

## Questions on John chapter 9

1. Why did the disciples ask such a question? Did anyone think the blind man sinned before he was born? Is physical disability the result of somebody's special sin? Verses 1-2.

2. What good opportunity was afforded Jesus because of the blind man's affliction and what was the urgency in taking advantage of it? Verses 3-4.

3. By bringing physical light to one born blind, what proof should have been available to all? Verse 5.

4. Do you think the blind man's healing was due to medicinal value in the clay, the water, or to the command of Jesus when coupled with obedience? Verses 6-7.

5. The matter of the man's identity was finally settled in what way? Verses 8-9.

6. Did the neighbors of the man ask about the fact of the man's healing or the manner of his healing? Verses 10-11.

7. Why do you think the neighbors and acquaintances took the former blind man to the Pharisees? Verses 12-13.

8. What is significant about Jesus healing the man on the Sabbath? Verse 14.

9. What was ignored by the Pharisees that should have been of the greatest interest? Verse 15.

10. What was the subject of the division among the Pharisees and what was the improved opinion of the healed man? Verses 16-17.

11. What three questions did the Jews ask the healed man's parents? Verses 18-19.

12. What two questions did the parents answer, and how did they very timidly evade the third one? Verses 20-21.

13. Did the parents decline to answer because of a lack of knowledge or for some other reason? Verses 22-23.

14. What was the meaning of the phrase, "Give glory to God," and how did the healed man avoid the trap of the Jews? Verses 24-25.

15. When the Jews were unable to discover any fraud, what did they do for the third time and what ironic, and humorous question was asked by the former blind man? Verses 26-27.

16. What is absurd about the Jews' boast of being disciples of Moses? Where did they get their knowledge about Moses and what first-hand testimony did they reject? Verses 28-29.

17. What was the "marvel," or the marvelous thing of the beggar? Verse 30.

18. How did the beggar know “that God heareth not sinners,” and what it takes for God to hear someone? Verse 31.

19. How does the beggar prove Jesus to be from God? Verses 32-33.

20. What do the Jews now admit that they had been denying, and how did they punish the former blind man? Verse 34.

21. Was the man at this point a believer in the Son of God? Verses 35-36.

22. If Jesus had been simply a good man, would he have received the worship of this man? Verses 37-38.

23. Is this verse a contradiction of John 3:17, which reads, “God sent not the Son into the world to judge the world” (American Standard Version)? Verse 39.

24. In what way were the Pharisees remaining in their sins? Verses 40-41.