

Two Daughters
Luke 8:40-56

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Suggested Questions for Individual
Study or Group Discussion*



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- *Read Luke 8:40-56.* How would you describe the scene with the crowd gathered around Jesus? What do you imagine it would have looked, sounded, and even smelled like?
- How are Jairus and the woman needing healing similar to each other? How are they different? What can you deduce about each one's character?
- How does Jairus put his faith and hope in Jesus? What might be working against doing this? How are Jairus and his family's life changed by Jesus?
- What are the different ways in which the woman's illness affected her (cf. Mark 5:25-26)? How does Jesus' response to her address each of her needs?
- From his interactions with both the woman and Jairus, what can you learn about Jesus? What stands out to you about the way Jesus treats them and what he does for them?
- When have you felt desperate for Jesus' help? What did you do? How did Jesus respond?
- In what area of your life today do you long for Jesus' help? What concrete step of faith can you take to move toward Jesus? How will you do that? How can your small group or others support and pray for you?

For Family Discussion: Talk about what it feels like to be in a big crowd of people. Read Luke 8:40-56. Ask: *What do both Jairus and the woman want Jesus to do? What makes Jesus help them? Where does our family need Jesus to help us? How can we ask him for help? Pray and thank the Lord for help he has given and ask for help where needed.*

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