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## THE POWERFUL SERVANT OF GOD

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### I. Mark

#### A. The Four Gospels

- Matthew—Jesus as SOVEREIGN KING
- Mark—Jesus as HUMBLE SERVANT
- Luke—Jesus as SON OF MAN
- John—Jesus as SON OF GOD

#### B. Mark 4 transitions to Mark 5

- Move from PARABLES to HEALING
- Move from HEARING EARS to SEEING EYES
- Move from POWERFUL WORDS to POWERFUL ACTS

### II. Mark 5

#### A. GET OUT!

vv. 1-18

#### B. GET ON!

vv.24-36

#### C. GET UP!

vv. 37-43

### III. My Life

Jesus Has Power In Your Life ...

#### A. Power to REMOVE THE TURMOIL in My Life

#### B. Power to HEAL THE SUFFERING in My Life

#### C. Power to GIVE LIFE ITSELF

#### NEXT STEPS:

- I am committing to follow Jesus for the first time today.
- I am re-committing to follow Jesus today.
- I am asking the Lord to remove the turmoil in my life.
- I am asking the Lord to heal the suffering in my life.



**Lesson Aim:** To help us understand and appreciate God's power in the life of Jesus, both when He walked on earth and in our lives today.

**Prayer:** Open in prayer asking for the Holy Spirit to show you how to be a powerful servant of God.

1. **Read Mark 4:35-41.** The disciples were filled with a great fear. When is fear a sign of little or no faith? How can we recognize that our fear is leading to sinful behavior?
2. What is something that you fear when it comes to “neighboring” or showing others that you are “Marked” by Jesus? If nothing, then how did you gain that confidence?
3. **Read Mark 5:11-17.** Why did the people want Jesus to leave their region?

4. Jesus has now moved from sharing parables for people to hear to showing miracles for them to see. Why do you think Jesus made this change?
5. Do you relate and respond more to what you hear or what you see? Why?
6. **Read Mark 5:35-43.** Why do you think Jesus gave strict orders for them not to tell anyone about what had just happened?
7. Our guest speaker Bill explained that Jesus has the power to remove turmoil, heal suffering, and give life. How can you apply this to your life today?
8. What is an area, or areas, of your life that you need Jesus' power in?

**Weekly Memory Verse:**

*Philippians 4:7. The peace of God, which transcends all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.*