

# THROUGH THE NEW TESTAMENT: MARK 1-6

## WEEK 6: THROUGH the NEW TESTAMENT: Read MARK Chapters 1-6

### Introduction

Mark is the oldest Gospel written by John Mark, a disciple of Peter. It is also the shortest Gospel. Since he was writing to the Gentiles, he wanted to present Jesus as the Christ and show Jesus's healings and miracles as proof.

- 1) a) What are some of the notable differences between Mark and Matthew's Gospels.  
b) What lessons do we learn from Jesus' temptation by the devil?
  
- 2) a) In Mark chapter 3, how and why did Jesus appoint the twelve disciples?  
b) How did Jesus prepare His disciples for ministry before sending them? And how can we use His preparation strategies for leadership and discipleship today?  
c) What might Jesus ask a modern-day Christian to leave to follow Him?

### 3. Mark 4: 35-41 (Jesus calms the storm)

Jesus was in the boat with His disciples when they experienced a great windstorm, and the waves beat into the boat. He rebuked the wind, and the wind ceased.

- a) The disciples hoped that Jesus would calm the wind, and He did. Why then were they astonished that the wind and the sea obeyed Him?
- b) Explain some challenges which Christians face that could cause their faith to waver? And how would you encourage such a Christian to have strong faith in God?

### 4. Discuss other captivating or complex issues you found while reading Mark 1-6.

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