

Touching Stories of Desperate Situations Mark 5.21–43 Jace Cloud | Lead Pastor 6.11.23

Notes

1. A "Touching" Request (5.21-24)

2. Touched by an Unclean Woman (5.25-34)

3. Touching a Dead Girl (5.35–43)



Here is your "One Thing" for this week: Thank God that He is more powerful than any devastating news that comes your way. Ask Him to help you reach out to Him first when the disasters of life hit.

I. **EQUIP** — Mark places the story of the woman with chronic bleeding inside the story about Jairus' daughter, and obviously means for us to consider them together. How are both stories about desperation and faith?

II. **ENGAGE** — How do these stories encourage us that no person is beyond Jesus' ability to touch?

III. EXALT — Do you know anyone who came to Jesus in desperation, convinced He was the only One who could help? Have you ever felt that way? Have you ever been frustrated with God's timing? Have you ever felt He waited until it was too late—but then He came through? Explain.

