

# *Matthew's Gospel*

## Chapter 8a

### Job 16:9

He has torn me in His wrath and hated me; He has **gnashed His teeth** at me...

***“gnashing of teeth” = ANGER***

## Psalm 35:16

Like profane mockers at a feast, they **gnash at their teeth at me**.

## Psalm 37:12

The wicked plots against the righteous and **gnashes his teeth** at him...

## Psalm 112:10

The wicked man sees it and is angry; **he gnashes his teeth** and melts away...

## Lamentations 2:16

All your enemies rail against [Zion]; they hiss, **they gnash their teeth**, they cry: "We have swallowed her! Ah, this is the day we longed for; now we have it; we see it!"

## Luke 7:3-5

When the centurion heard about Yeshua, he sent to Him elders of the Jews, asking Him to come and heal his servant. And when they came to Yeshua, they pleaded with Him earnestly, saying, “He is worthy to have You do this for him, for he loves our nation, and he is the one who built us our synagogue.”





# Two Gentiles healed by Yeshua:

**The Centurian's  
Servant**

**The Canaanite  
Woman's Daughter**

## **ASSIGNMENT:**

- **Read the two accounts**
  - Matthew 8:5-13 + Luke 7:3-5
  - Matthew 15:21-28
- **Record as many differences as you can find.**
- **Record as many similarities as you can find**

- Faith complemented
- Reason
- "Table" mentioned
- Humility
- Gentiles
- Requests on behalf of another

### Centurian

- Physical
- Official
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- No Contact
- Willing
- Loved Israel
- Faith
- Merit

### Canaanite Woman

- Spiritual
- Commoner
- Disciples
- Direct Contact
- Unwilling
- ?
- Desire
- Mercy

## Genesis 12:3

“I will bless those who bless you, and him who dishonors you I will curse, and in you all the families of the earth shall be blessed.”

## Acts 10:1-4

At Caesarea there was a man named Cornelius, a centurion of what was known as the Italian Cohort, a devout man who feared God with all his household, gave alms generously to the people, and prayed continually to God.

About the ninth hour of the day he saw clearly in a vision an angel of God come in and say to him, “Cornelius.” And he stared at him in terror and said, “What is it, Lord?” And he said to him, “Your prayers and your alms have ascended as a memorial before God...”

## Connecting with Messiah:

- **Blessing the family of Messiah**
  - Loving the Jewish people
  - Being generous toward them
  
- **Spiritual insight into Messiah**
  - His authority
  - His program
  - His character

**These two are constantly  
under the enemy's attack!**