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## *Faces of Easter | The Boy From Nain*

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### **WARM UP**

1. What is the farthest place you've ever travelled to?
2. What stood out to you in the character portrayal of Chris?

### **DIG IN**

3. Read Luke 7:11-17. Why was this boy's death doubly tragic for this widow?
4. Since Nain was known for an Old Testament resurrection that took place 900 years earlier (2 Kings 4:18-37). What message might Jesus have been sending by performing a resurrection miracle in that same area?
5. What is the significance of Jesus touching the boy's casket?
6. What did the portrayal reveal about the geography and timing of this healing in terms of the distance and elevation travelled after Jesus healed the centurion's servant just beforehand?

### **WRAP UP**

7. Jesus' act led to the merger of the 2 crowds in Nain (the Jesus crowd and the funeral crowd). How is that merger symbolize the kind of activity that our church is called to in our city?
8. This miracle occurred in a "hopeless" situation. Is there a situation in your life that appears past due, or too late for God to move? Share that situation and ask your group to encourage you in light of this story.
9. Who in your life or network needs some kind of encouragement that you can now draw from the Boy from Nain?

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