



The King's Road: The Revelation of the King

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The King's Road: Revealing the King's Authority

Matthew 9:18–34

Small Group Discussion Questions

1. Walking the King's Road (Observation)

Who are the people Jesus encounters along the King's Road in this passage, and what brings them to Him?

What repeated pattern do you see in how people approach Jesus and how He responds?

2. Recognizing the King's Authority (Understanding)

How does the ruler's posture and request reveal his belief in Jesus as King?

Why does Matthew show so many people close to Jesus who remain unchanged?

What does Jesus' question to the blind men ("Do you believe I am able to do this?") reveal about faith on the King's Road?

3. Responding to the King (Reflection)

Which response in this passage do you most identify with: desperate faith, quiet belief, curiosity, ridicule, or rejection?

Where have circumstances, fear, or social pressure made it difficult to trust the King's authority?

4. Living on the King's Road (Application)

What does it look like to trust Jesus as King when the outcome is uncertain or misunderstood by others?

How can familiarity with Jesus and church life dull our faith instead of deepening it?

Where might the King be calling you to move from observation to obedience?

Group Prayer Prompts

Recognition: Ask God to deepen your understanding of Jesus' authority in every area of life.

Faith: Pray for courage to trust the King even when the road includes suffering, waiting, or ridicule.

Response: Commit as a group to follow Jesus, not just as a miracle-worker, but as the rightful King.