

# GO THE DISTANCE

## A Bout with Doubt! – Part 3

### 3 “KNOCK OUTS” FOR DOUBT (PSALM 77)

1. Remember God’s Undeclared Record 2. Trust God’s Character and Power 3. Celebrate my Future

### A “BOUT WITH DOUBT” Encounter: Mark 5:21-43

(Matthew 9:18-26; Luke 8:40-56)

“He said to her, ‘Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering.’ While Jesus was still speaking, some people came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. ‘Your daughter is dead,’ they said. ‘Why bother the teacher anymore?’ Overhearing what they said, Jesus told him, ‘Don’t be afraid; just believe.’ He did not let anyone follow him except Peter, James and John the brother of James. When they came to the home of the synagogue leader, Jesus saw a commotion, with people crying and wailing loudly. He went in and said to them, ‘Why all this commotion and wailing? The child is not dead but asleep.’ But they laughed at him. After he put them all out, he took the child’s father and mother and the disciples who were with him, and went in where the child was. He took her by the hand and said to her, ‘Talitha kum!’ (which means ‘Little girl, I say to you, get up!’). Immediately the girl stood up and began to walk around (she was twelve years old). At this they were completely astonished.” *Mark 5:34-42 (NIV)*

### GOING “FOUR ROUNDS” IN FAITH!

**1. Faith inspires \_\_\_\_\_ and requires \_\_\_\_\_.**

“While Jesus was still speaking, some people came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. ‘Your daughter is dead,’ they said. ‘Why bother the teacher anymore?’” *Mark 5:35 (NIV)*

“Overhearing what they said, Jesus told him, ‘Don’t be afraid; just believe.’” *Mark 5:36 (NIV)*

**Don’t let these circumstances shape your faith, let your faith shape your \_\_\_\_\_!**

**2. Faith is about \_\_\_\_\_, not about \_\_\_\_\_.**

“When they came to the home of the synagogue leader, Jesus saw a commotion, with people crying and wailing loudly. He went in and said to them, ‘Why all this commotion and wailing? The child is not dead but asleep.’” *Mark 5:38-39 (NIV)*

“That is why I am suffering as I am. Yet this is no cause for shame, because I know whom I have believed, and am convinced that he is able to guard what I have entrusted to him until that day.” *2 Timothy 1:12 (NIV)*

**3. Faith is a \_\_\_\_\_ that leads to \_\_\_\_\_.**

“But they laughed at him...” *Mark 5:40 (NIV)*

“... After he put them all out, he took the child’s father and mother and the disciples who were with him, and went in where the child was.” *Mark 5:40 (NIV)*

**4. Faith always has \_\_\_\_\_.**

“Now faith is confidence in what we hope for and assurance about what we do not see.” *Hebrews 11:1 (NLT)*

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