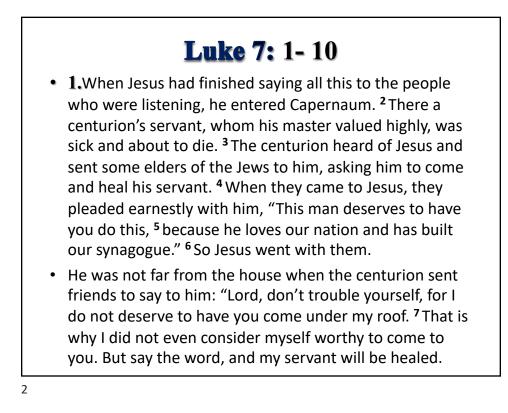
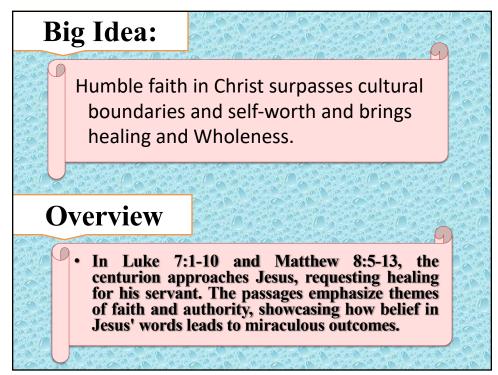
Faith and Humility Beyond Self Image: Jesus Heals

Text: Luke 7: 1-10





- ⁸ For I myself am a man under authority, with soldiers under me. I tell this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and that one, 'Come,' and he comes. I say to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it."
- ⁹ When Jesus heard this, he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd following him, he said, "I tell you, I have not found such great faith even in Israel." ¹⁰ Then the men who had been sent returned to the house and found the servant well.



Capernaum

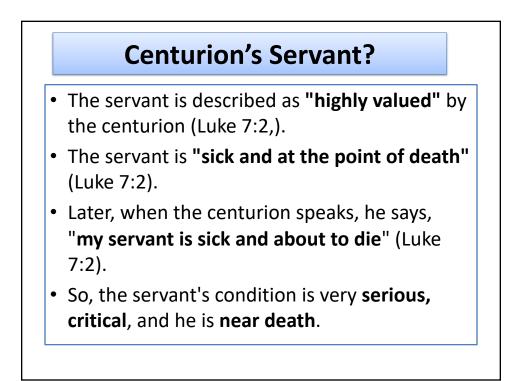
• Capernaum, located near the Sea of Galilee, served as a central hub for Jesus' ministry. It is where He performed numerous miracles, including the healing of the centurion's servant, making it a significant site in the Gospel narratives.

Différent Audiences: Luke vs. Matthew

Luke primarily addresses Gentile readers, emphasizing Jesus' universal savior role, while Matthew targets a Jewish audience, validating Jesus as the Messiah. This distinction informs their interpretations of Jesus' ministry and miracles.

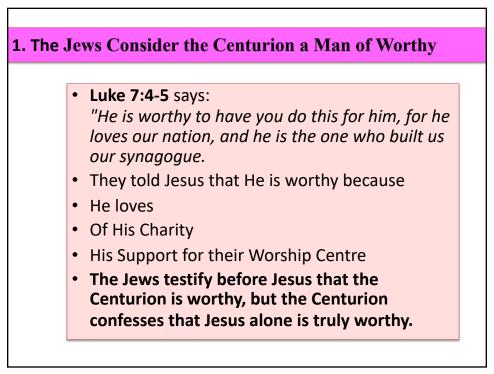
How the Centurion Heard about Jesus' Healing Ministry?

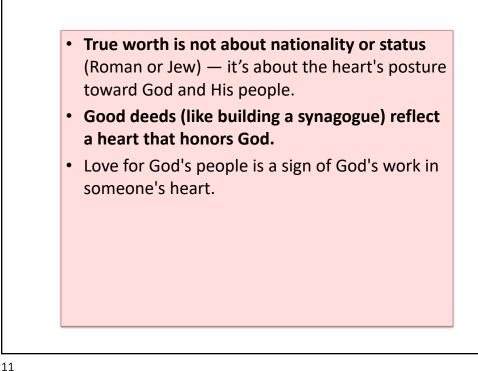
Luke 4: 31 – 37. Vs. 37 And the news about him spread throughout the surrounding area.



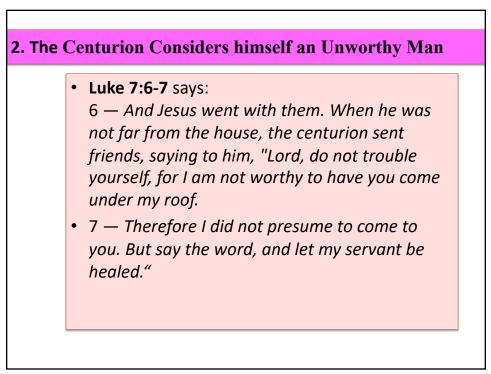
Centurion's Care

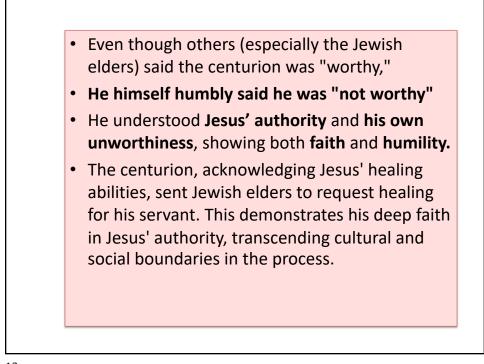
- The centurion heard of Jesus and sent some elders of the Jews to him, asking him to come and heal his servant.
- ⁴ When they came to Jesus, they pleaded earnestly with him, "This man deserves to have you do this, ⁵ because he loves our nation and has built our synagogue." ⁶ So Jesus went with them.

