

Message-Based Questions for Week of January 21, 2018

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Opening Question:

There are over 500 phobias that have been identified in modern society. Fears surround us and new fears seem to appear out of nowhere. (This is actually a phobia called Xenophobia - the irrational sensation of fear experienced about a person or a group of persons as well as situations that are perceived as strange or foreign.)

Can you share an interesting or unusual fear you had as a child?

Scripture: Mark 5:21-43

Discussion Questions:

1. How does fear typically confront you? Is it an immediate panic or more like a slow boil that just keeps growing in intensity?
2. When fear surfaces, what is your first response? What responses actually work?
3. What might be the fear of the woman in verse 25? Tell us about a situation where you responded to fear like her.
4. What might be the fear of Jairus in verse 35?
5. How far do you go to avoid fear?
6. What is the role of faith and how do we find victory over our fears?
7. How are you influencing others to face their fears?

Application:

What Scriptures can help you as you face your fears?

- ✓ Make a list of those Scriptures where Faith in God replaces fear.
- ✓ Memorize them.