

Silver Creek Fellowship NOTES

February 27 and March 1

THE PEACE PLAN CARE FOR THE SICK

ATTITUDES TOWARD SICKNESS

Hinduism: Illusion (It's not really happening)

Buddhism: Indifference (Try not to feel it)

Islam: Resignation (It is will of Allah)

Stoicism: Toughness (Grit your teeth)

Christian: Compassion!

Matthew 14:14 "Jesus had compassion on them and healed their sick." (NIV)

HOW TO CARE FOR THE SICK

1. **THOUGHTFULNESS:** _____

Psalm 106: 44 "God saw their misery and heard their cry." (ICB)

"... He took notice of their distress." (TEV)

Psalm 142:4 "I look for someone to come and help me, but no one gives me a passing thought! No one will help me; no one cares a bit what happens to me." (NLT)

Matthew 25:36 "I was sick, and you cared for Me..." (NLT)

2. **PRESENCE:** _____

Psalm 38:11 "Because of my sickness, no friends or neighbors will come near me." (CEV)

Philippians 4:13-14 "I can do everything through Christ who strengthens me. Nevertheless, it was kind of you to share my troubles." (GW)

Isaiah 63:9a "In all their troubles, He was troubled, too. He didn't send someone else to help them. He did it Himself, in person." (Mes)

3. ACCEPTANCE: _____

1 Corinthians 15:43 "The bodies we have now embarrass us, for they become sick and die; but they will be full of glory when we come back to life again. Yes, they are weak, dying bodies now, but when we live again they will be full of strength." (LB)

Psalm 32:3 "When I kept things to myself, I felt weak deep inside me. I moaned all day long." (NCV)

Galatians 4:14 "Even though my illness was a trial to you, you did not treat me with contempt or scorn. Instead, you welcomed me... as if I were Christ Jesus himself." (NIV)

4. AFFIRMATION: _____

Proverbs 18:14 "Your will to live can sustain you when you are sick, but if you lose it, your hope is gone." (TEV)

Proverbs 15:4 "Kind words are good medicine." (CEV)

5. HEALING: _____

Luke 10:34 "(The Good Samaritan) went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine. Then he put the man on his own donkey, took him to an inn and took care of him." (NIV)

Proverbs 31:6 "Give strong drink to the one who is perishing." (ESV)

6. PREVENTION: _____

Proverbs 4:21-22 "Don't ever forget my words ... They are the key to life (and) they bring health to the whole body." (NCV)

Exodus 15:26 "If you obey all My commands and keep My rules, I will not bring on you any of the sicknesses I brought on the Egyptians." (NCV)

7. PRAYER: _____

James 5:16 "Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you may be healed. The earnest prayer of a righteous person has great power and wonderful results." (NLT)

James 5:14 "If you are sick, call for the church leaders. Have them pray for you and anoint you with oil in the name of the Lord." (GW)

3 John 1:2 "I am praying that all is well with you and that your body is as healthy as your soul is." (LB)