

Miracles of Jesus

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THE MIRACLES OF JESUS

PART IV: A TOUCH OF FAITH

Mark 5: 25-34 (NIV). *“And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years. She had suffered a great deal under the care of many doctors and had spent all she had, yet instead of getting better she grew worse. **When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind** him in the crowd and touched his cloak, because she thought, **“If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed.”** Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering. At once Jesus realized that power had gone out from him. He turned around in the crowd and asked, “Who touched my clothes?” “You see the people crowding against you,” his disciples answered, “and yet you can ask, ‘Who touched me?’” But Jesus kept looking around to see who had done it. Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at his feet and, trembling with fear, told him the whole truth. He said to her, “Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering.”*

This passage teaches us four things:

1. It teaches us about our individual faith.
2. It teaches us about the miraculous power of believing in the word of God.
3. It teaches us about who Jesus is
4. It teaches us about who we are to Jesus.

WHAT CAN WE LEARN FROM THE WOMAN WITH THE ISSUE OF BLOOD?

1. HEARD TALK ABOUT JESUS.

When this woman heard about Jesus, her life was transformed, and hope was born again in her heart. What she heard changed the course of her life, set her in a new path and planted a seed of faith.

Proverbs 4:20-22 (KJV). *“My son, pay attention to what I say. Listen carefully to my words. Don't lose sight of them (read - meditate). Let them sink into the depths of your heart, for they bring life to those who encounter them and health to the whole body.”*

2. ACTED AND I RECEIVED THEIR MIRACLE.

Mark 5:27 (NIV). *"She came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak."*

REMEMBER: Nothing will change in your life until you act on the word of God that you have heard, believe it, and put it into practice.

James 1:22 (NLT). *" Don't just listen to God's word; put it into practice."*

The word of God has the power to fill us with faith, to act and receive a miracle in our lives.

THIS STORY ALSO TEACHES US WHO JESUS IS AND WHO WE ARE TO HIM.

This story is not just about a physical miracle, but also about a holistic restoration that shows us Jesus' compassionate heart, his power to heal, and his deep desire to connect with us personally.

APRENDEMOS DE JESÚS QUE:

- 1. Jesus responds to faith.** That was the woman's key: she had faith. She had no health, no money, and no access to the temple. She was excluded by society and considered unclean. But she had faith. And it was that faith that gave her access to Jesus.
- 2. Jesus doesn't reject us.** He didn't turn away. He didn't ignore her. On the contrary, He stopped everything for her.
- 3. Jesus cares about you.** He cares about your pain, your story, your current state.
- 4. Jesus is willing.** He can heal you, He can set you free, He can restore you. You just need faith. A courageous faith.

WHO WE ARE TO JESUS:

For Jesus, we are not just one of the crowd. We are his children; you are his daughter, his son, and he wants to affirm you in that truth. Jesus wants to encounter you, heal you, and affirm you as his child.

Hebrews 13:8. *"Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.."*

He continues to perform miracles.



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