

BIGGER THAN THE GRAND FINAL

By Bill Pugh

A huge crowd followed Jesus to the other side of the lake. His words and deeds spread like wildfire.

What would he do next? There was a woman who had suffered for many years from haemorrhages. What a crowd pressing around him.

If she could but touch the hem of his garment, maybe she could get his attention? She did and Jesus felt something had happened.

He was aware of the feeling that

something had drained out of him. He asked who had touched him.

The disciples said it would be impossible to know such was the press of the crowd.

Then the woman, knowing what had happened to her, came in fear and trembling and told him the whole truth.

He said, "daughter, your faith has made you well, go in peace and be healed of your disease."

Reflection:

Read Mark 5:25-34: Just a thought. Some of us are tempted to try cures and drugs recommended by Dr Google.

The woman went to the source of healing. We have a dedicated medical profession to help us. We have specialists and the power of prayer, all to assist the healing process. And we have joys and concerns as part of our Sunday worship.

Praise God for the ministry of healing.

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