

Divine Healing #1
The Source of Sickness
John 10:10

Sickness and disease are facts of life. To many people they are inevitable occurrences – just a part of human existence. But is this God’s intention or do sickness and disease have another source. Why do we get sick? Where does sickness come from? The first fact that we want to set forth is that sickness is the result of the Fall and comes from the Devil. Let’s examine some Biblical statements that underscore this fact...

I. Jesus Was the Father’s Will Expressed.

- A. John 14:9; 8:28; 6:38
- B. 1 John 3:8

II. Jesus Healed All Who Were Sick.

- A. Acts 10:38
- B. Luke 13:10-17

III. Jesus Demonstrated the Kingdom of God.

- A. 1 Cor. 4:20 ..not in word but in power
- B. Mt. 4:17
- C. Mt. 6:9-13
- D. Mt. 9:35-10:1, 5-7 (the 12 sent out)
- E. Mt. 12:22-29
- F. Lk. 10:1, 2, 9, 17-20 (the 70 sent out)
- G. Mk. 16:16, 17
- H. John 14:12-14

IV. The Full Manifestation of the Kingdom Means the End of Sickness and Pain.

- A. Rev. 20:1, 2; 21:1-4

God’s goal in this age isn’t to get us to heaven, but rather to bring heaven to earth (Mt. 6:10). We are to demonstrate the coming age to those who are still living in this age so they can choose to join us in the Kingdom. Gal. 1:4; Heb. 6:5.

1 John 3:8 AMP

The reason the Son of God was made manifest (visible) was to undo (destroy, loosen, and dissolve) the works the devil [has done].

1 John 3:8 BBE

And the Son of God was seen on earth so that he might put an end to the works of the Evil One.

1 John 3:8 Weymouth

The Son of God appeared for the purpose of undoing the work of the Devil.