Guide for Discussion, Reflection and Listening



EPISODE 6: Indescribable Compassion

THE CHOSEN

Journey with Jesus in a whole new way!

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Scriptural References:

-Mark 2: 2-12

-Matthew 8: 1-4

-Luke 18:1-14

Characters

Jesus, Mary Magdalene, Nicodemus, Simon, Andrew, Tamar, The Leper, James, John, The Paralytic

Personal Reflection Question:

What is your one Big Question from this episode? (What captured your imagination and what would you ask God about the events portrayed?

QUOTES:

The Leaper: "Please don't turn away from me."

Jesus: "I won't."

Matthew: "They don't believe what I saw but I do. I need to know, am I deceived?"

Nicodemus: "If God did something that you felt contradicted the Torah, would you tell him to get back in that box you carved for him or would you question your interpretation of the Torah?"

Jesus to Tamar: "Your faith is beautiful."

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Discussion Questions:

- 1. Which characters or scenes stood out to you the most? Which were the most interesting?
- 2. What healing are you believing Jesus for? Even Jesus said to Tamar, "Your faith is beautiful."
- 3. Who would you equate with a tax collector today? A Roman soldier? A Jewish citizen?
- 4. How did Jesus preach about and show compassion? Do you think there is a difference between compassion, giving, empathy and good will?
- 5. What is holding you back from the kind of bold faith the leper had?
- 6. How can you connect with people in your life who aren't part of the "in" crowd?
- 7. In order to take such extreme measures, what must the four friends, who carried their friend, believe about Jesus?
- 8. What would it have felt like to have been one of the disciples in the room with Jesus when the roof began to open up? How would you have reacted?