

# Weekly Discussion Guide – 8-20-2023

“A Foretaste”  
Mark 5:35-43

1. Have you ever taken a trip that felt like you would never get to your destination? What kept you going, broke up the trip, reminded you that you were making progress?
2. Read Mark 5:21-43. Talk about the similarities and difference between the two miracle stories – Jairus’ daughter and the woman with the bleeding condition.
3. Put yourself in Jairus’ shoes. What range of emotions might he have felt between the time he approached Jesus and the time Jesus got to his house?
4. Have you ever witnessed or experienced a miracle that seemed incomplete? Or a situation where a miracle seemed to happen in one place but not another for no apparent reason?
5. Can you describe what it looks like for you to be desperate for God even when you’re not experiencing a desperate situation?
6. How do we remain present to Jesus and have the assurance of faith even when we don’t know what He’s up to?