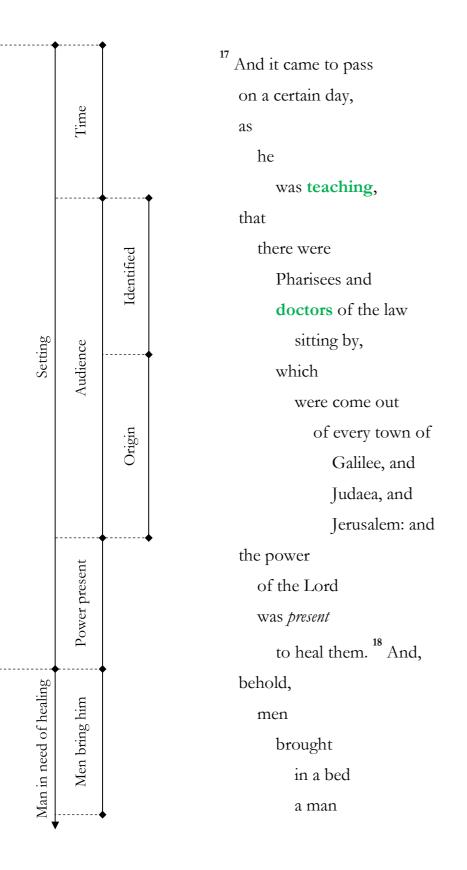
Luke 5:17-26

Jesus' ministry in Galilee: healing a paralytic, forgiving a sinner



which was taken His need with a palsy: and they Tried to enter sought *means* to bring him in, and to lay him before him.¹⁹ And when they Crowd prevented Man in need of healing could not find by what *way* they might bring him in because of the multitude, they went Solution / success upon the housetop, and let him down through the tiling with *his* couch into the midst before Jesus. ²⁰ And when Basis: faith he forgiveness saw their faith,

Jesus' response -

Jesus' response (concluded) Declares him forgiven Their thoughts They object to forgiveness Controversy with scribes and Phatisees over forgiveness Their questions He knew their thoughts Jesus' response to the scribes and Pharisees He questions them

he said

unto him,

"Man,

thy sins

are **forgiven** thee." ²¹ And

the scribes and

the Pharisees

began

to reason,

saying,

"Who is this

which

speaketh blasphemies?

Who

can forgive

sins,

but God

alone?"²² But

when

Jesus

perceived

their thoughts,

he

answering

said

unto them,

He questions them (concluded)		"What reason
		ye
		in your hearts?
	²³ Whether	
	is easier,	
	to say,	
	'Thy sins	
		be forgiven thee;'
		or
		to say,
		'Rise up and
	•	walk?' ²⁴ But
He heals the man	Purpose	that
		ye
		may know
		that
		the Son of man
		hath power
		upon earth
		to forgive sins
	(who he is speaking to)	(he
		said
		unto the sick
	·	of the palsy,)
	Commands to the paralytic	Ι
		say
	ne I	unto thee,

Controversy with the scribes and Pharisees over forgiveness (continued)

'Arise, and Arise Healing (concluded) Jesus' response (concluded) take up Take Controversy Commands (concluded) (concluded) bed thy couch, and home go Go into thine house."" ²⁵ And immediately Rises he rose up before them, and Of the paralytic took up Takes bed that whereon he lay, and Goes home departed to his own house, glorifying God. ²⁶ And Praise Response to healing Amazement they were all amazed, and they Praise glorified Of the people God, and were filled Fear with fear, saying, "We Quote have seen strange things to day."