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## The Miracles of Jesus Christ: Healing Two Blind Men

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# THE MIRACLES OF JESUS CHRIST

## MIRACLE SEVENTEEN: Healing Two Blind Men (Mt. 9:27-31)

### SURVEY

Hearing the pitiful cries of two sightless men, Jesus asks if they believe He could indeed heal them. Upon their affirmative response, the Savior touches their eyes and restores their sight.

### SIGNIFICANCE

- This is the first of three occasions where Jesus is referred to as the Son of David by the recipient of a miracle. For the other two, see miracles 21 and 32.
- This is the first of four miracles where Jesus restored sight to the blind. For the other three, see miracles 24, 27 and 32.

### SPIRITUAL TRUTHS

- Note the urgent cry of these two men: *"Have mercy on us."* (Mt. 9:27)  
It has been said that God will hush every harp in heaven to hear and answer this kind of prayer. This is the first of at least five miracles performed by Christ to answer such a prayer request.
  1. The Syrophenician mother (Mt. 15:22)
  2. The father of a demon-possessed son (Mt. 17:15)
  3. Ten lepers (Lk. 17:13)
  4. Blind Bartimaeus (Lk. 18:38)
- Jesus' response, *"According to your faith, be it unto you"* (Mt. 9:29). These words indicate these two men received both physical and spiritual eyesight. Isaiah and David had originally written concerning this two-fold sight:
  1. Isaiah spoke in regard to physical eyesight:  
*"Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened."* (Isa. 35:5)
  2. David spoke in regard to spiritual eyesight:  
*"Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of thy law."* (Psa. 119:18)