

Read Matthew 4:23, 24.



Read the statements in the shapes below and cross out the ones that are not true.

Jesus can help me too if I ask Him.

Jesus cares only about adults.

Jesus only helps men.

Jesus cares about everyone, **EVEN ME!**

Jesus helped children too.

Jesus can heal any problem!

Jesus only helps rich people.

I want to be His friend.

Jesus is stronger than death.

GOD SENT HIS SON TO BE MY FRIEND

LESSON 6 Jesus Can Cure Anything

When Jesus lived on this earth He helped many sick people. One day He and His friends were walking together on the road toward Jericho. A blind man named Bartimaeus was sitting by the road begging for money.



Jesus! Help me!
Jesus! Help me!

Oh be quiet, you nasty beggar! We are trying to listen to Jesus!



To find out what happened next, look in your Bible in Mark 10:51, 52. Circle as many answers as apply:

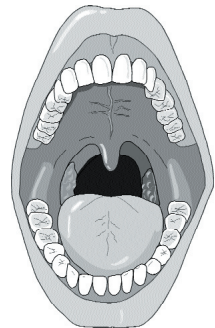
- From this I learned:
1. Jesus only helps rich people.
 2. Jesus helps poor people too.
 3. Jesus has power over disease.
 4. Jesus helps those who ask Him.

Another day some people brought a man to Jesus who could hardly talk and could not hear. They begged Jesus to help him.

**Read the story in Mark 7:31-35.
Then do the quiz below.**



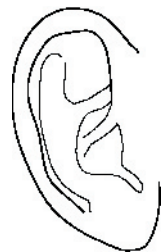
Instructions: Draw a line from the questions to the correct body part.



1. Where did Jesus put His fingers?



2. What did Jesus touch after He spit?

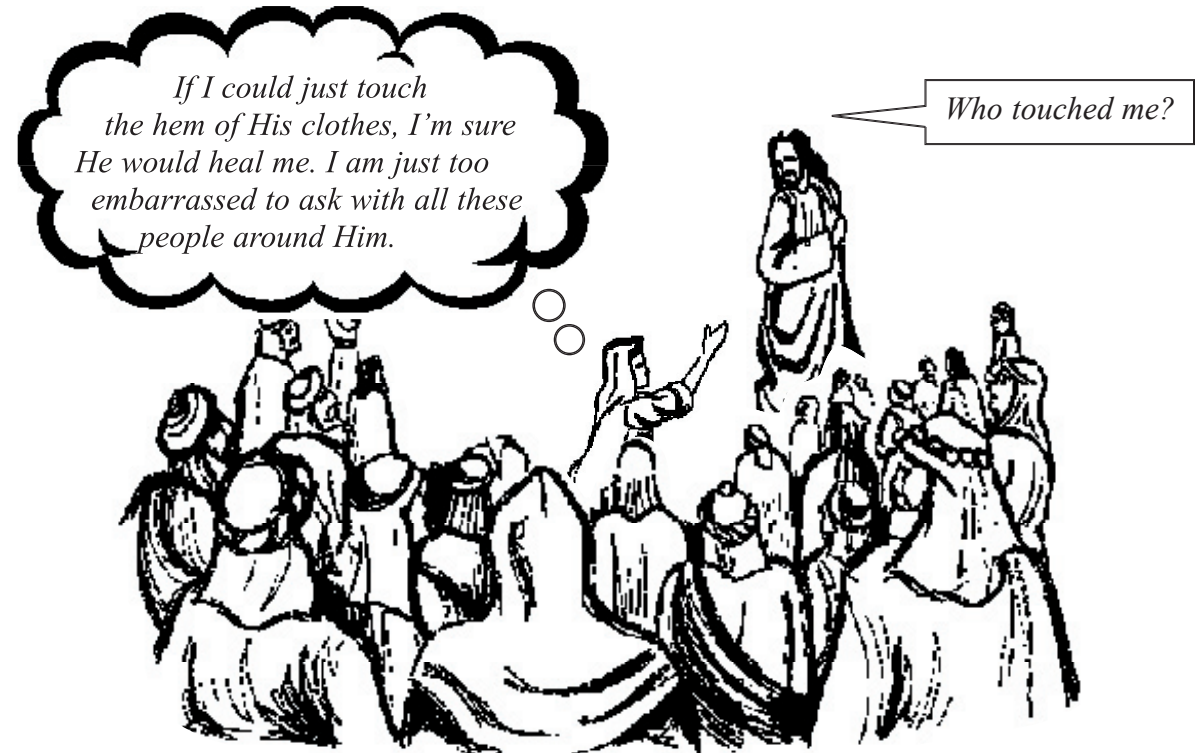


Circle all the true answers.

