

The Beggar & The Climber • Devotional

Day 1

A blind beggar had nothing but a voice—yet that was enough. Jesus is never too busy, never too important, and never too far down the road to hear the desperate cry of faith. Cry out today; He is passing by.

“And when he heard that it was Jesus of Nazareth, he began to cry out and say, ‘Jesus, Son of David, have mercy on me!’” (Luke 18:37–38 ESV)

Day 2

The crowd tried to silence him, but he shouted all the more. Opposition often increases right when breakthrough is closest. Keep crying out—your persistence moves the heart of God.

“But he cried out all the more, ‘Son of David, have mercy on me!’” (Luke 18:39 ESV)

Day 3

Zacchaeus was rich and successful, yet something was still missing. No amount of money or status can fill the place only Jesus can. What “tree” are you climbing trying to see Him?

“And he was seeking to see who Jesus was, but on account of the crowd he could not, because he was small in stature. So he ran on ahead and climbed up into a sycamore tree to see him...” (Luke 19:3–4 ESV)

Day 4

Jesus looked up and called him by name. He knows exactly where you are and exactly what you need. He is not just passing through—He wants to come to your house today.

“When Jesus came to the place, he looked up and said to him, ‘Zacchaeus, hurry and come down, for I must stay at your house today.’” (Luke 19:5 ESV)

Day 5

Real encounter always produces real change. When Jesus enters a life, greed turns to generosity, blindness turns to sight, and the lost become followers who glorify God.

“And Zacchaeus stood and said to the Lord, ‘Behold, Lord, the half of my goods I give to the poor...’ And Jesus said... ‘Today salvation has come to this house...’” (Luke 19:8–9 ESV)