

REMINDERS ABOUT GOD'S DELIVERANCE

Escape Through Dramatic Miracle
11/21/20

- * Topic -- Reminders About God's Deliverance
- * History of this presentation
 - The first time -- sermon on 7/25/98
 - In 2008 -- 2 separate sermons -- (April and July)
 - In 2009 -- I gave a 5-part Bible study series
 - Between 2000 & 2017 -- presented to 30 congregations
- * 1 Corinthians 10:13 -- God is faithful
 - not tempted above what you are able
 - will make a WAY OF ESCAPE
 - that you may be able to bear it
- * 5 Specific Methods of Deliverance

1. Escape Through Dramatic Miracle

* Escape from death

Gen. 7:23	only Noah and those with him in the ark
Exod. 14:21-28	Moses & the children of Israel
2 Kings 6:8-18	Elisha
Dan. 3:16-26	Shadrach, Meshach & Abednego -- fiery furnace
Dan. 6:16-23	Daniel -- lion's den
2 Cor. 1:8-10	Paul -- sentence of death

* Escape from bondage

Exod. 12:31-34	Moses and the children of Israel
Acts 5:17-19	12 apostles -- angel opened the prison doors
Acts 12:7-11	Peter -- angel helped him escape from prison -- chains fell off and the iron gate opened
Acts 16:23-26	Paul and Silas -- beaten & put into prison -- earthquake -- doors opened & bands loosed

* Healing

2 Kings 20:1-6	Hezekiah -- 15 additional years
Luke 4:40	many sick people came to Christ -- He laid His hands on every one of them
Matt. 9:27-31	2 blind men
32-34	a man with a devil
35	healing every sickness and every disease
Mark 7:24-30	a Syrophenician's daughter
31-37	a deaf and dumb (speechless) man
Mark 8:22-26	a blind man at Bethesda
John 4:46-52	a son of a royal official
John 5:1-9	a lame man at Bethesda

John 9:1-7 a blind man
 Luke 4:33-37 a boy with an unclean spirit
 38-39 Peter's mother-in-law
 Luke 5:12-15 a leper
 18-26 a lame man
 Luke 6:6-10 a man with a withered hand
 Luke 7:1-10 the centurion's servant
 Luke 8:26-36 a man with legion of devils
 43-48 a woman with a hemorrhage -- desiring to touch
 the border of His garment (verse 44)
 Luke 9:37-42 a boy with an unclean spirit
 Luke 13:11-17 a stooped woman
 Luke 14:1-6 a man with the dropsy
 Luke 17:11-19 10 lepers
 Luke 18:35-43 a blind man
 Luke 22:50-51 the servant's ear
 Acts 10:38 Peter reminded how Christ helped many who had been
 oppressed by the devil
 Acts 3:1-11 Peter and John -- a lame man
 Acts 5:12 hands of the apostles -- signs and wonders
 15 desiring the shadow of Peter
 16 sick folks and people vexed with spirits -- every
 one was healed
 Acts 8:6-7 Philip -- unclean spirits came out -- lame people were
 healed
 Acts 14:8-10 Paul -- lame man at Lystra
 Acts 28:9 Paul -- father of Publius had a fever and a bloody
 flux
 10 Paul -- many on the island with diseases

 * Resurrection back to physical life

 Matt. 27:52-53 at Christ's death
 1 Kings 17:17-23 God used Elijah to raise -- the widow's son
 2 Kings 4:18-37 God used Elisha to raise -- Shunammite's son
 Mark 5:35-42 Christ raised -- Jairus' daughter
 Luke 7:14-15 Christ raised -- widow's son
 John 11:43-44 Christ raised -- Lazarus
 Acts 9:36-43 God used Peter to raise -- Tabitha (Dorcas)
 Acts 20:9-12 God used Paul to raise -- Eutychus

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* No miracles -- because of unbelief

Matt. 13:58 Christ did not do many mighty works there --
 because of their unbelief
 Mark 6:5-6 He could not do a mighty work -- (except for healing
 a few sick folk) -- because of their unbelief

* Miracles -- because of unbelief

John 4:48 Christ said -- unless you see signs & wonders,

you will not believe