
LUKE CHAPTER 7

PART 1: THE CENTURION, AND THE WIDOW OF NAIN

1) The Centurion – Luke 7:1-10

- The Centurion was not asking for himself, he was interceding for another
- His good reputation and generosity gave him favor with the Jews
- Jesus was willing to accommodate his request and come to his house
- The Centurion understood honor and spiritual authority
- Jesus marveled at two things: The faith of this Centurion and the unbelief of the Jews – Mark 6:1-6

2) The Widow of Nain – Luke 7:11-17

- Two crowds met each other, one bringing the Lord of life, and the other bring the dead
- She is a widow and now her only son dies
- Jesus has compassion on her
- Jesus speaks to the dead man
- Fear came upon all.
- Elijah and Elisha restored dead sons to their mothers – 1 Kings 17:17-24, 2 Kings 4:32-37

He sent His word and healed them and delivered them from their destructions. Psalms 107:20

In both stories, the healing miracle came from the spoken words of Jesus. The Holy Spirit is speaking to your heart today. If you will believe the Gospel (Good News), God will begin a healing process in your life. You may have been visited by death, but life is found in the word of God.

Do not let any unwholesome talk come out of your mouths, but only what is helpful for building others up according to their needs, that it may benefit those who listen. Ephesians 4:29

A good man out of the good treasure of his heart brings forth good; and an evil man out of the evil treasure of his heart brings forth evil. For out of the abundance of the heart his mouth speaks. Luke 6:45

Death and life are in the power of the tongue, And those who love it will eat its fruit. Proverbs 18:21

