

Is Sickness Punishment?

Read John 9:1–7. Some people think that all sickness is punishment for sin. What did Jesus say about this idea in verse 3? Jesus healed the man and called healing “the works of [God] who sent me” (John 9:4).

Doctors, nurses, and many others work for the healing of sick people. If there is a doctor or nurse in your church, or if your church supports a medical missionary, talk to him or her about this Bible story. Ask that person how being a doctor or nurse is doing God’s work.

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