed him as Lord

She was saying you are my God. I choose you. I accept you as my Lord and Savior. Then Jesus said, "It is not good to take the children's bread and throw it to the little dogs." Jesus is the bread of life. His broken body on the cross is for the healing of his people. The Greek word for little dogs means "young puppies".

Jesus responded with, "Great is your faith".

This is a picture of Jesus opening the door for the gentiles to partake of the finished work at the cross. God told Abraham that through his seed all the nations would be blessed. Jesus is the promised Seed of Abraham and through him every person has the opportunity to come to Christ and partake of the children's bread.

There are only two places in the New Testament where Jesus told someone they had great faith, this story and the story of the Centurion. The common denominator between them is they were both gentiles

Neither this woman nor the centurion disqualified themselves by their unworthiness. They did not base their getting a miracle on their worthiness. They based their faith in God's goodness, his ability and his amazing grace.

The broken body of Jesus Christ is the children's bread. This bread will heal you, and your family, from every sickness, disease and oppression. You partake of this bread by believing in your heart that Jesus is your Redeemer and he has redeemed you from the curse of the law. Then you confess with your mouth that by Jesus stripes you are healed. Then you thank Jesus for healing you.