



MIRACLES: Miracles of Healing

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"I tell you the truth, anyone who believes in me will do the same works I have done, and even greater works ..."

John 14:12 NLT

Our God heals, but He doesn't heal everyone all the time.

Erastus stayed at Corinth, and I left Trophimus sick at Miletus.

2 Timothy 4:20 NLT

Don't drink only water. You ought to drink a little wine for the sake of your stomach because you are sick so often.

1 Timothy 5:23 NLT

Three Reasons Jesus Didn't Do Miracles

— Jesus refused to perform miracles to prove Himself.

¹¹ When the Pharisees heard that Jesus had arrived, they came and started to argue with him. Testing him, they demanded that he show them a miraculous sign from heaven to prove his authority. ¹² When he heard this, he sighed deeply in his spirit and said, "Why do these people keep demanding a miraculous sign? I tell you the truth, I will not give this generation any such sign." Mark 8:11-12 NLT

- **Jesus never performed a miracle that interfered with God’s ultimate plan.**

⁵³ “Don’t you realize that I could ask my Father for thousands of angels to protect us, and he would send them instantly? ⁵⁴ But if I did, how would the Scriptures be fulfilled that describe what must happen now?”

Matthew 26:53-54 NLT

- **Jesus didn’t do miracles when there was no faith.**

And so he did only a few miracles there because of their unbelief.

Matthew 13:58 NLT

“... Daughter, your faith has healed you ...” Mark 5:34 NIV

“... Stand up and go. Your faith has healed you.” Luke 17:19 NLT

“Go,” said Jesus, “your faith has healed you ...” Mark 10:52 NIV

The father instantly cried out, “I do believe, but help me overcome my unbelief!”

Mark 9:24 NLT

Our faith isn’t based on what God does.

Our faith is based on who God is.