I. WHAT ARE THE BIBLICAL REASONS GOD MAY NOT HEAL?

1. Unconfessed sin is one reason God may not heal—James 5:16; John 9:1-3.

2. Lack of faith is another reason God may not heal—Matt. 9:20-22; 28-29; Matt. 8:13.

3. Failure to ask is another reason God may not heal—James 4:2.

4. The need for demonic deliverance is another reason God may not heal—Acts 10:38; 2 Cor. 12:7.

5. A Higher Purpose is another reason God may not heal—Matt. 9:3; Romans 8:28; Rom. 9:21; 2 Cor. 12:7-10.

6. God’s timing may be another reason He doesn’t heal—Ecc. 3:2; Heb. 9:27; Rev. 21:4.

II. SINCE GOD DOESN’T HEAL EVERYONE, WHAT SHOULD WE DO?

A. Don’t quit praying for sick people because we don’t know the mind of God—James 5:13a, 14.

B. Remember though that pray and faith are not magic formulas.

C. Physical healing isn’t guaranteed in this life.

D. Realize that Spiritual healing or salvation, not Physical healing is our greatest need.