

# "CONSCIOUS AND INTENTIONAL MINISTRY: DOING WHO I AM"

Also I heard the voice of the Lord saying: "Whom shall I send, And who will go for Us?" Then I said, "Here am I! Send me." Isaiah 6:8

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# **TEXT: MARK 5:21-43**

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# TITLE: MY GOD CAN DO IT AND MY GOD WILL DO IT

### INTRODUCTION

- A. It is terrible to feel abandoned and forsaken by someone
- B. It is even worse to feel abandoned and forsaken by God
- C. However, <sup>8</sup> And the Lord, He is the One who goes before you. He will be with you, He will not leave you nor forsake you; do not fear nor be dismayed. (Deuteronomy 31:8)

### I KNOW THAT JESUS CAN DO IT

- A. Jesus' popularity was growing
- B. Even among the religious leaders
- C. Jairus
  - 1. Saw Jesus and fell at His feet
  - 2. Begged Him earnestly (many, much, large)
  - 3. "My little daughter is dying. Come and lay Your hands on her so that she may be healed, and live"
- D. There is an urgency on Jairus' behalf, and he knew Jesus could fix it
- E. Jesus went with him

# **DO I BELIEVE THAT JESUS WILL DO IT?**

- A. Perhaps Jesus is distracted (vv. 25-34)
  - 1. Woman with a flow of blood for 12 years
  - 2. Perhaps Jesus is distracted
    - a. Jesus stopped to question and look around
    - b. Jesus spoke with the woman
  - 3. No, Jesus is not distracted. There are others who believe that Jesus will do it

#### B. Perhaps Jesus is too late (vv. 35, 36)

- 1. While Jesus was still speaking
- 2. Perhaps Jesus is too late
  - a. "Do not fear"
    - b. "Have faith"
    - c. "She will be healed" (Luke 8:50)
- 3. No, Jesus is not too late. Faith is not bound by time
- C. Perhaps Jesus is out of touch (vv. 37-39)
  - 1. Only the parents, Peter, James and John were permitted to go with Jesus into the house
  - 2. The mourners were mourning (weeping and wailing loudly) she is dead
  - 3. Perhaps Jesus is out of touch
    - a. "Why all this commotion and weeping?"
    - b. "The child is not dead but sleeping"
  - 4. No, Jesus already knew what He was going to do
    - a. They laughed, and Jesus put them all out
    - b. Jesus, "Little girl, arise"