

ACTS 3:1 -10 Healing of the Lame - Power in His Name

1. What are some of the ways we experience the brokenness of the world in relation to the lame man in the passage?
2. For what reason are Peter and John heading to the Temple?
3. Why did the lame man have to be placed at the gate outside the Temple (Lev 21:18-19; 2 Sam 5:8)?
4. What was his social standing, and how do you think people probably treated him?
5. Why do you think Peter “decided” to heal the lame man at the ninth hour of that particular day? What do you think would have happened if they tried to do this another time?
6. How important was it for Peter and John to live under the continued guidance of the Spirit?
7. What does this miracle say about Jesus concerning his identity and power even after his ascension?
8. What is the source of the miracle of healing the lame man, Peter’s faith or the authority of Jesus’ name? Why?
9. How are we like the lame man and what does it say about our biggest need?
10. How are we like Peter and John and what does that say of our responsibility as ambassadors of Heaven?