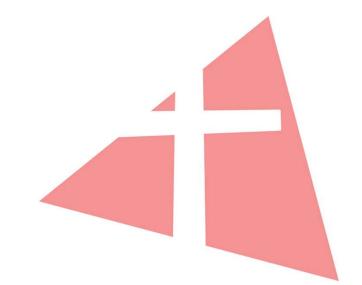
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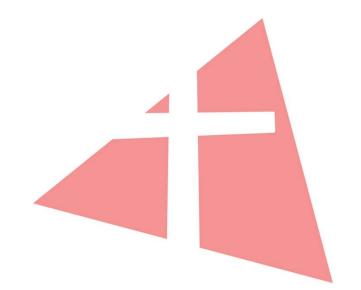
# HEALING



### **OUR SERIES**

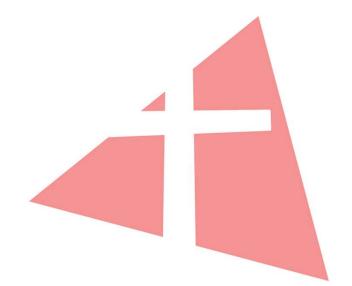
• The Bible describes us as "sick"

• Sin has terrible consequences



# A STORY

• Martin & Vivian

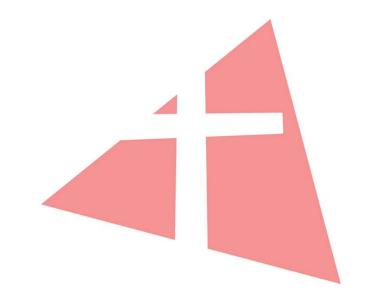


### **JESUS**

John 8:1-11 Jesus went unto the mount of Olives. And early in the morning he came again into the temple, and all the people came unto him; and he sat down, and taught them. And the scribes and Pharisees brought unto him a woman taken in adultery; and when they had set her in the midst, They said unto him, Teacher, this woman was taken in adultery, in the very act. Now Moses in the law commanded us, that such should be stoned: but what say you? This they said, testing him, that they might have to accuse him. But Jesus stooped down, and with his finger wrote on the ground, as though he heard them not. So when they continued asking him, he lifted himself up, and said unto them, He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her. And again he stooped down, and wrote on the ground. And they who heard it, being convicted by their own conscience, went out one by one, beginning at the eldest, even unto the last: and Jesus was left alone, and the woman standing before him. When Jesus had lifted himself up, and saw none but the woman, he said unto her, Woman, where are those your accusers? has no man condemned you? She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, Neither do I condemn you: go, and sin no more.

### THE WOMAN

• Probably used as a bait by the Pharisees



### **JESUS' BRILLIANT REPLY**

#### • If anybody had the right to condemn the woman, it was Jesus

John 8:7 ... He that is without sin among you, let him first cast a stone at her.

### **JESUS' RESTORATION**

John 8:10-11 When Jesus had lifted himself up, and saw none but the woman, he said unto her, Woman, where are those your accusers? has no man condemned you? She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, Neither do I condemn you: go, and sin no more.

# LIES AND TRUTH

#### • This world is ...

- condemning us
- telling us to "not show weakness", because others will condemn and reject us
- Jesus is telling us: "Confess your sin, and you'll be healed"

### **JESUS' OFFER**

**o** What Jesus offered to this woman He offers to us today as well

