



Healer – Lesson 2

Memory Verse: Psalm 103:3 “He forgives all my sin. He heals all my sickness.”

Key Point: God has the power to heal!

Bible Verse: Luke 8:40–56

SCHEDULE:

Center Time

around 10 minutes

Help the individuals transition by actively engaging them from the beginning. Try setting up centers to color, play with blocks and Play-Doh, or do puzzles.

Memory Verse

Use the Memory Verse page and images to go over the memory verse by placing them in the correct order on the board (personal or pocket chart).

Activity/Coloring Sheet (optional)

Big Group Time (optional)

Lesson

- Read through the lesson below. For a shortened version, just read the bolded words.
- Within the lesson, there are numbers that correspond to the story point pictures. For example, (1) corresponds to the first story point and picture, and so on.
- Allow individuals to place pictures on the board (personal or pocket chart) in sequential order.
- Key Point
- Use the review questions to check for understanding.

Video (optional)

Repeat Key Point & Memory Verse

Use the activities below for repetition of the story points, key points, and memory verse.

- Act out the Story.
- Bean Bag Toss: restate part of the story, memory verse, or key point when tossing.
- Hangman: play hangman using key points or parts of the story.

Activity/Coloring Sheet (optional)

Five Finger Gospel (optional)

LESSON:

This is a story from Luke Chapter 8 in the Bible. One day, **Jesus is in** a town named **Galilee and a man named Jairus comes and falls at Jesus' feet** (1). **Jairus begs Jesus to come to his house because his daughter is sick and dying** (2).

Jesus begins to walk with Jairus to his house. **On the way to Jairus' house, the crowds of people almost crush Jesus** (3). **A woman** is there who has been sick for many years and no one has been able to heal her. She **comes up behind Jesus and touches the edge of his cloak and she is healed immediately** (4).

"Who touched me?" Jesus asks. "Someone touched me; **I know that the power has gone out of me.** (5)" Then **the woman comes trembling and falls at Jesus' feet** (6). With everyone watching, she tells Jesus why she has touched him and how she has been instantly healed. Then **Jesus says to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace** (7)."

"While Jesus is still speaking, **a man comes from the house of Jairus** to meet up with Jesus **and** Jairus. The man **tells Jairus, "Your daughter is dead** (8). Don't bother Jesus to come to your house anymore."

Jesus tells Jairus, "Don't be afraid. Trust me and your little girl will be alright." **Jesus goes into the house** where the little girl is. There are many people in the house crying because they are sad that the girl has died. Jesus says, "Stop crying. She is not dead, she is only asleep." The people laugh because they know she has died. Jesus **takes her by the hand and says, "Get up, my child.** (9)" Her life returned and she stood up! **She was healed** (10).

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Review Questions

Group A	Group B
Where is Jesus? (Galilee)	What did Jairus want Jesus to do? (Heal his daughter.)
Who comes up to Jesus to ask to heal his daughter? (Jairus)	When Jesus got to Jairus' house what were the people doing? (Crying and sad that the girl had died.)
Who did Jesus heal on the way to Jairus' house? (a woman)	How did Jesus help Jairus? (He healed Jairus' daughter, he brought her back to life, he told Jairus not to be afraid.)
After hearing the daughter had died did Jesus leave? (no)	When Jesus told the girl to get up, what happened? (The girl was alive and stood up right away.)
After Jesus told the girl to get up, did she get up or stay dead? (get up)	What can you do when you are sad or need help? (Pray to God.)
Who healed the girl? (Jesus/God)	