## The Kingdom & the Cross Part XI

## Mt. 7:28-9:33

1. Authority over (8:1-4; 14-17)
a. Only Israel's God could a leper. (2 Kgs. 5:7; Lev. 13-14)
2. Authority over (8:5-13)
a. Like Namaan, the becomes the insider. (Ps. 107:3)
3. Authority over (I) (8:18-22)
a. Discipleship demands sacrifice (vv. 19-20) and allegiance. (vv. 21-22)
4. Authority over (8:23-27)
a. God was over the waters in the beginning (Gen. 1:1-7), the
sea at the Exodus (Ex. 14:21-22), and the storm in Jonah (Jonah 1:4-16).
5. Authority over (8:28-34)
a. The disciples': "What kind of man is this?" (v. 27)
b. The demon's: "Son of God." (v. 29)
6. Authority over Self (9:1-8)
a. Only God has authority to <u>forgive</u> sins. (Is. 43:25)
7. Authority over (9:9-13)
a. Jesus came to those who are in exile.
8. Authority over (II) (9:14-17)
a. The gospel involves and
9. Authority over (9:18-26)
a. Uncleanness is a lack of human
10. Authority over (9:25)
a. Death is the ultimate result of (Lev. 15:31)
12. Authority over (9:27-31)
a. In the messianic age, the blind will (Is. 35:5)
13. Authority over (9:32-33; Is. 35:6)
a. In the messianic age, the dumb will (Is. 35:6)
14. Jesus has authority! (Mt. 28:18-20)

## The Kingdom & the Cross Part XI

## Mt. 7:28-9:33

1. Authority over <u>Disease</u> (8:1-4; 14-17)

a. Only Israel's God could heal a leper. (2 Kgs. 5:7; Lev. 13-14)

- 2. Authority over <u>Distress</u> (8:5-13)
  - a. Like Namaan, the outsider becomes the insider. (Ps. 107:3)
- 3. Authority over <u>Discipleship</u> (I) (8:18-22)
  - a. Discipleship demands sustained sacrifice (vv. 19-20) and supreme allegiance. (vv. 21-22)
- 4. Authority over <u>Disaster</u> (8:23-27)
  - a. God was <u>sovereign</u> over the waters in the beginning (Gen. 1:1-7), <u>separated</u> the sea at the Exodus (Ex. 14:21-22), and <u>stilled</u> the storm in Jonah (Jonah 1:4-16).
- 5. Authority over Demons (8:28-34)
  - a. The disciples' <u>question</u>: "What kind of man is this?" (v. 27)
  - b. The demon's <u>confession</u>: "Son of God." (v. 29)
- 6. Authority over Self-<u>Destruction</u> (9:1-8)
  - a. Only God has authority to forgive sins. (Is. 43:25)
- 7. Authority over <u>Dishonor</u> (9:9-13)

a. Jesus came to <u>restore</u> those who are in exile.

- 8. Authority over <u>Discipleship</u> (II) (9:14-17)
  - a. The gospel involves <u>celebration</u> and <u>self-denial</u>.
- 9. Authority over <u>Defilement</u> (9:18-26)

a. Uncleanness is a lack of human wholeness.

- 10. Authority over <u>Death</u> (9:25)
  - a. Death is the ultimate result of <u>defilement</u>. (Lev. 15:31)
- 12. Authority over <u>Darkness</u> (9:27-31)

a. In the messianic age, the blind will see. (Is. 35:5)

13. Authority over <u>Dumbness</u> (9:32-33; Is. 35:6)

a. In the messianic age, the dumb will sing. (Is. 35:6)

14. Jesus has <u>ALL</u> authority! (Mt. 28:18-20)