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Escape Normal



Lesson 3
Start Believing
(01/25-26/2014)

Mark 5:25 And there was a woman who had had a discharge of blood for twelve years, *26* and who had suffered much under many physicians, and had spent all that she had, and was no better but rather grew worse. *English Standard Version*

Mark 5:27 She had heard the reports about Jesus and came up behind him in the crowd and touched his garment. *28* For she said, "If I touch even his garments, I will be made well." *29* And immediately the flow of blood dried up, and she felt in her body that she was healed of her disease. *30* And Jesus, perceiving in himself that power had gone out from him, immediately turned about in the crowd and said, "Who touched my garments?" *31* And his disciples said to him, "You see the crowd pressing around you, and yet you say, 'Who touched me?'" *32* And he looked around to see who had done it. *33* But the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling and fell down before him and told him the whole truth. *34* And he said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace, and be healed of your disease." *English Standard Version*

In Lesson One I emphasized

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Your faith can change your fate

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The Jesus you know is the Jesus that shows

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Only released faith activates

2 Corinthians 4:13 It is written: **“I believed; therefore I have spoken.”** With that same spirit of faith **we also believe and therefore speak,** *New International Version*

Mark 11:21 Peter remembered and said to Jesus, “Rabbi, look! The fig tree you cursed has withered!” *New International Version*

Mark 11:22 “Have faith in God,” Jesus answered. *New International Version*

Mark 11:22 And Jesus, answering, said to them, **Have God’s faith.** *Bible in Basic English*

Mark 11:22 Jesus was matter-of-fact: **“Embrace this God-life. Really embrace it,** *Message Bible*

Mark 11:22 And Jesus answering saith to them, **‘Have faith of God;** *Young’s Literal Translation*

Faith can move things out of and into our lives by speaking

Mark 11:23 “I tell you the truth, **if anyone says** to this mountain, ‘Go, throw yourself into the sea,’ and does not doubt in his heart **but believes that what he says will happen,** it will be done for him. *New International Version*

Faith can brings things into our lives by us praying

Mark 11:24 Therefore I tell you, whatever you ask for in prayer, **believe that you have received it,** and it will be yours. *New International Version*

Mark 6:53 When they had crossed over, they landed at Gennesaret and anchored there. **54** As soon as they got out of the boat, people recognized Jesus. **55** They ran throughout that whole region and carried the sick on mats to wherever they heard he was. **56** And wherever he went—into villages, towns or countryside—they placed the sick in the marketplaces. **They begged him to let them touch even the edge of his cloak, and all who touched him were healed.** *New International Version*

Jesus wants to heal you

Psalms 103:1 Praise the LORD, O my soul; all my inmost being, praise his holy name. **2** Praise the LORD, O my soul, and **forget not all his benefits** **3** who forgives all your sins and **heals all your diseases**, **4** who redeems your life from the pit and crowns you with love and compassion, **5** who satisfies your desires with good things so that your youth is renewed like the eagle's. *New International Version*

Jesus promised to meet your needs and bless your giving

Philippians 4:18 I have received full payment and even more; I am amply supplied, now that I have received from Epaphroditus the gifts you sent. They are a fragrant offering, an acceptable sacrifice, pleasing to God. **19** And **my God will meet all your needs** according to his glorious riches in Christ Jesus. *New International Version*

Luke 6:38 **Give, and it will be given to you.** A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you." *New International Version*

Jesus set you free from sin

Romans 6:1 Well then, should we keep on sinning so that God can show us more and more of his wonderful grace? **2** Of course not! Since **we have died to sin**, how can we continue to live in it? *New Living Translation-SE*

Romans 6:6 We know that our old sinful **selves were crucified with Christ** so that sin might lose its power in our lives. We are no longer slaves to sin. **7** For when we died with Christ we **were set free from the power of sin**. *New Living Translation-SE*

Mark 16:17 And these signs will accompany those who believe: In my name... **18** ... they will **place their hands on sick people**, and they will get well." *New International Version*