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A Brief Study on What Jesus Said About the Kingdom

Mark 1:1-15; Malachi 3:1-6; Isaiah 40:3-11

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- 2 Timothy 3:16-17
 - All Scripture is inspired (God breathed)
- Mark 1:1-2
 - The beginning
 - Start of Jesus' earthly ministry
 - Jesus is the Son of God
 - Solid foundation for Mark to begin
 - Gospel
 - εὐαγγελίου (Greek)
 - *Euangelion* (Transliterated)
 - Means "good news"
- Malachi 3:1-6
 - The messenger that is preparing a way is John the Baptist
 - The Lord will come to the temple
 - The messenger of the covenant is Christ Jesus
 - A picture of a king who will judge and make things right
 - We see someone who the Jews are looking for to bring about justice and righteousness in the land
- Isaiah 40:3-11
 - Good news!
 - A voice is calling
 - Glory of the Lord will shine
 - Humans are like grass and flowers (fading away)
 - The Word of God will stand forever
 - Here is your God!
 - John 1:14-18 for reference
- Mark 1:14-15
 - John has prepared the way (he must decrease)
 - Gospel of God— "I am here"
 - Gospel of Kingdom— "The King is here"
 - He has fulfilled the words of the prophets