

One Leper Made It

- Luke 17: 11-19
- brought people together who would never had been together
- pain God allows is good for us – brings us closer to Him if we allow it
- we can say “I was used by God”
- brought one person to God
- Jesus loves everyone not just those that meet our standard
- we are as lowly as a Samaritan
 - we are the spit on His face
 - we are the thorns on His head
 - we are the nails in his hands and feet
- we need to realize how merciful God is on personal level – will cause us to be grateful and praise God
- God accepts those with leprosy and He accepts me
- Samaritan was blessed – made well
- think church, think eternal - WORTH IT
- spiritual death
 - denial
 - anger
 - bargaining
 - increased depression
 - acceptance of death
- we have the same choice – to enjoy God’s mercy and blessing