

A Moving Picture of the Lord Healing Jairus's Daughter

This project will let you show what happened when the Lord healed a young girl who was very sick. Her father, Jairus, asked the Lord to come make her well. When the Lord came to the house, the girl had died. But the Lord took her hand and said, "Little girl, I say to you arise" (Mark 5:41). And the girl stood up and walked!

Materials

picture of the Lord beside the bed
picture of Jairus's daughter
wax crayons or colored markers
paper fastener (or a popsicle stick and scissors)

Procedure

- 1) Print out the picture of the Lord near the bed and the picture of the girl.
- 2) Color Jairus's daughter. Then cut around the figure.
- 3) Color the picture of the Lord standing beside the girl's bed.
- 4) If you have a paper fastener, use it to attach Jairus's daughter to the bed. Position the fastener in a way that lets her lie on the bed or stand up beside it.
- 5) If you are using a popsicle stick, glue it to the back of the girl. Use scissors to make a slit in her bed so that you slide the popsicle stick through it. Then you can make the girl lie down and get up out of bed.
- 6) Read or retell the story from Mark 5:41-42 while the child shows what happened.

(Note: This project is adapted from Sunday School lessons provided by the Glenview New Church and the Oak Arbor New Church.)

"Little girl, I say to you, arise."

MARK 5:41



