

Awe

Part 6-Standing in Awe of the God Who Heals

Mark 5:40-56

In what ways are you in need of healing today?

Notice that Jesus...

1. was moved to COMPASSION by the sorrow of Jairus.

He pleaded earnestly with him, “My little daughter is dying. Please come and put your hands on her so that she will be healed and live.”²⁴ So Jesus went with him. Luke 8:23-24 NIV

2. felt the PAIN of ONE woman in a huge crowd of people.

A large crowd followed and pressed around Him.²⁵ And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years.²⁶ She had suffered a great deal under the care of many doctors and had spent all she had, yet instead of getting better she grew worse.²⁷ When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind Him in the crowd and touched His cloak,²⁸ because she thought, “If I just touch His clothes, I will be healed.”²⁹ Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering. At once Jesus realized that power had gone out from Him. He turned around in the crowd and asked, “Who touched My clothes?” “Who touched Me?” Jesus asked. Mark 5:24-30 NIV

3. RELEASED the woman from her suffering INTO His peace.

Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at His feet and, trembling with fear, told Him the whole truth.³⁴ He said to her, “Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering.” Mark 5:33-34 NIV

4. RESPONDED to these needs according to His TIMING.

While Jesus was still speaking, some people came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. “Your daughter is dead,” they said. “Why bother the Teacher anymore?”³⁶ Overhearing what they said, Jesus told him, “Don’t be afraid; just believe.” Mark 5:35-36 NIV

5. Gave Jairus' daughter a SECOND CHANCE in life.

He took her by the hand and said to her, "Talitha koum!" (which means "Little girl, I say to you, get up!").⁴² Immediately the girl stood up and began to walk around (she was twelve years old). At this they were completely astonished. Mark 5:41-42 NIV

Some thoughts for our lives...

1. Jesus is DEEPLY MOVED by our pain and suffering.

Jesus wept. John 11:35 NIV

2. In a world of 7 billion people, Jesus KNOWS our heart.

"You see the people crowding against You," His disciples answered, "and yet you can ask, 'Who touched Me?'" Mark 5:31 NIV

3. Regardless of your CONDITION, Jesus can REDEEM your life with just one TOUCH.

He took her by the hand... Mark 5:41 NIV

4. Jesus works on his TIMING knows what is BEST.

But do not forget this one thing, dear friends: With the Lord a day is like a thousand years, and a thousand years are like a day.⁹ The Lord is not slow in keeping his promise, as some understand slowness. Instead he is patient with you, not wanting anyone to perish, but everyone to come to repentance. 2 Peter 3:8-9 NIV

What needs healing in your life today?

Have you cried out to God? Have you drawn close to Him?

Are you willing to allow Him to redeem your life and give you another chance?

Can you trust Him no matter what happens?

Is Jesus your remedy?