

5. The royal official grew in faith as he experienced persistent and desperate humility, belief in Jesus' word, and God's grace. How do you see each of these things evidenced in the official's growth?

**From Faith To Faith**  
**John 4:43-54**  
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DRIVING IT HOME

1. Which of the 3 things mentioned above (desperate humility, belief in Jesus' words, experiencing God's grace) is most difficult for you? Why? How does this difficulty show up in your life?

2. What are some things practically you can do to grow in these areas?

REVIEW

What happened the last time Jesus was in Galilee/Cana? How might that be impacting the people's expectations of Jesus?

GETTING STARTED

1. Have you ever felt used before? What was that like?

DIGGING DEEPER

1. What was wrong with the type of belief that was initially displayed by the royal official and the other people from Galilee?

2. How do we sometimes display this same type of misguided faith in Jesus? Share examples from your own life.

3. Does Jesus' initial response to the man in v. 48 seem harsh? How should we understand what Jesus is doing here?

4. Why is it encouraging for us to see that this royal official's faith grew and became more genuine by the end of the text?