

"Real Faith"
John 4:43-54
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What was the nobleman's problem?

Answer: His son was extremely ill and at the point of death. (v.47)

Timeless Principle: God uses trials and suffering to bring us closer to Him.

Why did Jesus refuse to come to the nobleman's house?

Answer: Because Jesus was more concerned with the father's faith than He was in his son's sickness.

Timeless Principle: Real faith is not seeing and then believing; real faith is believing and then you'll see.

Timeless Principle: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and do not lean on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will make straight your paths."

Proverbs 3:5,6 (ESV)

Timeless Principle: Salvation is not simply believing in the word of God; it is also believing in the God of the word.