

# REFLECTION

## Questions

JOHN 5:1-18

- When Jesus asked, "Do you want to get well?" what do you think He was really asking?
- Are there areas of your life where you feel stuck, waiting for something to change?
- What does this miracle teach us about Jesus' power and compassion?
- How have you experienced Jesus' help, healing, or strength during times of physical, emotional, or spiritual suffering?
- How can we encourage those who are suffering while still affirming God's authority and goodness?
- What burden, weakness, or struggle do you need to bring to Jesus today?
- How can your faith in Jesus' authority affect the way you face current challenges?
- Why were the religious leaders more concerned about Sabbath rules than the miracle that had taken place?
- What traditions can be helpful in strengthening faith?
- When can traditions become obstacles to recognizing God's work?
- How can people become so focused on rules that they miss a relationship with Christ?
- What does Jesus' response reveal about His authority and identity?
- Are there any habits, preferences, or traditions that may be hindering your spiritual growth?
- How can you remain faithful to biblical truth while avoiding legalism?
- Why do you think Jesus later sought out the healed man and warned him about sin?
- Why is forgiveness and restoration ultimately a greater miracle than physical healing?
- How does Jesus demonstrate His authority to address humanity's deepest problem?
- Is there an area of sin, guilt, or brokenness that you need to surrender to Christ?
- How does knowing that Jesus has authority over sin give you hope?
- What step of obedience have you been postponing that Christ may be calling you to take?