**Luke 17:11-19**

**Jesus Heals Ten Men With Leprosy**

When Jesus was alive some people had a disease called Leprosy.

They were called Lepers.

People with Leprosy had sore skin.

People were scared of Lepers.

Lepers were not allowed to stay with their friends and family.

Lepers were not allowed to touch anyone.

Jesus was not afraid to touch Lepers.

One day, Jesus wason his way to Jerusalem.

As he was going into a village he met ten men who were Lepers.

They stood far away from Jesus.

They called out in a loud voice, “Jesus, help us!”

Jesus said to them, “Go and show your skin to the priests."

The Lepers went to find the priests.

The Lepers' skin was healed.

Jesus had healed them.

One of the Lepers saw that he was healed.

He was very happy.

This Leper came back to speak to Jesus.

He shouted thanks to God.

He fell down at Jesus’ feet and thanked Jesus.

This man came from a different country than the other men—he was a Samaritan.

Jesus said,

“I healed 10 men. The other 9 men have not come back to say thank you.

The only man who has said thank you is this man.

This man is from a different country than us."

Jesus said to the man at his feet,

“Get up and go! Your skin is healed because you believe in God.”