



Some are really into collecting cars. Sultan Hassanal Bolkiah has the largest car collection on record. He has over 7,000 cars. It includes 209 BMWs, 574 Benz, _____ Ferraris, 179 Jaguars, 382 Bentleys- just to name a few... Others prefer to restore classic cars. These cars were made to be one thing, they got _____, and then they were restored to what they were made to be.

Jesus has the _____ to _____!

In Matthew 8 and 9, I read that Jesus cleanses a leper. I read about the faith of a Centurion, I read that Jesus Heals Many, that Jesus Calms the Storm, that Jesus Heals two men with demons, and that Jesus heals a paralytic. Jesus is obviously displaying His power and _____ over sickness and the supernatural realm in these chapters of Scripture. It caused those that watched Him to ask the question, "What manner of man is this that even the winds and the waves obey Him?" Peter was impacted by witnessing these miracles just as we ought to be impacted.

Matthew emphasizes that Jesus is _____. The Jews were disappointed that Jesus did not throw off their earthly oppressors. What He did was much bigger than that! And What He accomplishes in us is much bigger than throwing off our earthly discomforts. They are a result of our sin. Jesus does not just deal with the results of our sin, He completely deals with and defeats our sin. He displayed His power, yes, but what we see here is a taste of God's Kingdom -with Jesus as King.

**Jesus has the power to restore the _____
caused by the fall!**

- He _____ power over the physical damage of the fall while on the earth. (Matt. 8-9)
- He promises to powerfully _____ the physical damage of the fall when he returns to earth. (Rev. 21:1-4)

So you may be asking, "What is Jesus waiting for?" Why is He not wiping away all tears and illnesses now? Why is He not returning to judge sin now? I am hurting right now! People I love are hurting right now! 2 Peter 3 gives us the answer.

2 Peter 3:8 But, beloved, be not ignorant of this one thing, that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day. 9 The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance.

Jesus has the power to restore the _____ damage caused by the fall! (Isaiah 53)

Turn to Isaiah 53. Matthew saw Jesus' miracles of physical healing as a fulfillment of the prophecy found in Isaiah 53:4. (see Matt. 8:17)

"Surely he hath borne our griefs, and carried our sorrows: yet we did esteem him stricken, smitten of God, and afflicted."

- He _____ for the spiritual damage of our sin at Calvary. (Isaiah 53:5-6)
- He _____ the spiritual damage of our sin with His wounds. (Isaiah 53:5-6)

Some people get excited about restoring old, beat-up cars to their former glory. **Jesus has the power to restore people to look like His Son, Jesus Christ!** He has the power to restore us physically. He displayed it while He was on the earth, and He promises to remove all pain. Physical pain is only a symptom and a result of the bigger problem. We need to be restored spiritually. God has done that by sending Christ as the atonement for our sin. Jesus is King, and I will joyfully follow Him. "He restoreth my soul."