Known Only to God "Perfection not Required" 2nd Kings 7:3-11

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Introduction:

- This past week, did you find any Naaman's throughout the course of the week?
- In order to serve God, to bring honor to Him, in order to do the right thing ... Perfection is NOT Required.
- God loves you just the way you are ... BUT He refuses to leave you in the condition you are in.
- 2nd Kings 7:3-11

1. The Lesser of Two Evils:

- a. 2nd Kings 2:6
- b. Leprosy was feared by everyone.
- c. 2nd Kings 7:3
- d. 2nd Kings 7:4
- e. What these four guys don't know, is that their decision to go the Aramean camp, would put them right where God wants them to be.

2. From Outcast to Conqueror:

- a. 2nd Kings 7:5
- b. 2nd Kings 7:6-7
- c. God can finish it!
- d. 2nd Kings 7:8
- e. 2nd Kings 7:9
- f. Isaiah 64:6
- g. 2nd Kings 7:11
- h. 2nd Corinthians 12:9
- i. There are TWO Edges to this message:

i.

ii.

3. <u>Unclean, but Cleansed:</u>

- a. The Bible has a term for that, it is called REPENTENCE.
- b. It can be hard to think that God would accept us as unclean as we are.

