



MATTHEW 9:9-17

Those Who Are Sick

OUTLINE

1. Jesus calls people to follow Him.
2. Jesus cares for the lost (spiritually burdened).
3. Jesus changes BC to AD.
The kingdom has come!

Matthew 9:9 As Jesus went on from there, He saw a man called Matthew, sitting in the tax collector's booth; and He said to him, "Follow Me!" And he got up and followed Him.

10 Then it happened that as Jesus was reclining at the table in the house, behold, many tax collectors and sinners came and were dining with Jesus and His disciples. **11** When the Pharisees saw this, they said to His disciples, "Why is your Teacher eating with the tax collectors and sinners?" **12** But when Jesus heard this, He said, "It is not those who are healthy who need a physician, but those who are sick. **13** But go and learn what this means: 'I desire compassion, and not sacrifice,' for I did not come to call the righteous, but sinners."

Matthew 9:14 Then the disciples of John came to Him, asking, “Why do we and the Pharisees fast, but Your disciples do not fast?” **15** And Jesus said to them, “The attendants of the bridegroom cannot mourn as long as the bridegroom is with them, can they? But the days will come when the bridegroom is taken away from them, and then they will fast. **16** But no one puts a patch of unshrunk cloth on an old garment; for the patch pulls away from the garment, and a worse tear results. **17** Nor do people put new wine into old wineskins; otherwise the wineskins burst, and the wine pours out and the wineskins are ruined; but they put new wine into fresh wineskins, and both are preserved.”

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1 Name

(October):

Take one month to pray for God to put two people on your heart who you are spiritually burdened for. Do you have two?

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2 Pray

(November December):

Take two months to continue to pray for those two people.

Are you praying and partnering with God in His love for the two that you are spiritually burdened for?

3 Listen

(November-December):

During those two months, slow down with one or both of them in three conversations (short or long) where you ask a question and/or listen to what is going on in their life spiritually.

Are you asking in love and listening in love to draw out the heart in order to provide clarity & care for their soul with God's glory & the gospel in mind?

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Questions from Gospel 101
and Bible Readiness

In your view, what is the main message of the **Bible?**

1 Peter 1:16

Do you think there is more than one way to **God?** Explain.

John 14:6

(Man): On a scale of one to ten, one being completely evil and ten being completely good, how would you rate people in general?

Roman 3:23

Who is **Jesus** to you?

John 1:14

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Live Sent—Invite Along—Proclaim Christ

Become spiritually burdened as a lifestyle