

Salt – Heals  
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Text: 2 Kings 2:20-21

History and Background:

- The city of Jericho was defeated by Joshua – Joshua 6
- The city was not to be rebuilt – Joshua 6:26
- The restriction was violated with tragic consequences – 1 Kings 16:34

1. Salt was used to remove the curse and make possible healing.

“And he said, “Bring me a new bowl, and put salt in it.”

**Application:** No matter how cursed a person may feel, healing is possible.

2. Salt requires our active involvement before healing can take place.

“So they brought it to him. Then he went out to the source of the water, and cast in the **salt** there, and said, Thus says the LORD:”

**Application:** God’s people are the salt that brings spiritually healing

3. Salt remains a symbol of the healing potential God’s people possess.

“I have healed this water; from it there shall be no more death or barrenness.”

**Application:** The miracle healing power can still bring spiritual life