

# Faith and Miracles

# 信心与神迹

*John 4:46-54 "So Jesus came again to Cana of Galilee where He had made the water wine. And there was a certain nobleman whose son was sick at Capernaum. <sup>47</sup>When he heard that Jesus had come out of Judea into Galilee, he went to Him and implored Him to come down and heal his son, for he was at the point of death. <sup>48</sup>Then Jesus said to him, "Unless you people see signs and wonders, you will by no means believe." <sup>49</sup>The nobleman said to Him, "Sir, come down before my child dies!" <sup>50</sup>Jesus said to him, "Go your way; your son lives." So the man believed the word that Jesus spoke to him, and he went his way. <sup>51</sup>And as he was now going down, his servants met him and told him, saying, "Your son lives!" <sup>52</sup>Then he inquired of them the hour when he got better. And they said to him, "Yesterday at the seventh hour the fever left him." <sup>53</sup>So the father knew that it was at the same hour in which Jesus said to him, "Your son lives." And he himself believed, and his whole household. <sup>54</sup>This again is the second sign Jesus did when He had come out of Judea into Galilee."*

## 1. The Growing Faith of this Man

- 1) He came to see Jesus because of Trials
- 2) He went to see Jesus Personally
- 3) He asked Jesus for Mercy
- 4) He wanted Jesus to Go With Him (*Ephesians 3:20*)

## 2. Jesus Condemns Seeking Signs

*(John 4:48, Hebrews 11:1, 2 Corinthians 5:7, John 4:49, 50)*

## 3. The Response of the Man

*(John 4:50, 51, 52)*

Note Two Things:

- 1) He got More than he bargained for
- 2) He Took His Time to go back home (vs 53)

Jesus shows us that He is:

Omniscient – He knew where the nobleman lived

Omnipresent – Jesus didn't need to come home with him.

Omnipotent – There's nothing Jesus can't do to meet your need.

Don't go to Jesus as a Last Resort

Go to Jesus as your First Support

约翰福音 4: 46-54 耶稣又到了加利利的迦拿，就是祂从前变水为酒的地方。有一个大臣，他的儿子在迦百农患病。<sup>47</sup> 他听见耶稣从犹太到了加利利，就来见他，求祂下去医治他的儿子，因为他儿子快要死了。<sup>48</sup> 耶稣就对祂说：「若不看见神迹奇事，你们总是不信。」<sup>49</sup> 那大臣说：「先生，求你趁著我的孩子还没有死就下去。」<sup>50</sup> 耶稣对祂说：「回去吧，你的儿子活了！」那人信耶稣所说的话就回去了。<sup>51</sup> 正下去的时候，他的仆人迎见他，说他的儿子活了。<sup>52</sup> 他就问什么时候见好的。他们说：「昨日未时热就退了。」<sup>53</sup> 他便知道这正是耶稣对祂说「你儿子活了」的时候；他自己和全家就都信了。<sup>54</sup> 这是耶稣在加利利行的第二件神迹，是祂从犹太回去以后行的。

## 1. 这人的信心增长

- 1) 他来见耶稣是因有试炼
- 2) 他是亲自去见耶稣
- 3) 他求耶稣施怜悯
- 4) 他要耶稣与他一同下去

以弗所书 3: 20 神能照著运行在我们心里的大力充充足足的成就一切，超过我们所求所想的。

## 2. 耶稣斥责寻求神迹

## 3. 这人的回应 (约 4: 50-52)

注意两件事：

- 1) 他得到了超过他想要的
- 2) 他是不慌不忙地回家的

耶稣向我们显明祂是：

◇ 无所不知— 祂知道这大臣住哪儿

◇ 无所不在— 祂不必与大臣一同下去

◇ 无所不能— 没有什么是耶稣不能为我们做的

不要把耶稣当作最后的资源

要第一时间来到耶稣这里得帮助