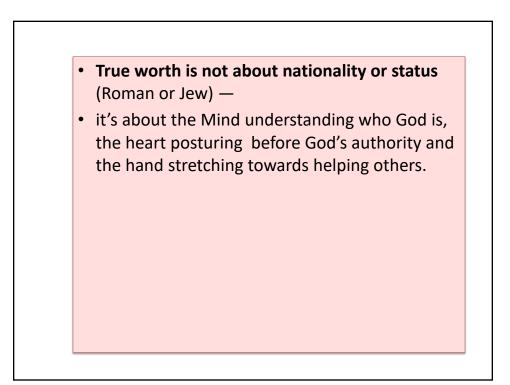






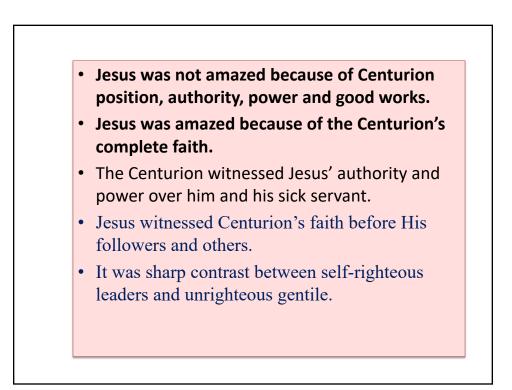


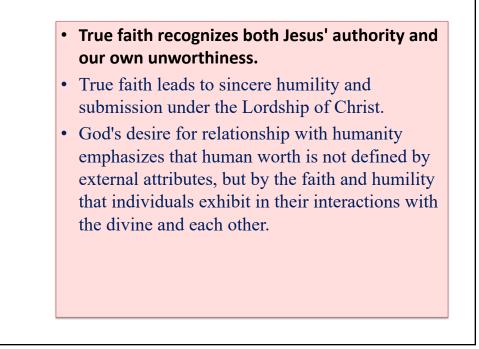


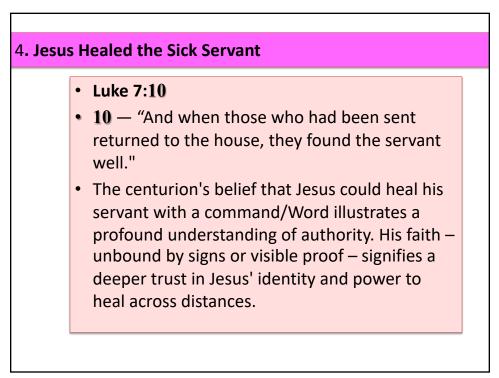


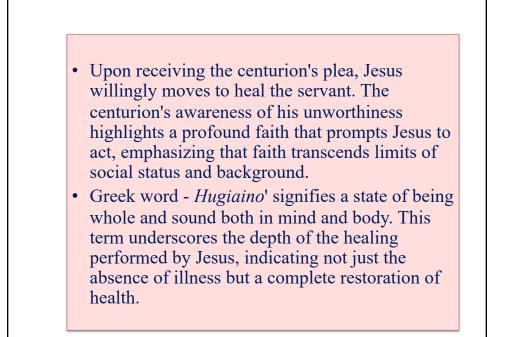
3. Jesus' View of the Centurion

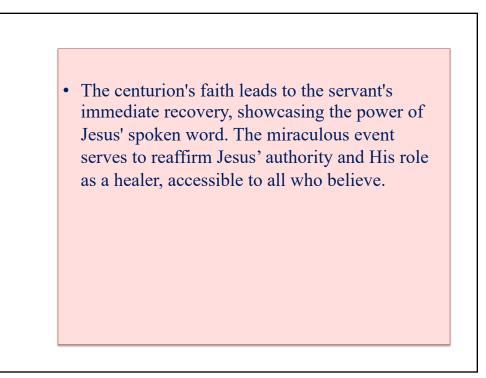
- Luke 7:7-9:
- 7 That is why I did not even consider myself worthy to come to you. But say the word, and my servant will be healed.
- 8 For I myself am a man under authority, with soldiers under me. I tell this one, 'Go,' and he goes; and that one, 'Come,' and he comes. I say to my servant, 'Do this,' and he does it.
- 9 When Jesus heard this, he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd following him, he said, "I tell you, I have not found such great faith even in Israel."











What is the Significance?

- The centurion, a Roman officer, embodies humility and faith, recognizing Jesus' authority. His request highlights that faith is not confined to cultural boundaries, signaling the inclusivity of Jesus' Work beyond our culture, race, ethnicity, and nation.
- This presents the universality of God's mission, message and His work.

