

Perfect Timing! **John 4:46-54**

Intro: This is one time where you get to see the Lord's sovereignty, the impact of geography, the impact of miracles and a compassionate heart all come together. The timing and the "results" are perfect. Jesus also demonstrates equal opportunity healing. Beyond that, He lives out the ministry of compassion, not just talking about it. His walk talks!

I. Déjà vu all over again

- A. "Therefore again...Cana of Galilee (vs. 46; cf. 2:11)
- B. "...certain royal official...Capernaum..." (vs.46)
- C. Judea to Galilee (vs. 47)

II. Going to Jesus

- A. Making requests of Jesus (vs. 47)
- B. Other requests (Matthew 20:20; Luke 4:38; 7:36; John 4:31; 16:26)
- C. "Come down and heal..." (47, 49)

III. Listening to Jesus

- A. Unless you see miracles, you will not believe (vs.48)
- B. Go your way; your son lives! (vs. 50)

IV. Developing faith linked with wonder...

- A. Going down [to Capernaum] (vs. 51)
- B. Checking his "watch" (vs. 52)
- C. Drawing a wonderful conclusion (vs. 53)
- D. Second miracle, second blessing, same geography (vs. 54)

V. Making your requests of Jesus...!