

# LifeGroup Meeting

Jesus Is My Hero 14  
"Jesus is Interruptible"

## **Get To Know You Question:**

Why do you think most of us hate to be interrupted when we are doing something?

## **Let's Dig Deeper**

**Jesus is my hero because he is not only available when I need him, but he is interruptible as well.**

1. Someone read **Mark 5:21-34**
  - Explain the similarities between Jairus and the woman
  - Explain the differences.
  - What obstacles did Jairus and the woman have to overcome to reach out to Jesus for help?
2. How do you think this woman must have felt suffering through this illness for 12 years?
  - What would you consider to be the worst of this woman's problems:
    - i. Her physical suffering
    - ii. Being financially drained
    - iii. Being a social outcast
    - iv. Always being religiously impure
    - v. Guilt and low self-esteem.
3. What kind of doubts or feelings toward God may have arisen in those 12 years.
  - Why do you think God allowed this to happen for so long
  - What might she have learned through those 12 years.
  - Why did this woman have the confidence that a mere touch of Jesus' garment would make her well? What was on the corner of Jesus' garment?
  - What should we take from the fact that both Jesus and the woman felt power transfer from Jesus?
  - Why does the woman's knowledge of what happened to her cause her to respond to Jesus' question with "fear and trembling" (think of any and all possibilities)?

- Describe what the woman's new life will be like (spiritual, religious, family, community, personal) now that she leaves in "peace" and "healed."
4. Why do you think Jesus asked who touched him?
    - What was the result of this question? For the woman? For the crowd? For the disciples?
  5. How do you think Jairus must have felt by this interruption?
  6. In what ways do these two people, Jairus and the woman, most remind you of yourself (pick the best one that fits you and then explain):
    - Desperate for a cure or answer
    - Having pain that no one can see
    - Struggling with God's timing
    - Struggling with finances
    - Feeling alone
    - Feeling spiritually impure
    - Feeling frustrated at the interruptions of life
    - Being shy about asking for help.
  7. Jesus is a hero because he is always approachable. How has this helped you in your faith?
  8. Jesus is a hero because he is always available. How has this helped you in your faith?
  9. How has seeing Jesus as being interruptible helped you in your faith?
  10. Pray as a group.