

THE FATAL FLAW OF HUMANITY

Matthew 8-9

The fatal flaw of humanity:

The flaw that will be fatal for humanity is our denial and rejection of the image of God in humanity

Matthew's Account:

Jesus showed us what godly love can accomplish!

Jesus said, “Whenever we do good to the least of God’s children, we have done it unto Him.”

Jesus does what no one else is willing to do.

Mark & Luke's Account:

The ten lepers from Samaria asked Jesus to show them mercy.

Luke highlights the leper’s gratitude and faith, and Jesus's compassion for the societal outcasts.

Reflection:

Our world is plagued with people who, if not restrained, would commit genocide (eradicating certain people groups).

They value their lives but have no value for others created in God’s image.

Every heartbeat, every person, and every patient is precious in the eyes of God.

We are called to mirror God's own inclusive love, as taught and demonstrated by Jesus.