

**John 8:59–9:2 (NKJV)** <sup>59</sup> Then they took up stones to throw at Him; but Jesus hid Himself and went out of the temple, going through the midst of them, and so passed by. <sup>1</sup> Now as *Jesus* passed by, He saw a man who was blind from birth. <sup>2</sup> And His disciples asked Him, saying, “Rabbi, who sinned, this man or his parents, that he was born blind?”

**Hebrews 9:27 (NKJV)** And as it is appointed for men to die once, but after this the judgment,

**John 9:3 (NLT)** “It was **not** because of his sins or his parents’ sins,” Jesus answered. “This happened so the power of God could be seen in him.”

**John 9:3–5 (MSG)** Jesus said, “You’re asking the wrong question. You’re looking for someone to blame. There is no such cause-effect here. Look instead for what God can do. We need to be energetically at work for the One who sent me here, working while the sun shines. When night falls, the workday is over. For as long as I am in the world, there is plenty of light. I am the world’s Light.”

**Romans 5:12 (NLT)** When Adam sinned, sin entered the world. Adam’s sin brought death, so death spread to everyone, for everyone sinned.

**James 5:15 (NLT)** Such a prayer offered in faith **will heal the sick**, and the Lord will make you well. **And if you have committed any sins, you will be forgiven.**

**Psalms 103:1–5 (NKJV)** <sup>1</sup> Bless the Lord, O my soul; And all that is within me, *bless* His holy name! <sup>2</sup> Bless the Lord, O my soul, And forget not all His benefits: <sup>3</sup> Who forgives **all** your iniquities, Who heals **all** your diseases, <sup>4</sup> Who redeems your life from destruction, Who crowns you with lovingkindness and tender mercies, <sup>5</sup> Who satisfies your mouth with good *things*, *So that* your youth is renewed like the eagle’s.

**John 9:6–7 (NLT)** <sup>6</sup> Then he spit on the ground, made mud with the saliva, and spread the mud over the blind man’s eyes. <sup>7</sup> He told him, “**Go wash yourself in the pool of Siloam**” (Siloam means “sent”). So the man went and washed and came back seeing!

**2 Corinthians 4:4 (NLT)** Satan, who is the god of this world, has blinded the minds of those who don't believe. They are unable to see the glorious light of the Good News. They don't understand this message about the glory of Christ, who is the exact likeness of God.