

LUKE 7 - 9:51

OVERALL CONTEXT

Chapter 7:	Healing the Centurion's Slave Raising the widow's son John's question The woman who loved Jesus
Chapter 8:	Women who follow Jesus Parables (seed) Jesus' "family" Jesus calms the Sea Gerasene Demoniac Jairus' daughter and woman
Chapter 9:	Sending the twelve Herod & John Feeding 5000 Peter's Confession Jesus foretells His death Jesus' transfiguration Father and son Jesus' second foretelling Who's greatest? "He set His face to Jerusalem" (9:51) Would-be followers
Chapter 10:	Sending the seventy Woe! Return of seventy Revelation to "infants" Parable of Good Samaritan Mary and Martha
Chapter 11:	Prayer Parable of friend at night A house divided Various sayings Sign of Jonah Jesus denounces religious leaders

Passage Outline:

Jesus and a woman

- Vs. 36-38** - **Dinner with a Pharisee**
 - **A woman, a sinner**
 - **Her attentions**
- V. 39** - **Simon's thoughts**
- Vs.40-49** - **Jesus' question**
 - **two debtors**
 - **Jesus' application**
 - **Simon's failure**
 - **Her forgiveness**
- **The guests reaction**

Key words/ thoughts: **ask** (ἐρωτάω); **recline** (ἀνάκειμαι); **sinner** (ἁμαρτωλός); **bring** (κομίζω); **weep** (κλαίω);
kiss (καταφιλέω); **touch** (ἅπτομαι);
debtor (χρεωφειλέτης); **denarii** (δηνάριον);
myrrh (μύρον); **love** (ἀγαπάω); **peace** (εἰρήνη)

Questions: With regard to the woman, what are your thoughts/feelings?
Would you have allowed her to touch you as she did Jesus? Why/ why not?
Were her actions appropriate or inappropriate? Why do you think so?

Jesus and Women

- Vs. 1-3** - **Jesus' ministry**
 - **Those with Him**
 - **The women, who provided**

Key words/ thought: **goodnews-ing** (εὐαγγελίζω);
steward (ἐπίτροπος); **serve** (διακονέω);
possessions (ὑπάρχοντα)

Questions: What do you think/feel regarding the women who served Jesus?
Why do you think they served? Did the men not serve? What might it have meant to serve Jesus?