

*"But there were false prophets also among the people, even as there shall be **false teachers** among you, who privily shall bring in damnable heresies, even denying the Lord that bought them, and bring upon themselves swift destruction. And many shall follow their pernicious ways; by reason of whom the Way of Truth shall be evil spoken of. And through covetousness shall they with feigned words make merchandise of you: whose judgment now of a long time lingereth not, and their damnation slumbereth not." 2 Peter 2:1-3 KJV*



What exactly is a “faith healer,” and whose faith does the healing? If it’s the “healer’s” faith, shouldn’t it work for everyone? If not, does that mean that the “healer” is faithless? The definitions are left purposely vague and open to individual interpretation, because if strictly defined, there would not be as many income opportunities for the self-proclaimed “healers.” Why do we never find them visiting hospitals? One has even built a hospital. They meticulously stage great shows and ceremonies to seduce the weak and ignorant, slyly picking pockets with great swelling words of Truth-laced rhetoric! Any “power” they may have is straight from the pit of hell! We all know that Satan is the master of delusion and has the power to affect the minds of the ignorant and foolish. Hypnotists use the same power to cause a man to believe he is a chicken! But they hasten to remind that, it will not work unless the subject is willing. Those seduced by Satan’s lies allow “*damnable heresies*” to enter and control their thinking through lust and unbelief. The discontented crowd auditoriums looking for some physical “sign” of Truth’s veracity giving their last dime in hope of great wealth! It’s the same as buying a lottery ticket! “*Faith is the...evidence of things NOT seen. An evil and adulterous generation seeketh after a sign; and there shall no sign be given to it.*” If there are physical signs or wonders, you can be sure that they are not of God! God has already manifested His love and power through Jesus Christ’s death and resurrection! He daily manifests His presence through the creation that surrounds you and fills your lungs with each breath! “*The Heavens declare the glory of God and the firmament showeth His handiwork.*” Paul stated, “*I have learned, in whatsoever state I am, therewith to be content,*” signifying that contentment is not a natural instinct, but must be acquired through faith. False teachers depend on ignorance, ego, and greed to gain wealth! It is the same ruse con-artists use. The faithful will not believe a lie, because “*ye shall know the Truth and the Truth shall make you free!*” The faithless can be manipulated with lust and ignorance. I’m 70% paralyzed and spend my waking moments in a wheelchair. I am content to be what and where God wants me for He knows best. Who am I to question His direction for my life? He knows the future and provides my every need, so if it’s His plan for me to be healed of my paralysis, I will be healed, but I will not seek after some “faith merchant” for some promised miracle! God’s Grace is abundantly sufficient and my life is protected in His very capable hands! I would not trade His sweet presence for the healthiest body in the world!

Denying God, the very KING,
Some, voices loud with scriptures ring,
While fleecing flocks that follow them,
They all will come to no good end. ~CGP

“*Godliness with contentment is great gain.*” Beware self-proclaimed “teachers” that live sumptuously off poor folk with Truth laced lies of great gain! Faith and all it brings is a gift from God, given through His Word. “*Faith cometh by...the Word of God.*” The best way to know the lie is to know the Truth!

"Then said Jesus to those...which believed on Him, If ye continue in my Word, then are ye my disciples indeed; And ye shall know the Truth, and the Truth shall MAKE you free." John 8:31-32 KJV