When You Can't Go Through the Front Door, Go Through the Roof
Notes

Mark 2:1-5

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Paralyzed Man

1. Hearing Jesus was home meant _____ for the man who was paralyzed, for if Jesus had healed others, He could heal him as well.
2. There was a problem. Unless others _____ him, there was no way the paralytic could get to Jesus.
3. He knew and accepted that he couldn't get there on his _____; he needed help.

Moving Past Our Hurts, Hang-ups, and Habits.

1. If we want to move past our own hurts, hang-ups, and habits, we need to admit and accept that we can't do it on our own; we need the _____ of God and others.
2. Eight Principles of Celebrate Recovery
    - **R**_____ I'm not God and admit that I am powerless to control my tendency to do the wrong thing and that my life is unmanageable.
    - **E**_____ believe that God exists, that I matter to Him, and that He has the power to help me recover.
    - **C**_____ choose to commit all my life and will to Christ's care and control.
    - **O**_____ examine and confess my faults to God, to myself, and to another person I trust.
    - **V**_____ submit to every change God wants to make in my life and humbly ask Him to remove my character defects.
    - **E**_____ all my relationships, offer forgiveness to those who have hurt me, and make amends for harm I've done to others, except when to do so would harm them or others.
    - **R**_____ a daily time with God for prayer, Bible reading, and self-examination in order to know God and His will for my life and to gain the power to follow His will.
    - **Y**_____ myself to God to be used to bring this Good News to others, both by my example and by my words.

Setbacks

1. When the paralytic arrived in Capernaum, being carried by four others, they encountered an unexpected setback – they couldn't _____ to Jesus.
2. The road to recovery is typically not a straight path. It often includes many ups and downs and _____ twists and turns along the way.

3. Discovering the _____ issues that show up as emotional triggers, repeated patterns of behavior, and character defects – it leads to amazing transformation, and we grow closer in our relationship with God and others in the process.
4. _____ is taking place, and it's not just about learning new things that are helpful; it's also about unlearning things that are not good.

On the Roof

1. You would probably hear them going up on the roof.
2. Once they got up on the roof, how big was the opening they made?
3. How long did it take to make the opening?
4. Was it just particles of debris, small chunks, large pieces of debris?
5. As more and more people had to look up and see the paralytic being lowered by the four men and placed at the feet of Jesus, He _____ the man.

Two Elements

1. The _____ faith that these men exercised.
2. Recovery can be _____.
    - A human being made his way to Jesus that day and not only found physical healing, but _____ of sin.
    - Messes can be cleaned up, building can be repaired, and it all fades away when a life is _____ by Jesus.
    - When a person today finds healing and freedom from the hurts, hang-ups, and habits in their life, it positively impacts _____ around them.
    - When a person is still struggling with he hurts, hang-ups in their life, it _____ impacts everyone around them.