

**"He Does All Things Well"**

Mark 7:23-37

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**Big Idea:** *Jesus life and ministry validates His message for the world*

**1. Jesus draws us near (24-30)**

**2. Jesus makes us hear (31-37)**

**RESPONSE QUESTIONS**

1. Have you ever seen a disparity between what people say and what they do? Why are our actions so important when it comes to our proclamation of the Gospel to others?
2. Why would this Syrophoenician woman in Mark chapter seven be automatically discounted by the Jews of her day? Are there people in our culture that we may be tempted to dismiss in the same way?
3. How should we view Jesus statement to the woman about giving the children's bread to the dogs (vs. 27)? How does this apply to us?
4. Jesus commented on the woman's response in vs. 28-29. Read Matt. 15:27-28. What is the importance of the woman's faith and how does this relate to our faith in Christ as His disciples?
5. In vss. 31-37 Jesus makes a deaf man hear. How does this relate to the faith of the woman earlier? How does this relate to our conversion when we believed the Gospel? (See Eph. 2:8-10)
6. It is recorded that people said that Jesus had done all things well (vs. 37). What has Jesus done well in your life? Why is Jesus worthy of our devotion and our praise?
7. Consider the three application points found in our mission statement: Know - Declare - Disciple. Discuss each of these elements in your life as a disciple of Jesus.