

EMOTIONS—1

WHERE IS GOD WHEN YOU HURT?

Soon afterward Jesus went with his disciples to the village of Nain, and a large crowd followed him. ¹² A funeral procession was coming out as he approached the village gate. The young man who had died was a widow's only son, and a large crowd from the village was with her. ¹³ When the Lord saw her, his heart overflowed with compassion. "Don't cry!" he said. ¹⁴ Then he walked over to the coffin and touched it, and the bearers stopped. "Young man," he said, "I tell you, get up." ¹⁵ Then the dead boy sat up and began to talk! And Jesus gave him back to his mother. ¹⁶ Great fear swept the crowd, and they praised God, saying, "A mighty prophet has risen among us," and "God has visited his people today."

Luke 7:11-16 NLT

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TALK IT OVER

How can we remind ourselves that God is with us and loves us, even during tough times?

What cares and concerns can you cast on Jesus this week?

How can you reach across lines to love others this week?

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