

Luke 10:23-24 ²³ *“Blessed are the eyes that see what you see. ²⁴ For I tell you that many prophets and kings wanted to see what you see but did not see it, and to hear what you hear but did not hear it.”*

“Love’s Tears”

Luke 7:11-17

¹¹ *Jesus went to a town called Nain, and his disciples and a large crowd went along with him. ¹² As he approached the town gate, a dead person was being carried out—the only son of his mother, and she was a widow. And a large crowd from the town was with her.*

Luke 8:40-42, 49-56

⁴⁰ *Now when Jesus returned, a crowd welcomed him, for they were all expecting him. ⁴¹ Then a man named Jairus, a synagogue leader, came and fell at Jesus’ feet, pleading with him to come to his house ⁴² because his only daughter, a girl of about twelve, was dying. As Jesus was on his way, the crowds almost crushed him.*

Love’s tears _____.

God _____.

Matthew 18:14

¹³ *When the Lord saw her, his heart went out to her and he said, “Don’t cry.” ^{14a} Then he went up and touched the bier they were carrying him on, and the bearers stood still.*

⁴⁹ *...someone came from the house of Jairus, the synagogue leader. “Your daughter is dead,” he said. “Don’t bother the teacher anymore.”*

⁵⁰ *Hearing this, Jesus said to Jairus, “Don’t be afraid; just believe, and she will be healed.”*

⁵¹ *When he arrived at the house of Jairus, he did not let anyone go in with him except Peter, John and James, and the child’s father and mother.*

⁵² *Meanwhile, all the people were wailing and mourning for her. “Stop wailing,” Jesus said. “She is not dead but asleep.” ⁵³ They laughed at him, knowing that she was dead.*

Love’s tears _____.

God _____.

Romans 5:5-6

^{14b} *He said, “Young man, I say to you, get up!”*

¹⁵ *The dead man sat up and began to talk, and Jesus gave him back to his mother. ¹⁶ They were all filled with awe and praised God. “A great prophet has appeared among us,” they said. “God has come to help his people.” ¹⁷ This news about Jesus spread throughout Judea and the surrounding country.*

⁵⁴ *But he took her by the hand and said, “My child, get up!” ⁵⁵ Her spirit returned, and at once she stood up. Then Jesus told them to give her something to eat. ⁵⁶ Her parents were astonished, but he ordered them not to tell anyone what had happened.*

Love’s tears _____.

God _____!

Proverbs 11:20