

The Cause & Cure for UN (BELIEF)

Mark 6:1-6
February 18, 2024

Questions for your Family Devotions or Grace Groups:

Summary of Message:

*Jesus went to His hometown and encountered so much unbelief there that He was unable to do many miracles. Unbelief can be hazardous to your health in three ways: **It blinds eyes and you can become skeptical, It poisons your heart and you can become cynical, and it robs your joy and you can become sterile.** Is there an antidote? Absolutely!*

1. Review **Mark 6:1-6**. What was something the Lord used to speak to **you personally** in this message?
2. How does your family react to your faith in Christ? How does that affect you? Read **Matthew 19:29-30** & discuss what Jesus *might be* talking about.
3. Why do you think Jesus stated, “**A prophet is not without honor except in his hometown, among his relatives, and in his household.**”? How has familiarity with Jesus blocked you from really seeing who He is? What helps you get a fresh look?
4. Read **Psalms 14:1**. Why is it “foolish” to say there is no God? Discuss the statement Pastor Michael made: “*If God proved His existence, we couldn’t truly be a ‘believer’, we could be a ‘follower’, but not a ‘believer’, because there would be no faith required.*” Why does God desire us to have ‘faith’? (**Hebrews 11:6**)
5. Three ‘cures’ were given for unbelief when it raises its ugly head. Talk about each of them:
 - Offer prayer to God - **Ephesians 1:18, 2 Kings 6:17**
 - See people ‘in’ God - **2 Corinthians 5:16a**
 - Speak the promises of God - **Romans 10:8-9, Matthew 17:20**