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Luke 18:13-14

13 "But the tax collector stood at a distance and dared not even lift his eyes to heaven as he prayed. Instead, he beat his chest in sorrow, saying, 'O God, be merciful to me, for I am a sinner.' 14 I tell you, this sinner, not the Pharisee, returned home justified before God. For those who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted."

Luke 7:6-8

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Jesus loves humble faith! Trust His worthiness, not in what we deserve.

Luke 7:9-10

9 When Jesus heard this, he was amazed. Turning to the crowd that was following him, he said, "I tell you, I haven't seen faith like this in all Israel!" 10 And when the officer's friends returned to his house, they found the slave completely healed.



- 1. Amazing faith hears about Jesus and hears from Jesus and responds with action and obedience to what He says.
- 2. Amazing faith keeps a humble view of ourselves and the highest view of Jesus. He is God we are not.
- 3. Amazing faith finds God and trusts in Jesus. It does not hold back or walk away for any reason.

