

Greed versus God's Glory

- I. Naaman _____ presents himself before Elisha (II Kings 5:15)
 - A. Naaman receives miraculous _____ healing (II Kings 5:14)
 - B. Naaman receives life changing _____ healing (II Kings 5:17b-19a)
- II. Elisha turns down Naaman's gifts (II Kings 5:16)
(Why does he turn down the money?)
 - A. Because God's physical and spiritual healing cannot be _____
 - B. Elisha would be _____ God's Glory
- III. Gehazi tries to _____ his greed (II Kings 5:19b-20)
(What's wrong with his rationalization?)
 - A. The focus should be on God's _____ not earthly things
 - B. The gifts were _____ to Elisha not Gehazi and he had no right to take them
 - C. Gehazi knew what he was doing was wrong because he did not _____ Elisha
- IV. Gehazi gives into his _____ (II Kings 5:22-25)
- V. Elisha _____ Gehazi (2 Kings 5:26)
- VI. The consequences Gehazi's greed (2 Kings 5:26-27)
 - A. Gehazi is afflicted with Naaman's _____ (2 Kings 5:27)
 - B. Gehazi was _____ God's glory
- VII. Questions to ponder
 - A. Are you taking _____ for God's work?
 - B. Are you encouraging and _____ your fellow believers?
 - C. Do you understand the destructive _____ of Greed?
 - D. Are you _____ with what God gives you?
 - E. Is your _____ on building God's kingdom or on building your earthly kingdom?