

At that time, Jesus entering into a boat,  
passed over the water and came into  
His own city. And behold they brought  
Him one sick of the palsy lying in a  
bed: and Jesus seeing their faith, said  
to the man sick of the palsy: Be of

good heart, son, thy sins are forgiven

thee. And behold some of the scribes

said within themselves: He blasphemeth.

And Jesus seeing their thoughts said:

Why do you think evil in your hearts?

whether is it easier to say: Thy sins

are forgiven thee; or to say: Arise

and walk? But that you may know

that the Son of man hath power on

earth to forgive sins (then said He to

the man sick of the palsy): Arise,

take up thy bed, and go into thy house.

And he arose, and went into his house.

And the multitude seeing it, feared, and

glorified God who had given such power

to men.