

JESUS IS KING

THE GOSPEL OF MARK PART ONE

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WARM UP QUESTION: Have you ever looked for a sign to prove something? Why and what was it for?

READ: Mark 7:31 - 8:26

FOCUS: What contaminates the Kingdom? It is the inability to receive or accept Jesus for who He really is and needing more proof, from a human perspective, that He is able to do anything rather than relying on God's power.

OBSERVE:

- Jesus does everything well; He even makes the deaf hear and the mute speak. The miracles of Jesus reveal His person and His power.
- The disciples lacked faith in Jesus. They worried about what appeared to be insufficient resources rather than trusting that the Lord can do much with little.
- We need to remember what God has done for us in the past when we need Him to do something for us in the present. Jesus validates He is the Messiah.

REFLECT:

- Do you take God at His Word or do you test His validity?
- Has Jesus done enough for you to convince you to believe He is Who He says He is and can do what He says He can do, or are you still seeking a sign?

TAKE ACTION:

- Pray often and trust God.
- Confess that Jesus is Lord over your life situation.
- Ask God to open the eyes and ears of the lost and to give them understanding.

PRAY:

Lord Jesus, help us to believe in You at all times and to not waver in unbelief. Thank You for the testimonies You have given us. In Jesus' name we pray, Amen.