

# The Servant of God

## The Gospel of Mark Series

### Serving is Not for Wimps- Part 2

#### Mark 5:21-42

#### **The Sovereign Servant** **“Compassion in Crisis”**

Different people, different problems

Jarius was a somebody

The woman was a nobody

Jarius was wealthy, she was bankrupt

His 12-year old daughter lay dying

She had suffered 12 years in sickness

#### **The Sovereign Servant** **“Compassion in Crisis”**

Different people, different problems

She suffered physically-

a) Sick

b) Weak

She suffered socially-

a) Unclean

b) Unfit

She suffered mentally-

a) Depressed

b) Desperate

#### **The Sovereign Servant** **“Compassion in Crisis”**

Different people, different problems

He swallowed his pride

Nothing else mattered

No one else mattered

He surrendered his power

He was helpless-nothing could fix her

He was useless-he couldn't fix her

## **The Sovereign Servant “Confronting the Crisis”**

\*Jesus counted the costs

Physically- personally

\*The disciples were oblivious

Lacked sensitivity

Inwardly focused

Everything is not about us!

## **The Sovereign Servant “Confronting the Crisis”**

\*The woman

Public profession

Change confirmation

\*Jarius

Faith in the One who could do something

Faith in the future He has for us!