

GOD IS BIG ENOUGH

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TO HEAL OUR DISEASES MARK 5:25-34

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Using This Study

O EXAMINE His Word

What does God SAY? Open your time with prayer. The words God uses to communicate matters, so go back and pay close attention to the details that are emphasized or repeated in the passage.

9 EXPLORE His Word

What does God MEAN? Asking questions of the text helps surface how the details relate to the message God wants to communicate.

© EMBRACE His Word

Why does it MATTER to me? Embrace God by responding to what you discover in His word in faith and obedience.



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O EXAMINE His Word

What does God SAY? Prayerfully note significant details and terms emphasized in the passage.

Read Mark 5:25-34 (ESV)

- 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.
- 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."

@EXPLORE His Word

What does God MEAN?

1. Why did the woman believe that touching Jesus' clothing would cause her to be healed?

2. Must a person be a believer for God to heal them?

3.	How should a person feel, who has faith to be healed, and yet, they are not healed?
4.	What was it about this woman's touch that made Jesus feel different?
5.	When you ask God to meet your needs, what should you do while you wait?
6.	When we are suffering through some debilitating illness, is it God's will?
7.	Why didn't Jesus condemn this woman for violating the law to get to Him?
8.	Has there ever been a time in your life that you felt like the "Footprint in the Sand" illustration?.

② EMBRACE His Word	
Why does this MATTER to me?	
Summarize your thoughts on the passage:	
Write about what God wants you to KNOW, to FEEL, and to DO	
Sermon Notes	