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**Lesson 10 – The Weakness of the World**

**Mark 5:21 – 6:6**

**Day 1 – Review**

1. What challenged or encouraged you from the lecture, and how did it help you in your Christian walk?

2. What in the notes helped you to understand God’s Word, and how did you
apply it?

**Day 2 – Read Mark 5:21-34**

*Please pray before beginning your lesson. A possible verse to pray is Colossians 3:16. Lord, I pray that the word of Christ would dwell in me richly and teach me with all wisdom, as I come to you with gratitude in my heart.*

3. After Jesus crossed again in the boat to the other side, who approached Him? What did he *do* and *ask* of Jesus?

4. ***Thought Question:*** Keep in mind that most synagogue leaders did not believe in Jesus’ teachings, so Jarius had to overcome preconceived ideas and negative opinions.

a) What did Jairus choose to believe

b) How did he approach Jesus?

c) What do you think motivated Jairus to approach Jesus?

5. Focusing on verses 27, 28, and 33, examine the similarities between the account of how Jairus approached Jesus with how the woman with a bleeding disorder approached Him.

a) What did she choose to believe?

b) How did she approach Jesus?

c) What motivated her to approach Jesus?

6. From verses 25-26, describe the effects of the woman’s illness on her life.

7. ***Personal Question:*** Has there ever been a time in your life when you had to overcome physical, mental, or social obstacles to get to Jesus?

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*Apply this day: Believe in Jesus, cast out all vain imaginations. Fall humbly at King Jesus’ feet and lay your request before him with great expectations. Psalm 5:3*

**Day 3 – Read Mark 5:22-34**

*Please pray before beginning your lesson today.*

8. What statement did Jairus make in verse 23 and the woman make in verse 28, each of which revealed their faith in Jesus?

9. In both accounts of Jairus and the woman, what did Jesus do in response to their faith? (See verses 24 and 30)

10. Beside each of the following cross references, write down something you learn about faith and how God responds to your faith in Jesus:

Heb 11:1, 6 –

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Mark 9:23 –

Matt 9:28-29 –

Matt 9:22 –

11. ***Thought Question:*** The Lord Jesus is all knowing, and nothing is hidden from His sight. (Hebrews 4:13) So why do you think Jesus asked, out loud, who had touched Him? What did He want her to do?

12. What was Jesus’ response to her?

13. ***Personal Question:*** What word or words does Jesus use in His public statement concerning the woman’s healing that reveals she was not only physically healed but also spiritually healed as well?

What lesson might you apply to your own life from this verse?

*Apply this day: Jesus offers you the opportunity to be called His daughter. Believe in Him and His words; approach Him humbly and thank Him that you can tell Him the whole truth of your life and receive peace in response to your faith. Be willing to openly tell someone what Jesus has done for you.*

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**Day 4 – Read Mark 5:35-43**

*Please pray before beginning your lesson today.*

14. What happened to Jairus' daughter while Jesus stopped to heal the woman? What did Jesus say to Jairus in response to the news?

15. ***Thought Question:*** How do you think Jairus must have felt with the news that his daughter had died while Jesus had stopped to heal the woman? Whose words did Jairus choose to believe: the people’s or Jesus’?

16. How do the following verses help you when it comes to controlling your thoughts (and therefore also your emotions)?

2 Corinthians 10:5

Philippians 4:8

17. ***Personal Question:*** What spiritual principle can you draw from these passages?

Mark 5:36–

Joshua 1:9 –

Isaiah 41:10-

John 14:27 –

Psalm 23:4, 6 –

18. What did Jesus declare upon entering the home of Jarius (vs. 39), and what happened in verse 41-42?

*Apply this day: God repeats over and over from Genesis to Revelation: do not fear. Faith is the antidote to fear. Believe today that God loves you and have faith in His perfect love to cast out your fears.*

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**Day 5 – Read Mark 6:1-6**

*Please pray before beginning your lesson today.*

19. Where did Jesus go? Who went with Him? And what did He do there?

20. From the passage, list the questions the people asked one another about Jesus as He taught.

21. Look back at Mark 1:15 to remember what Jesus came to teach. What was His message?

Mark 1:15 –

22. ***Thought Question:*** Mark 6:3 tells us Jesus’ hometown crowd was offended. Describe some of the offensive thoughts they might have had about Him, and how do some people today take similar offense at Jesus and His message?

23. Jesus wasn’t surprised at their reaction. What did He say in response to them?

24. Look closely at Mark 6:5-6 along with Matthew 13:58. What important truth is revealed to us in this passage?

25. ***Personal Question:*** What is still needed for Jesus’ mighty works (miracles) to be evident today? See Matthew 21: 21-22

*Apply this day: Jesus marveled at the lack of faith in his own hometown—the very place where they should’ve been first to recognize Him as specially anointed by God. Today, confess with your mouth that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, and be saved. (Romans 10:9)*

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**Day 6 – Reread Mark 5:33-34 (SOAP)**

*Please pray before beginning your study.*

**Scripture** – *Write the verse.*

**Observation** – *Record something you learned from this verse*. *Possible questions to ask for observation: What principle do I learn? What warning should I heed? What commandment should I obey? What aspect of God’s character do I see?*

**Application** – *How can I apply this verse to my life?*

**Prayer** – *Pray to God, praise Him, and ask Him for what you need in response to what you learned. Write down your prayer.*