**Luke 7:1-10 (NSRV)**

After Jesus had finished all his sayings in the hearing of the people, he entered Capernaum. **2**A centurion there had a slave whom he valued highly, and who was ill and close to death. **3**When he heard about Jesus, he sent some Jewish elders to him, asking him to come and heal his slave. **4**When they came to Jesus, they appealed to him earnestly, saying, “He is worthy of having you do this for him, **5**for he loves our people, and it is he who built our synagogue for us.” **6**And Jesus went with them, but when he was not far from the house, the centurion sent friends to say to him, “Lord, do not trouble yourself, for I am not worthy to have you come under my roof; **7**therefore I did not presume to come to you. But only speak the word, and let my servant be healed. **8**For I also am a man set under authority, with soldiers under me; and I say to one, ‘Go,’ and he goes, and to another, ‘Come,’ and he comes, and to my slave, ‘Do this,’ and the slave does it.” **9**When Jesus heard this he was amazed at him, and turning to the crowd that followed him, he said, “I tell you, not even in Israel have I found such faith.” **10**When those who had been sent returned to the house, they found the slave in good health.

**Luke 7:1-10 (NLT)**

When Jesus had finished saying all this to the people, he returned to Capernaum. **2**At that time the highly valued slave of a Roman officer was sick and near death. **3**When the officer heard about Jesus, he sent some respected Jewish elders to ask him to come and heal his slave. **4**So they earnestly begged Jesus to help the man. “If anyone deserves your help, he does,” they said, **5**“for he loves the Jewish people and even built a synagogue for us.”

**6**So Jesus went with them. But just before they arrived at the house, the officer sent some friends to say, “Lord, don’t trouble yourself by coming to my home, for I am not worthy of such an honor. **7**I am not even worthy to come and meet you. Just say the word from where you are, and my servant will be healed. **8**I know this because I am under the authority of my superior officers, and I have authority over my soldiers. I only need to say, ‘Go,’ and they go, or ‘Come,’ and they come. And if I say to my slaves, ‘Do this,’ they do it.”

**9**When Jesus heard this, he was amazed. Turning to the crowd that was following him, he said, “I tell you, I haven’t seen faith like this in all Israel!” **10**And when the officer’s friends returned to his house, they found the slave completely healed.