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John 11:32-37

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- Why did he weep?
- *Now a certain man was ill, Lazarus of Bethany, the village of Mary and her sister Martha.*
- <sup>2</sup> *It was Mary who anointed the Lord with ointment and wiped his feet with her hair, whose brother Lazarus was ill.*
- <sup>3</sup> *So the sisters sent to him, saying, "Lord, he whom you love is ill."*
- <sup>4</sup> *But when Jesus heard it he said, "This illness does not lead to death. It is for the glory of God, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it." (Jn. 11:1-4 ESV)*
- John 11:5-16

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- John 11:17-27
- John 11:28-37
  - Vs. 31 & 33 – weep – klaio – cry, shed tears, wail, weep audibly
  - Vs. 35 – wept – dakruo – shed tears, weep silently
  - Vs. 33 & 38 – “deeply moved in his spirit” – intense agitation, deeply moved, anger
  - “greatly troubled” – upset, agitated, “affect with great pain or sorrow” (Thayer)

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- John 11:38-44
- *Jesus said to her, "Did I not tell you that if you believed you would see the glory of God?" (Jn. 11:40 ESV)*
- *<sup>3</sup> So the sisters sent to him, saying, "Lord, he whom you love is ill."<sup>4</sup> But when Jesus heard it he said, "This illness does not lead to death. It is for the glory of God, so that the Son of God may be glorified through it." (Jn. 11:3-4 ESV)*
- Vs 4 – 14 – 23-36 – 39-40

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- The sisters walking by sight, not by faith. Walking in darkness and ignoring the light.
- How frustrating we are to God when we walk that way.
- *But we do not want you to be uninformed, brothers, about those who are asleep, that you may not grieve as others do who have no hope. (1 Thess. 4:13 ESV)*
- Hope is based on God's promises and our faith.