

The Capernaum Caper
The Gospel of Mark: Servant and Savior—Part 8
Mark 2:1-12
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Here's our Big Idea for today:

We must be willing to do ANYTHING to bring our
friends to Jesus

In verses 3 and 4 we see HEALING faith:

We all know what happened, for now let's concentrate on the four friends:

1. They _____ the paralytic.
2. They had great _____.

Their example teaches us about faith that makes the most of the Lord's power.

1. Their faith was _____.
2. Their faith was also _____.
3. Their faith was _____.

We'll see HINDERING faith in verses 5 through 11:

1. The real paralytics were the _____ and the _____!

Why did Christ say, "Your sins are forgiven?"

1. The man may well have been a paralytic due to some personal or imagined _____.
2. Regardless of the man's physical condition, his greatest need by far was _____ of sin.
3. Jesus pronounced forgiveness first to _____ the Pharisees with the implication of the healing he was going to perform.