

**The Miracles of Jesus**  
**Pastor Charles B. Jackson, Sr., Presenter**

*Miracle: "A Happening with Which Human Reasoning Has Yet To Catch Up."*

-Dr. William Augustus Jones

**Miracle #34 – Jesus Restores Sight to Bartimaeus**  
***Matthew 20:29-34; Mark 10:46-52; Luke 18:35-43***

- **Matthew 20:29-31**

As Jesus makes His way to Jerusalem a large crowd follows Him. The crowd was not aware of what awaited Jesus upon His arrival in Jerusalem. However, His disciples had been told, but they did not believe.

- **Luke 18:31-34**

The blind men called Jesus "son of David" because the Jews knew that the Messiah would be a descendant of David.

- **Isaiah 9:6, 7**

- **Isaiah 11:1**

The Messiah is the fulfillment of God's promise that a descendant of David would rule forever.

- **Jeremiah 23:5, 6**

The blind beggars could see that Jesus was the long awaited Messiah, while the religious leaders who witnessed the miracles were blind to His identity, refusing to open their eyes to truth.

- **Psalms 51:1-3**

- **Matthew 20:32, 33**

Although, Jesus was concerned about the coming events in Jerusalem, He demonstrated what He had just told His disciples about service by stopping to take care of the blind men.

- **Matthew 20:25-28**

Believers are servants. This is the attitude Jesus desires for all who would be truly great in His Kingdom . . . Servants.

- **Matthew 25:21**

- **Matthew 25:23**

- **Luke 18:35**

- **Romans 1:1**

- **Philippians 1:1**

- **Titus 1:1**

- **Matthew 20:34**

Caring about others is essential if we are to be servants. "So Jesus had compassion." Servanthood is not technique, but a heart response to others who are in need. When Jesus opened the eyes of the blind men, they followed Jesus. In Luke's account in 18:43, we are told that they not only followed Jesus, but they also praised God.

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