# A Crippled Woman Healed on the Sabbath - Luke 13:10-17

Topics: Demons, Healing, Hypocrisy, Judging Others, Miracles, Opposition, Praise, Satan

#### Open It

- 1. When has someone criticized you for doing something good?
- \* 2. What rules about Sunday have you heard?

### **Explore It**

- 3. When was Jesus teaching in one of the synagogues? (13:10)
- \* 4. Whom did Jesus see in the synagogue? (13:11)
  - 5. What did Jesus do when He saw the crippled woman? (13:12)
  - 6. What led to the crippled woman's healing? (13:12-13)
  - 7. How did the woman respond to what Jesus had done? (13:13)
- \* 8. Why was the synagogue ruler indignant? (13:14)
  - 9. What rule did the synagogue ruler announce to the crowd? (13:14)
  - 10. What did Jesus think of the religious leaders? (13:15)
- \* 11. What example did Jesus give to justify His healing of the woman? (13:15-16)
  - 12. What had caused the woman's malady? (13:16)
  - 13. How did different people react to what had happened? (13:17)

#### Get It

- \* 14. How did the Jewish leader view the Sabbath?
  - 15. What must it have taken for the crippled woman to go to the synagogue?
  - 16. What do you think the crippled woman expected?
  - 17. What do you think Jesus' touch meant to the woman He healed?
- \* 18. What restrictions do we foolishly put on God's work?
  - 19. What good deeds do we sometimes restrict because of traditions or rules about Sunday?
  - 20. What opportunities to free others from physical or emotional pain do you know about?

## **Apply It**

- \* 21. When can you evaluate your use of Sundays to make sure you allow for doing good?
  - 22. What self-imposed rule or tradition do you need to modify to allow for God's work?
  - 23. How can you help or comfort a person in pain this week?