



Mark 5:21-43

When Jesus had again crossed over by boat to the other side of the lake, a large crowd gathered around him while he was by the lake. Then one of the synagogue leaders, named Jairus, came, and when he saw Jesus, he fell at his feet. He pleaded earnestly with him,

'My little daughter is dying. Please come and put your hands on her so that she will be healed and live.'

So Jesus went with him.



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A large crowd followed and pressed around him. And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years. She had suffered a great deal under the care of many doctors and had spent all she had, yet instead of getting better, she grew worse. When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak, because she thought,

'If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed.'



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Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering. At once Jesus realized that power had gone out from him. He turned around in the crowd and asked,

'Who touched my clothes?'

'You see the people crowding against you,' his disciples answered, 'and yet you can ask,

'Who touched me?'

But Jesus kept looking around to see who had done it.



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Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at his feet and, trembling with fear, told him the whole truth. He said to her,

'Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering.'



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Jesus... on his way... passing by...

Unnamed Woman -

"Bleeding for twelve years!"

◀ **Leviticus 15:25** ▶

"If a woman has a flow of blood for many days that is unrelated to her menstrual period, or if the blood continues beyond the normal period, she is ceremonially unclean. As during her menstrual period, the woman will be unclean as long as the discharge continues. New Living Translation

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Unnamed Woman -

God used things of the natural world as living object lessons and ordinances of the Mosaic law to symbolize spiritual truths. Thus, awareness of natural, "bodily" functions and their potential to disqualify from religious participation was a constant reminder to Israel that natural things must be put aside in order to approach God.

◀ **Leviticus 15:25** ▶

UNCLEAN!

... because diseases entered the world as a result of sin, they are symptoms of human alienation and separation from God—which is death. For this reason, a diseased Israelite stayed outside the camp and remained untouchable, much like a corpse, until he or she was clean. www.bible.com/bible/1/Leviticus/15/25

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Jesus... on his way... passing by...

Unnamed Woman -

Outcast!

Rejected!

Her very "life" was drained away! *(Leviticus 17:11)*

Isolation!

Undesirable!

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Jesus... on his way... passing by...

Unnamed Woman -

Condition: 12 years!

"12" - often symbolizes the end, completion, or completion of a period of time or an era of rule or authority...

Spent all only to get worse

"Hearing of Jesus"...

For she thought!

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Jesus... on his way... passing by...

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"Hearing of Jesus"...

For she thought:

"If I but touch his clothes, I will be healed."

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"Hearing of Jesus"...

For she thought:

Hebrews 11:1-2 - "Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about things we do not see."



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Jesus... on his way... passing by...

Unnamed Woman -

Condition: 12 years!
Spent all only to get worse
"Hearing of Jesus"...

- Amidst a crowd
- Comes from behind
- Reaches out!
- Touches "Jesus!"
(Not just his garment...)




Numbers 15:38-40

"The Lord said to Moses,
"Speak to the Israelites and say to them: 'Throughout the generations to come you are to make tassels on the corners of your garments, with a blue cord on each tassel. You will have these tassels to look at and so you will remember all the commands of the Lord, that you may obey them and not prostitute yourselves by chasing after the lusts of your own hearts and eyes. Then you will remember to obey all my commands and will be consecrated to your God. I am the Lord your God, who brought you out of Egypt to be your God. I am the Lord your God.'"

corners tassel

To look at and... to remember!



Kanaph/f, which many understand as corner. It is notable that the word is also used to indicate the wings of a bird, and the ends of things, even if they are not squares or rectangles. **The actual meaning of this word is edge, hem or skirt.**

edge tassel

To look at and... to remember!

Ruth 3:9

"Who are you?" he asked. 'I am your servant Ruth,' she said. 'Spread the **corner of your garment** over me, since you are a guardian-redeemer of our family.'"

E.g. - "take me under your **wing**..."



Kanaph - "cover me," a term of intimacy

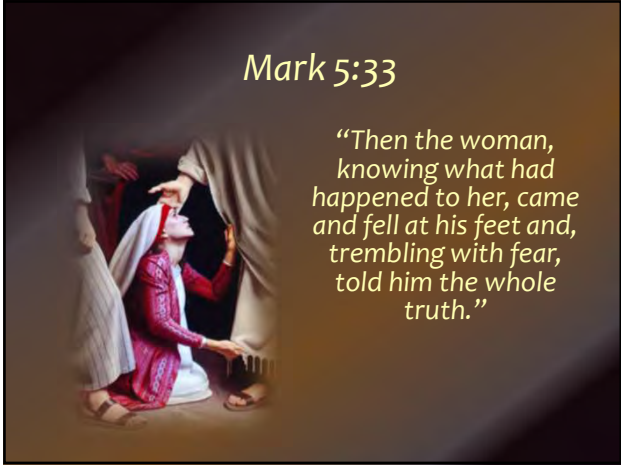
edge tassel

To look at and... to remember!

