

Chapter 7 (11 - 17)

Jesus and his disciples went to a town called Nain. Many other people went with them.

As they reached the town, a dead man was being carried out for burial, the only son of his mother, and she was a widow.

When the Lord saw her, he felt sorry for her.

"Do not cry" he said.

Then he said "Young man, I tell you to get up".

The dead man sat up and began to talk, and Jesus gave him to his mother.

Everyone was filled with awe and praised God saying "A great prophet has appeared among us. God has visited his people".

Jesus, please give me the faith to pray that dead people will come back to life - you who once told your disciples "to raise the dead"

Chapter 7 (18 - 30)

John the Baptist, imprisoned by King Herod, heard the news about Jesus. John sent two of his friends to ask Jesus "Are you the Promised One?"

Jesus replied "Go and tell John what you have seen today: the blind see again, the lame walk, lepers are cleansed, the deaf hear, the dead are raised to life, and the Good News is proclaimed to the poor".

Jesus then spoke to the people about John: