

JUST BELIEVE AND SHE WILL BE HEALED

Luke 8:40-56

Key verse: 50

Discussion questions

- How much does God care about our issues and problems?
- What fears and doubts do we have to battle to just believe?

Inductive study questions

1. What was Jairus' situation? (40-42) What is a parent's hope and dream for their children? What do Jairus' actions in this story tell us about the state of his faith? What can helpless situations cause people to do?
2. What made this woman's situation so desperate and hopeless? (43) What did she have to overcome to touch Jesus? (44) What was unusual about the way she was healed?
3. What made Jesus seek out the healed person? (45-46) What does the woman's response show about her? (47a) How did she report to Jesus? What do Jesus' words mean to her? Why is Jesus' blessing of her faith important?
4. What news and advice came did Jairus receive? (49) What challenge and promise did Jesus give? (50) Why would this be so difficult? (51-52a) What did Jesus say about her and how did the people respond? (52b-53) What does this miracle show about Jesus?