

# *Conversations With Jesus*

## *Women's Day of Teaching and Fellowship*

*April 5, 2025*

### *Conversation 2: Jesus and Our Suffering (Mark 5:21-43 NASB)*

#### **I. A Desperate Dad (Mark 5:21-24a)**

<sup>21</sup>When Jesus had crossed over again in the boat to the other side, a large crowd gathered around Him; and so He stayed by the seashore. <sup>22</sup>One of the synagogue officials named Jairus came up, and on seeing Him, fell at His feet <sup>23</sup>and implored Him earnestly, saying, "My little daughter is at the point of death; please come and lay Your hands on her, so that she will et well and live." <sup>24</sup>And He went off with him;

#### **II. A Bleeding Woman (Mark 5:24b-34)**

<sup>24b</sup>and a large crowd was following Him and pressing in on Him. <sup>25</sup>A woman who had had a hemorrhage for twelve years, <sup>26</sup>and had endured much at the hands of may physicians, and had spent all that she had and was not helped at all, but rather had grown worse – <sup>27</sup>after hearing about Jesus, she came up in the crowd behind Him and touched His cloak. <sup>28</sup>For she thought, "If I just touch His garments, I will get well." <sup>29</sup>Immediately the flow of her blood was dried up; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her affliction. <sup>30</sup>Immediately Jesus, perceiving in Himself that the power proceeding from Him had gone forth, turned around in the crowd and said, "Who touched My garments?" <sup>31</sup>And His disciples said to Him, "You see the crowd pressing in on You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?'" <sup>32</sup>And He looked around to see the woman who had done this. <sup>33</sup>But the woman fearing and trembling, aware of what had happened to her, came and fell down before Him and told Him the whole truth. <sup>34</sup>And He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace and be healed of your affliction."

#### **III. A Dead Daughter (Mark 5:35-43)**

<sup>35</sup>While He was still speaking, they came from the house of the synagogue official, saying, "Your daughter has died; why trouble the Teacher anymore?" <sup>36</sup>But Jesus, overhearing what was being spoken, said to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid any longer, only believe." <sup>37</sup>And He allowed no one to accompany Him, except Peter and James and John the brother of James. <sup>38</sup>They came to the house of the synagogue official; and He saw a commotion, and people loudly weeping and wailing. <sup>39</sup>And entering in, He said to them, "Why make a commotion and weep? The child has not died, but is asleep." <sup>40</sup>They began laughing at Him. But putting them all out, He took along the child's father and mother and His own companions, and entered the room where the child was. <sup>41</sup>Taking the child by the hand, He said to her, "Talitha kum!" (which translated means, "Little girl, I say to you, get up!"). <sup>42</sup>Immediately the girl got up and began to walk, for she was twelve years old. And immediately they were completely astounded. <sup>43</sup>And He gave them strict orders that no one should know about this, and He said that something should be given her to eat.

### **Discussion Questions – Conversation 2**

1. Which character in the story did you resonate with most? Why?