'tallit' - Prayer shawl

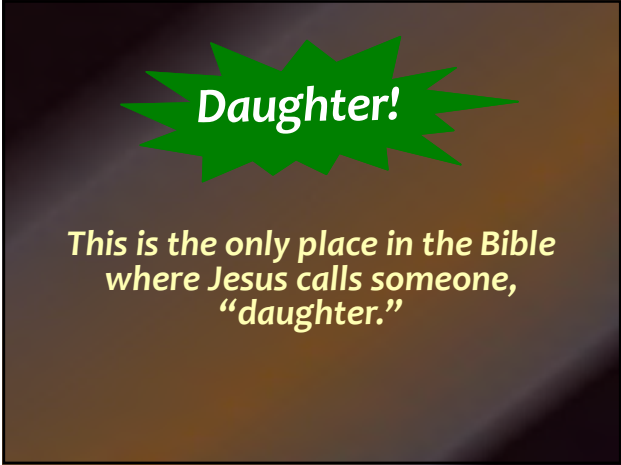
'tzitzits' (zee-zeeth) -
Tassels, fringes attached to the tallit. They are frequently knotted and attached to the four corners of the tallit.



Mark 5:33

“Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at his feet and, trembling with fear, told him the whole truth.”



Daughter!

This is the only place in the Bible where Jesus calls someone, “daughter.”



Daughter!

With the same compassion as Jairus to save his daughter...

On his way to heal Jairus’ dying daughter, Jesus stops and cares for one of HIS daughters.



Daughter!

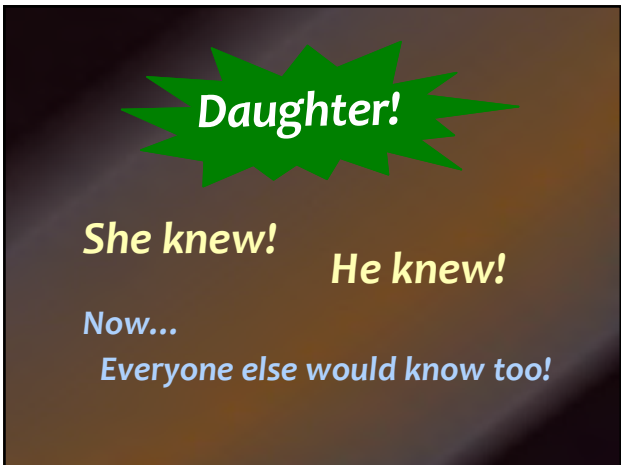
She...

Wanted healing!

Jesus...

Sought a relationship!

Ephesians 3:20 - God is able to do so much more than we could ever ask for or imagine. He does everything by His power that is working in us.



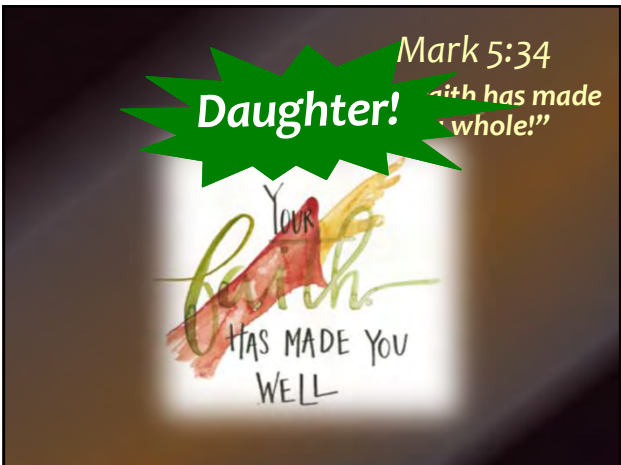
Daughter!

She knew!

He knew!

Now...

Everyone else would know too!



Mark 5:34

Daughter!

with has made whole!”

YOUR
faith
HAS MADE YOU
WELL

Mark 5:34
 "Your faith has made you whole!"

"Be whole!"

Go forth in abiding... **Shalom!**

Many of the struggles we face cannot be removed as simply as a "KICK ME" sign off our back!



- Health
- Physical challenges
- Finances
- Depression
- Abuse
- Socially outcast
- Defeated
- Marginalized
- Insignificant
- Discouraged
- Overwhelmed
- Feeling empty


Unclean!

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For she thought!

Looking unto JESUS the Author and Finisher of our faith
 Who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross
 despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand
 of the throne of God.
 HEBREWS 12:2



Peace
 I leave with you.
 My peace I give to you.
 I do not give to you as the world gives.
 So don't be troubled.
 Don't be afraid.
 ~ John 14:27

Reach for Jesus!