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Part 6: Why Am I Significant?

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Luke 6:17b-19 (NKJV)

...a great multitude of people from all Judea and Jerusalem, and from the seacoast of Tyre and Sidon, who came to hear Him (Jesus) and be healed of their diseases, as well as those who were tormented with unclean spirits. And they were healed. **And the whole multitude sought to touch Him, for power went out from Him and healed them all.**

Mark 5:25-30 (NKJV)

Now a certain woman had a flow of blood for twelve years, and had **suffered many things** from many physicians. She had **spent all that she had** and was no better, but **rather grew worse**.

When she heard about Jesus, she came behind Him in the crowd and touched His garment. For she said, **“If only I may touch His clothes, I shall be made well.”**

Immediately the fountain of her blood was dried up, and **she felt in her body that she was healed of the affliction**. And Jesus, **immediately** knowing in Himself that power had gone out of Him, turned around in the crowd and said, “Who touched My clothes?”

Jesus wants to match our immediate need with His immediate provision.

Mark 5:31-32 (NKJV)

But His disciples said to Him, “**You see the multitude thronging You, and You say, ‘Who touched Me?’**”

And He looked around to see her who had done this thing.

Your need may get lost in man’s crowd, but it will never get lost in God’s heart.

Mark 5:33 (NKJV)

But the woman, fearing and trembling, knowing what had happened to her, **came and fell** down before Him and **told Him the whole truth.**

The only hope for any of our lives is to:

- **Come to Jesus.**
- **Fall down in humility and complete submission.**
- **Tell Him the whole truth about your sin, your need, your broken heart, your hopes and dreams; don’t leave anything out.**

Mark 5:34 (NKJV)

And He said to her, “**Daughter**, your faith has made you well. Go in peace, and be healed of your affliction.”

2Corinthians 10:18

For not he who commends himself is approved, but whom the Lord commends.

Luke 18:15-17

One day some parents brought their little children to Jesus so He could touch and bless them. But when the disciples saw this, they scolded the parents for bothering Him. Then Jesus called for the children and said to the disciples, “Let the children come to Me.

Don’t stop them! For the Kingdom of God belongs to those who are like these children. I tell you the truth, anyone who doesn’t receive the Kingdom of God like a child will never enter it.”

Our children will have no more significance in their youth than what we impart to them.

Matthew 18:10-11

Jesus said, “Take heed that you do not despise one of these little ones, for I say to you that in Heaven their angels always see the face of My Father who is in heaven. For the Son of Man has come to save that which was lost. What do you think?”

From elaborating on the significance of children, Jesus goes right into the parable of the lost sheep.

Matthew 18:12-14

If a man has a hundred sheep, and one of them goes astray, does he not leave the ninety-nine and go to the mountains to seek the one that is straying? And if he should find it, assuredly, I say to you, he rejoices more over that sheep than over the ninety-nine that did not go astray. Even so it is not the will of your Father who is in heaven that one of these little ones should perish.

Whatever you’ve done, whoever your parents were, or how seemingly insignificant you think you are, you are priceless to God.

He has given you a deposit of Himself that no one else has.

You’ll never end your life fulfilled unless you realize you were created out of love, with great purpose, identity, and destiny.