I learned from this story:

1. It is good to ask Jesus to help my friends.
2. Sometimes Jesus does things we do not understand.
3. Jesus has no power over deafness.

While Jesus was on His way to Jairus' house, a woman who had been bleeding for 12 years was in the crowd. She hoped Jesus could heal her too, but she was too shy to ask Him. [This story is found in Luke 8:43-



Jesus cares about women's problems too!



The people thought He was being silly. There was a huge crowd with lots of people bumping into each other. It could have been *anyone*. But Jesus knew about the sick woman. He knew she was too shy to ask, and He was happy to help her.

Fearfully, the woman came forward. "It was me," she said. She was afraid she was in real trouble for bothering this famous teacher.

"Dear woman," said Jesus kindly, "your faith has healed you. Go in peace." How wonderful she felt. Jesus understood. And He had healed her!



Circle all the correct answers:

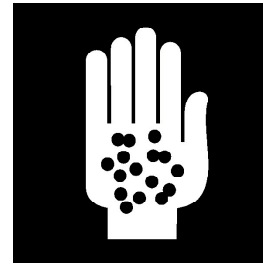
1. For friends of Jesus, being dead is just like being asleep because He will wake them up again some day.
2. Jesus doesn't care about girls.
3. Jesus is even more powerful than death.

Why do you think Jesus told them to keep it a secret that He healed Jairus' daughter?



Because there were some people who hated Jesus and wanted to have Him killed. Keeping it a secret would make Jairus' family and Jesus safer.

When Jesus lived on earth, some people had a terrible skin disease called leprosy. In those days it was incurable. People's skin got worse and worse until their fingers and toes and sometimes their noses rotted and fell off.



People who had leprosy were made to live outside the town and away from healthy people. If healthy people walked by, lepers had to shout, "Unclean! Unclean!" so that the healthy people would not accidentally get too close and catch the disease.

Everyone was afraid of people with leprosy. They were even hated by many people.

One day when Jesus and His friends were walking, ten men with leprosy were nearby. "Unclean! Unclean!" they shouted. But when they heard it was Jesus they shouted, "Please help us!" And Jesus did!

Jesus sent all of them to the priest to be inspected. Only a priest could pronounce a leper recovered and allow him to go back home to his family and friends. The priest examined the ten men. They had brand-new skin. There was no trace of the leprosy left, not even scars! He pronounced them healed.

Later . . . one man came back to Jesus.

Oh thank you, Jesus, for healing me.



I healed ten men. What happened to the others?

You can read the story about the lepers in Luke 17:11-19.



How sad! Jesus had healed all ten of them, but only one man came back to say “Thank you.” Jesus does many good things for us too. He made our world and He takes care of us and gives us the things we need. Do we always remember to tell Him thank you?



In the thank you note below, write some of the things you appreciate.



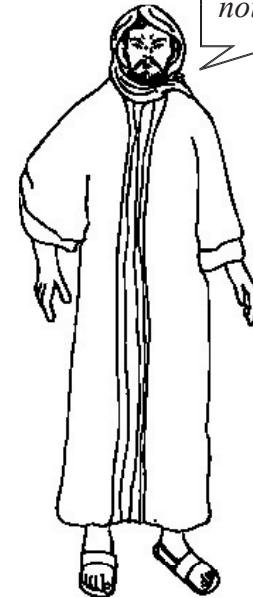
Thank You, God, for . . .



Some people still get leprosy today but there are medicines that can help them.

A man named Jairus hurried through the crowds around Jesus. He had come to ask Jesus to heal his little girl.

Jesus, please help my little girl! She is so sick and I'm afraid if You do not help her she will die!



Don't bother Jesus. I just came from your house and your daughter is already dead.



Jesus went to Jairus' house anyway. “She is just sleeping,” Jesus said. When He arrived at the house, people were crying. He asked everyone but the girl's mother and father to stay outside. The rest of the crowd stopped crying and laughed at Him.



Don't you know she is already dead? What can You possibly do to help a dead person?

Jesus ignored them and went into the girl's room. You can read what happened next in Luke 8:55, 56.

