

MIRACLES

then and now

Mark 6; Matthew 11

Don't Lose Hope

Our circumstances don't define how God feels about us. So how do we navigate those circumstances when we don't get the miracle?

Discussion Questions

1. Jesus helped people from all walks of life, including strangers. Can you think of a time when someone questioned your generosity toward someone else?
2. When have you looked at someone else's life and wondered why God hasn't answered your prayers?
3. What recent circumstance has tempted you to question God's faithfulness in your life?
4. Joel mentions three ways to respond when God seems to be holding out on you: **Look back. Look out. Look up.** Which one is the easiest for you? Which one is the hardest?
5. What practical ways help you look beyond your circumstances?