
MESSAGE TO CONVERSATION GUIDE

I think it's too late.

1. Joel started out this message by talking about a Thanksgiving turkey cooking mishap from last year. What's your favorite Thanksgiving foods and what's one Thanksgiving food staple that you don't enjoy.
2. The opening story about not thawing the turkey out in enough time illustrated today's *fill in the blank* which was *I think it's too late*. What are some situations that can happen in our life where we think *it's too late*?
3. Read Mark 5:23-24. What's the problem Jairus is dealing with & how does he handle it? What's the lesson in that for us?
4. Refer back to Mark 5:24. When Jairus brought his problem to Jesus, it says, *Jesus went with him*. What principle can we takeaway from that?
5. Jairus was a 'Synagogue Ruler' which meant, people *usually* went to him with problems. But now, he's the one with a problem and out of desperation, he tracks down Jesus. Discuss this quote from the message, *when you're desperate & really need help, you pray different, you listen to sermons different, you worship different*. Have you experienced this and why do you think that is?
6. Read Mark 5:24-34. What happens on the way to Jairus' house? Discuss this talking point from the message, *have you ever been praying for a miracle in your life, but you see God do the miracle you want in someone else's life?*
7. Read Mark 5:35-36. What happened to Jairus' daughter? What did Jesus say in response? Why is the 1st half of Jesus' response contingent on the 2nd half?
8. When Jesus entered Jairus' house there was a lot of drama going on. Read Mark 5:40. What'd Jesus do? Discuss this quote from the message, *sometimes to get where you need to be in life, you have to remove some people from your life*.
9. Read the conclusion to the story in Mark 5:40-42. The story of Jairus *starts* with the feeling that *it's too late* but ends with Jairus being *totally amazed*. Have you ever experienced something similar because of Jesus in your own life?
10. What's your 1 takeaway from this message and/or discussion?