NewPointe COMMUNITY CHURCH

TABITHA (DORCAS)
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CASE STUDY (WEEK 1 OF 4)

In Joppa there was a disciple named Tabitha (in Greek her name is Dorcas); she was always doing good and helping the poor. About that time she became sick and died, and her body was washed and placed in an upstairs room. Lydda was near Joppa; so when the disciples heard that Peter was in Lydda, they sent two men to him and urged him, "Please come at once!" Peter went with them, and when he arrived he was taken upstairs to the room. All the widows stood around him, crying and showing him the robes and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was still with them. Peter sent them all out of the room; then he got down on his knees and prayed. Turning toward the dead woman, he said, "Tabitha, get up." She opened her eyes, and seeing Peter she sat up. He took her by the hand and helped her to her feet. Then he called for the believers, especially the widows, and presented her to them alive. This became known all over Joppa, and many people believed in the Lord. Peter stayed in Joppa for some time with a tanner named Simon. Acts 9:36-43 NIV

1. _____ _____ Jesus

   In Joppa there was a disciple named Tabitha (in Greek her name is Dorcas). Acts 9:36 NIV

2. _____ in "good works"

   She was always doing good and helping the poor. Acts 9:36 NIV

3. _____ _____ your limitations

   But God chose the foolish things of the world to shame the wise, and he chose the weak things of the world to shame the strong. 1 Cor. 1:27 NCV

1. _____ faithfulness

   She was always doing good and helping the poor. Acts 9:36 NIV

2. _____ to leave a legacy

   The room was filled with widows who were weeping and showing them the coats and other clothes Dorcas had made for them. Acts 9:39 NLT

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