



Sermon Discussion Guide

Answered Prayers

Luke 7:1-10

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Step 1: Reflect on the Text

Read the Scripture printed above. What stood out to you (interesting, challenging, confusing, etc.)?

Step 2: Reflect on the Sermon

1) What are four characteristics that you most look for in a friend?

FOUR WORTHY THINGS

- 2) What is a red flag in your life that alerts you to your heart becoming hard towards another person?
- 3) Do you have a friendship with someone who fundamentally disagrees with you on who Jesus is? What has it looked like to develop and grow that friendship?
- 4) We can give of our time, money, energy, and gifting. Which of these is easier for you? Which of these is harder for you?
- 5) How does looking at Jesus' humility help you to "think of others as more significant than yourself."

THE MOST WORTHY THING

- 6) Why is focusing on compassion, friendship, generosity, and humility without submitting to the authority of God's Word missing the point?
- 7) Why is it so challenging to sum it to Jesus' authoritative Word?
- 8) What comfort does it bring you to remember that in Jesus you are worthy, not because of what you do but because you depend on the authority of his word?

Step 3: Final Reflections

- 9) How has your understanding, appreciation, and love for Jesus and the gospel grown as a result of this study?
- 10) In what areas of faith and practice are you feeling convicted by the Holy Spirit to work on as a result of this study?