<sup>21</sup>Leaving that place, Jesus withdrew to the region of Tyre and Sidon. 22A Canaanite woman from that vicinity came to him, crying out, "Lord, Son of David, have mercy on me! My daughter is demonpossessed and suffering terribly." 23 Jesus did not answer a word. So his disciples came to him and urged him, "Send her away, for she keeps crying out after us."

Matthew 15:21-28 (NIV)

<sup>24</sup>He answered, "I was sent only to the lost sheep of Israel." 25 The woman came and knelt before him. "Lord, help me!" she said. 26He replied, "It is not right to take the children's bread and toss it to the dogs." 27" Yes it is, Lord," she said. "Even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their master's table."

Matthew 15:21-28 (NIV)



<sup>28</sup>Then Jesus said to her, "Woman, you have great faith! Your request is granted." And her daughter was healed at that moment.

Matthew 15:21-28 (NIV)



## TOO DESPERATE TO BE DENIED



## She Dealt With the Silence

He answered her not a word. Matthew 15:23 (NIV)



## She Dealt With the Saints

The disciples came to him and urged him "Send her away, for she keeps crying out after us." Matthew 15:23 (NIV)



## She Dealt With the Stigma

It's not right to take the children's bread and toss it to their dogs.

Matthew 15:26 (NIV)



"Yes, Lord," she said, "but even the dogs eat the crumbs that fall from their masters' table."

Matthew 15:27 (NIV)

