A Miracle Within A Miracle

Luke 8:40-56

Luke 8:40 So it was, when Jesus <u>returned</u>,(One) that the <u>multitude welcomed Him</u>, for they were <u>all waiting for</u> Him.

41 And behold, there came a man named <u>Jairus</u>, and he was a <u>ruler</u> (leader) of the <u>synagogue</u>. And he <u>fell down</u> at <u>Jesus' feet</u> and <u>begged Him</u> to <u>come</u> to his <u>house</u>, Jairus was <u>Desperate</u> for help! "<u>Lay hands on her</u>"

42 for he had an **only daughter** about **twelve** years of age, and she was **dying**.

Life is **HARD**! Sickness! Death! Kids dying **heartbreaking**! Funerals for kids (2) Cancer! (August 14)

Life is **HARD!** God is **GOOD!** Don't get the two **CONFUSED!**

42 for he had an only daughter about twelve years of age, and she was dying. But **as He went**, the multitudes **thronged** Him.

Tick, Tick, Tick! (Worst possible scenario!) It Wasn't!

43 Now a <u>woman</u>, having a <u>flow of blood</u> (menstrual or postpartum) for <u>twelve years</u>, who had <u>spent all her</u> <u>livelihood</u> on physicians & <u>could not be healed</u> by <u>any</u>, (Mk- ·suffered many things from many physicians ·growing worse)

This Woman- Desperate! Depleted! Discouraged! Damaged!

Life in a fallen world can be so HARD! God is GOOD! LOVE!

These are **Foundational Scriptural Truths...** we fall back on when facing things we **don't understand! Suffering! 44** came from behind and **touched** the **border of His garment**. And **immediately** her flow of blood stopped.
Unclean—> Clean / Sin—> Righteous —> **Justified!**

45 And Jesus said, "Who touched Me?" When all denied it, Peter and those with him said, "Master, the multitudes throng and press You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?' "

46 But Jesus said, "<u>Somebody touched Me</u>, for I perceived <u>power</u> going out from Me."

NOT ALL were **touching** Jesus the same way!
Where there was **faith**... (healing) **POWER** ** went forth!

47 Now when the woman saw that she was <u>not hidden</u>, she came <u>trembling</u>; and <u>falling down before Him</u>, she declared to Him in the presence of all the people the <u>reason</u> she had <u>touched</u> Him and how she was <u>healed immediately</u>.

Jesus was **drawing out** of this woman... A **PUBLIC** faith. Not a **hidden** faith! (Selah).

- 1. Jesus wants to use us from the moment we're saved!
- 2. There was someone listening that day that needed to hear her story—> **Jairus!** (Selah)
- Tick, Tick, Tick! (For the sufferer God is always too **slow**!)

48 And He said to her, <u>Daughter</u>, be of <u>good cheer</u>; your <u>faith</u> has made you <u>well</u> (whole, <u>saved</u>). Go in <u>peace</u>.Rom 5:1

49 While He was still speaking, someone came from the ruler of the synagogue's house, saying to him, "**Your daughter is dead**. Do not trouble the Teacher."

Tick, Tick- Our Timing... so often **NOT** His timing! **Jn 7 50** But when Jesus heard it, He answered him, saying,
"Do not be afraid; only believe, & she will be made well."

Mark 9:23 "If you can <u>believe</u>, <u>all things are</u> <u>possible to him who believes</u>." 24 Immediately the father of the child cried out and said with tears, "Lord, I believe; help my unbelief!"

51 When He came into the house, He permitted no one to go in except **Peter, James, & John**, & the **father** (Jairus) and **mother** of the girl.

- Discipleship! Peter! Missing? Plan B?
- Things were going to get WORSE before they got better!

52 Now all wept and mourned for her; but He said, "Do not weep; she is not <u>dead</u>, but <u>sleeping</u>." **53** And they ridiculed Him, knowing that she was dead.

Body, soul & spirit! ? (mic stand)

54 But He put them all outside, took her by the hand and called, saying, "Little girl, arise." [from the sleep of death]

55 Then her spirit returned, and she arose immediately.And He commanded that she be given something to eat.56 And her parents were <u>astonished</u>, but He charged them to <u>tell no one</u> what had happened.

A Miracle within a Miracle! As we enter into this Story... I'm stirred to BELIEVE God for miracles this morning!

- 1. You need healing! No one able to help you! Stripes!
- 2. Your burdened child, spouse, parent.. Lord I believe!
- 3. Your not saved! Lord is awakening you from, your sleep of death! Believe saved? Justified? Peace?