

## Healing: Early Friends

**This is not a chronology: I could find no evolution of healing with 17<sup>th</sup> century Friends. Friends took Jesus at his word and healed as he did. George Fox was known for his commanding presence, piercing eye, voice of absolute assurance... Early Friends often said that they were, "Moved of the Lord," in the healing that they did. This information is from G. Fox's Journal, Cambridge Journal, Book of Miracles. This is a partial listing of Healing: Spiritual, Psychological, Physical, Moral, Mental – "The power to set right that which was wrong".**

1652 – Ulverston Riot, G. Fox – healing of his own hand & arm

1653 – Arnside, G. Fox heals Richard Myer's arm & legs

1655 – G. Fox raises up ? Baldock and she was well – nervous trouble

1653 – Cumberland, G. Fox, distracted woman

1653 – Bisboprick, G. Fox, woman unable to eat or speak

1653 – Hawkshead, G. Fox, 11yr. old boy in cradle

1654 - ?, Edward Burrough heals John Chandler, who had run into wickedness

1654 – Nailsworth, Thomas Atkins' wife, she heals a chief Presbyterian woman

1688 - ?, G. Fox & Rd. Farnsworth healed lame woman

1666 – New England, Samuel Hooten raised a woman as she lay dying

1672 – New England, G. Fox pulled John Jay's neck by his hair – given up as dead

1656 – prison, James Nayler raised Dorcas Erbury from the dead

1667 – Whitechapel, G. Fox, woman and child raised up

1677 – Cumberland, G. Fox, John Banks' hand & arm healed

**1654 - ?, G. Fox failed to cure a lame boy. 1656 James Nayler rides through Bristol**

1683 – Guildford, G. Fox, James Stacpole of extreme agony due to internal complaint

1662 – West Indies, John Taylor of York, William Fifield's daughter who lay dying

1658 – Poulner, Humphrey Smith, Mary Hinton distracted or distempered. This appears to have been a healing which involved several Friends including Anthony Melledge and William Bayly. They were all imprisoned together for "preaching".