**[ Inductive Bible Study Question – LA UBF ]**

 **Mark 5:21~34**

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| 21 When Jesus had again crossed over by boat to the other side of the lake, a large crowd gathered around him while he was by the lake.22 Then one of the synagogue leaders, named Jairus, came, and when he saw Jesus, he fell at his feet.23 He pleaded earnestly with him, "My little daughter is dying. Please come and put your hands on her so that she will be healed and live."24 So Jesus went with him. A large crowd followed and pressed around him.25 And a woman was there who had been subject to bleeding for twelve years.26 She had suffered a great deal under the care of many doctors and had spent all she had, yet instead of getting better she grew worse.27 When she heard about Jesus, she came up behind him in the crowd and touched his cloak,28 because she thought, "If I just touch his clothes, I will be healed."29 Immediately her bleeding stopped and she felt in her body that she was freed from her suffering30 At once Jesus realized that power had gone out from him. He turned around in the crowd and asked, "Who touched my clothes?"31 "You see the people crowding against you," his disciples answered, "and yet you can ask, ’Who touched me?’ "32 But Jesus kept looking around to see who had done it.33 Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came and fell at his feet and, trembling with fear, told him the whole truth.34 He said to her, "Daughter, your faith has healed you. Go in peace and be freed from your suffering." |

**I. General observation (What does the text say?)**

The first step in Inductive Bible Study is to get the **big picture**; to see the **forest** before the individual trees!

Focus on understanding the overall context and structure. Apply Observation tools selectively to the text situation.

**1. Identify a Genre of this chapter**

 Historical Narrative

**2. Big Picture**

 identified the background, historical context and overall sense of the entire book

 🡪 Refer to the book of Mark gospel Introduction

**3. Factual Study**

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| **Read whole passage, divide the passage into different paragraphs and make your own subtitle for each paragraph (10 min)** |

**II. Observe and interpret paragraphs according to following division.**

**1. Try to figure out this event using 5W1H.**

 - Who (main characters) :

 - When (time) :

 - Where (place) :

 - What (what happened?) :

**2.What are the emphasized or repeated words of the passage?**

 **- emphasized word**

 **- repeated word**

**3. Write down the contrasts and comparisons in the passage.**

**4. Write down the connections.**

 **(**If condition, cause & effect etc)

**5. Write down the main points of this passage.**

 (Consider the author's flow of thought)

**6. What are key words and verses?**

**7. Write down the main thought of the passage in one sentence.**

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| **8. Interpretation & Application**  **(“What lesson does the passage give to the audience? & How can I apply the text to me?”)** **1) Interpretive questions? (The questions that we make to get the lessen from the text)**Ex) Why should we love one another?   **2) Interpretation**  **3) Apply the text to your life** * **The Word that touched your heart**
* **Examine yourself with the word and write what you find. (refer to the guideline)**
* **What can you do to obey the word? (try to write specific action)**
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**III. Let’s share our application in group taking turn.**

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**\* Guideline for application**

 **Step1) Examine Ourselves**

 Examine your life by asking nine questions in five areas.

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| **<Areas to Examine>**My relation with God My personal life My relations with others (family,church,work..)My relation with the enemyMy world | **<Nine Questions>**Is there an example for me to follow?Is there a sin to avoid?Is there a promise to claim?Is there a prayer to repeat?Is there a command to obey?Is there a condition to meet?Is there a verse to memorize?Is there an error to mark?Is there a challenge to face? |

 **Step2) Make Action Plan**

 1) Decide on specific action (goal of meditation)

 2) Application must be practical: - Practical / Measurable / Attainable

 **Step3) Share your decision**

 **Step4) Do action**

 **Step5) Check your fruit of application**