



Responding to God's Grace

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1. Their Condition (v.11-14)

❖ Leprosy

- Physical Disfigurement
- Social Outcast
- Spiritual Separation

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2. Two Responses to His Grace (v.15-18)

❖ God is who we use to get what we really want.

- 9 Lepers wanted the gifts, but not the giver.

❖ God is what we really want.

- Samaritan saw the gifts as icing on the cake. Jesus was everything he ever hoped for.

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3. The End Result (v.19)

- ❖ "faith has made you well" – lit. "faith has saved you."
- The salvation of your soul