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Introduction
Culturally Relevant Evangelism

God looks for men and women who live and teach the Gospel with cultural relevance, sensitivity and power so the eternal truth of the Gospel will be understood and received in every culture of the world.
The Ministry of Healing

- Evidenced in Jesus’s Ministry
- Need for an Experiential Encounter
- Means of Restoration
Biblical Foundation: Old Testament

“...I am the LORD who heals you.”
Exodus 15:26

“Bless the LORD O my soul... ...who heals all your diseases.”
Psalm 103:1,3

“He sent forth his Word and healed them”
Psalm 107:20

“In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.”

(John 1:1)

“Heal the sick....”

Luke 10:9

“Very truly I tell you, whoever believes in me will do the works I have been doing, and they will do even greater things than these.”

John 14:12

“’He Himself bore our sins in His body on the cross, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; ‘by His wounds you have been healed.’”

1 Peter 2:24
Compare and Contrast:

John 4:46-54 and Matthew 8:5-13
Mark 1:21-28 and Mark 5:1-20
Matthew 9:1-8 and John 5:1-17
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Evangelism Defined:

“...the proclamation of the historical, biblical Christ as Savior and Lord, with a view to persuading people to come to Him personally and so be reconciled to God.” — The Lausanne Covenant
Already-not yet era of Kingdom

Old Testament Expectation

Spirit

Messiah

Old Age

Sin
Death
Evil
Satan

Knowledge
of God
Love
Joy
Justice

Age to Come

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New Testament
Fulfillment

Powers of sin, death, evil, and Satan before the cross

Power of Spirit’s renewing work after the cross

OLD AGE

AGE TO COME

Already
Not yet
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How does this statement influence your perspective on healing?

“It is not my ability, but my response to God’s ability, that counts.” Corrie Ten Boom