

Walking Away From Jesus: Lessons From A Leper

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Read

Luke 17:11-19

Reflect

In the first week of the series, Walking Away From Jesus, we look at the story of ten lepers who approached Jesus for healing. All ten experienced Jesus in a powerful way, but only one returns to Jesus with everything God had intended for him.

All throughout the New Testament, Jesus leans into people's pain. Pastor Josh Surratt gives three reasons we can move toward Jesus when he leans into our pain.

Response

1. He saw me when no one else did

- a. Where are you at today with pain? Are you drawing closer to Jesus or away from him?
- b. How have you shown up in someone else's pain?
- c. What could this next season look like when you look for Jesus in your pain?

2. It's easier to have faith when I'm sick than when I'm well

- a. What can you do today to take a step toward healing?
- b. What would you do today if you were healed from the pain you're currently going through?
- c. Describe a time when you have seen God show up when you moved forward in faith?

3. The real prize is the healer, not the healing

- a. How have you given the glory to God through your healing?
- b. What is the appropriate response when Jesus heals us?
- c. What does it mean to be made whole?
- d. What is revealed in our lives when we are made whole?

Respond

Where is God leading you? How can your small group support you?