



Power Over Distance

Powerful Signs - Part 2 of 7
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Big Idea: God wants us to move from faith enough to seek Him to faith enough to rest in Him to faith enough to know, with deep confidence and peace, that He is at work in our lives.

Text: John 4:46-54

I. A _____ **FAITH.**

Once more he visited Cana in Galilee, where he had turned the water into wine. And there was a certain royal official whose son lay sick at Capernaum. When this man heard that Jesus had arrived in Galilee from Judea, he went to him and begged him to come and heal his son, who was close to death. – John 4:46-47

A. He came with _____.

“You will seek me and find me when you seek me with all your heart.” – Jeremiah 29:13

“Ask and it will be given you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives; he who seeks finds; and to him who knocks, the door will be opened.” – Matthew 7:7-8

B. He came _____.

“Unless you people see miraculous signs and wonders,” Jesus told him, “you will never believe.” – John 4:48

Many of the Samaritans from that town believed in him because of the woman’s testimony, “He told me everything I ever did.” – John 4:39

C. He tried to press Jesus to fulfill _____.

“Sir, come down before my child dies.” – John 4:49b

“You may go. Your son will live.” – John 4:50b

II. A _____ FAITH.

Jesus replied, "You may go. Your son will live." The man took Jesus at his word and departed.

– John 4:50

Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge him, and he will make your paths straight. – Proverbs 3:5-6

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"Every word of God is flawless; he is a shield to those who take refuge in him." – Proverbs 30:5

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"The man took Jesus at his word and departed." – John 4:50c

MEMORY VERSES

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