

‘Immediately:’ The Gospel of Mark’s Concise Guide to Following Jesus
Three Reasons We Need the Gospel of Mark Now

Mark 1:1

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Imagine trying to follow Jesus without the physical presence of Jesus or the New Testament. The original disciples had the physical presence of Jesus, but not a New Testament. We have a New Testament, but not the physical presence of Jesus. But there was a generation in between that had neither. The apostles’ teaching about the words and works of Jesus is something they heard from the apostles’ themselves. Twenty years after the resurrection of Jesus, the first written account of the life of Jesus appears: the Gospel of Mark.

Why do we need the gospel of Mark now? Because through the careful study of this book, the Holy Spirit can help us follow Jesus by giving us more:

1. _____ in the Bible.
2. _____ about Jesus.
3. _____ for people.