

Can You Believe It?

FAMILY DEVOTION: It's Never Too Late



THE BUZZ: It's never too late for a miracle!



THE POWER VERSE: "... 'What is impossible with man is possible with God.'" - Luke 18:27 (NIV)



THE TAKEAWAY: Trust God. He's always on time.

SAY: Have you ever been too late for something? Maybe you got to the store after it closed, missed the start of a game, or found out someone else ate the last cookie before you got to it! Being late usually means we missed our chance. Sometimes it can feel like God is late when we've been praying for something and nothing seems to happen. But here's the good news: God is never too late! His timing is always perfect, even when we don't understand it!

READ: Luke 7:11-17

DISCUSS:

- What city were they in?
- What was wrong with the woman's son?
- Did the woman ask Jesus for help?
- When Jesus walked over, what did he do to the stretcher?
- What did the boy do when Jesus told him to get up?
- Why can we trust God's timing, even when we have to wait?

SAY: Sometimes we pray and expect God to answer right away. If the answer doesn't come quickly, we might wonder if God forgot about us. But God never forgets! He sees us, He hears our prayers, and is always working—even when we can't see it. His timing is better than ours because He knows the whole story!

PRAY: Pray that God will answer your family's prayers in His timing. Pray that you will each have patience to wait on God's perfect timing!