

## I. Case Study: Issues of the Blood

**Description:** God's people have issues of blood, not a natural hemorrhage, but issues with exactly how powerful the Blood of Jesus is. If we knew the power of the blood of Jesus, life would much different.

And there came a man named Jairus, and he was an official of the synagogue; and he fell at Jesus' feet, and began to implore Him to come to his house; **for he had an only daughter, about twelve years old**, and she was dying. But as He went, the crowds were pressing against Him. And **a woman who had a hemorrhage for twelve years**, and could not be healed by anyone, came up behind Him and touched the fringe of His cloak, and immediately her hemorrhage stopped. And Jesus said, "Who is the one who touched Me?" And while they were all denying it, Peter said, "Master, the people are crowding and pressing in on You." But Jesus said, "Someone did touch Me, for I was aware that power had gone out of Me." When the woman saw that she had not escaped notice, she came trembling and fell down before Him, and declared in the presence of all the people the reason why she had touched Him, and how she had been immediately healed. And He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has made you well; go in peace." While He was still speaking, someone came from the house of the synagogue official, saying, "Your daughter has died; do not trouble the Teacher anymore." But when Jesus heard this, He answered him, "Do not be afraid any longer; only believe, and she will be made well." When He came to the house, He did not allow anyone to enter with Him, except Peter and John and James, and the girl's father and mother. Now they were all weeping and lamenting for her; but He said, "Stop weeping, for she has not died, but is asleep." And they began laughing at Him, knowing that she had died. He, however, took her by the hand and called, saying, "Child, arise!" And her spirit returned, and she got up immediately; and He gave orders for something to be given her to eat. Her parents were amazed; but He instructed them to tell no one what had happened. - Luke 8:41-56 NASU

- Daughter lay dying at the age of 12.
  - Woman who has issue of blood for 12 years sandwiched in the midst of this story.
  - We have our own issues of the blood
  - Also effecting our children
1. "Be on guard for yourselves and for all the flock, among which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers, to shepherd the church of God which **He purchased with His own blood**. - Acts 20:28 NASU
  2. Therefore, brethren, since we have confidence to **enter the holy place by the blood of Jesus**, - Hebrews 10:19 NASU
  3. And according to the Law, one may almost say, **all things are cleansed with blood, and without shedding of blood there is no forgiveness**. - Hebrews 9:22 NASU
  4. For if the blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer sprinkling those who have been defiled sanctify for the cleansing of the flesh, how much more will **the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered Himself without blemish to God, cleanse your conscience from dead works to serve the living God?** - Hebrews 9:13-14 NASU

5. But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us. Much more then, **having now been justified by His blood, we shall be saved from the wrath of God through Him.** - Romans 5:8-9 NASU
6. In Him **we have redemption through His blood**, the forgiveness of our trespasses, according to the riches of His grace - Ephesians 1:7 NASU
7. and through Him to **reconcile all things to Himself, having made peace through the blood of His cross**; through Him, I say, whether things on earth or things in heaven. - Colossians 1:20 NASU
8. Therefore Jesus also, that He might **sanctify the people through His own blood**, suffered outside the gate. - Hebrews 13:12 NASU
9. And **they overcame him because of the blood of the Lamb** and because of the word of their testimony, and they did not love their life even when faced with death. - Revelation 12:11 NASU
10. And He said to them, "**This is My blood of the covenant, which is poured out for many.** - Mark 14:24 NASU