

T'S IMPOSSIBLE, Pt 1 Episode 42 || January 10, 2021

## **Main Points**

As we get older, our list of what's impossible gets longer

With Jesus, impossible is the only thing that's actually impossible.

Sometimes it's easier to accept that God is ABLE to do the impossible than that he is WILLING

Jesus shows us God's heart.

When Jesus touches unclean things... they become clean.

When Jesus touches the impossible anything is possible.

Prayer: Jesus this is impossible. Please do your thing.

If nothing is truly impossible, what's possible for you?

A man with leprosy came and knelt in front of Jesus, begging to be healed. "If you are willing, you can heal me and make me clean," he said.

Moved with compassion, Jesus reached out and touched him. "I am willing," he said. "Be healed!" Instantly the leprosy disappeared, and the man was healed.

Then Jesus sent him on his way with a stern warning: "Don't tell anyone about this. Instead, go to the priest and let him examine you. Take along the offering required in the law of Moses for those who have been healed of leprosy. This will be a public testimony that you have been cleansed."

But the man went and spread the word, proclaiming to everyone what had happened. As a result, large crowds soon surrounded Jesus, and he couldn't publicly enter a town anywhere. He had to stay out in the secluded places, but people from everywhere kept coming to him.

Mark 1:40-45

# **Discussion Questions**

- 1. What personally stood out to you in this message and/or passage? Why do you think that is?
- 2. Jon said, "Sometimes it's easier to accept that God is ABLE to do the impossible than that he is WILLING." Do you agree or disagree, why? How do you think Romans 8:31-32 helps with this idea?
- 3. If Jesus were to say to you, "I am willing," what impossible thing would you ask him to do? How can your group pray for you in this?

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### **Recommended Reading:**

- Luke 4:16-21
- <u>John 9</u>

Additional Resources: The Chosen's Leper Scene Music we listened to while making this episode: <u>The Beatles- A Hard Day's Night</u> <u>Weezer- Troublemaker</u> <u>Red Rocks- Breakthrough</u>

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