Gospel of Mark 10-13 Quiz

- 1. How did Jesus answer the Pharisees question about Moses giving a writing of divorce? Jesus referred them back to the ideal found in Genesis 2 and that Moses' concession was not intended to become what they made it: a license to divorce for any reason.
- 2. Mark 10:24 elaborates further into what the rich young ruler was doing. What is that? That he was trusting in his riches and ultimately not trusting in the Lord.
- 3. What did Mark 10:27 mean, what was it speaking about when it said: "With men it is impossible, but not with God: for with God all things are possible." Salvation
- 4. Mark 10:28-31 tells of those who had left all to follow Christ. List 3 things they may have left and 3 things they would gain: They could have left houses, brethren, sisters, father, mother, wife, children, lands.... They would gain houses, brethren, sisters, mothers, children, lands with persecution and eternal life in the world to come!
 - *Food for thought: What does/has your following Christ cost you? What have you gained?
- 5. What do we see as a stark contrast in Mark 10:32-34 versus Mark 10:35-41 and how did Jesus answer it in Mark 10:43-45? <u>Jesus foretelling His Passion and crucifixion versus the desire of James and John for prominence in the Kingdom. Jesus taught that the greatest of all would be servant of all.</u>
- 6. What was the name of the blind man whose sight Jesus restored in Mark 10? Bartimeus.
- 7. Mark 11-16 shows the final <u>week</u> of Jesus' life. So roughly 1/3rd of the book cover a small portion of Jesus' life.
- 8. What was the Triumphal Entry? & Where do they get the phrase for "Palm Sunday"?

 <u>Jesus entering Jerusalem on Sunday before His resurrection and all worshipped. Palm Sunday for the palm branches laid before Him.</u>
- 9. In what ways are we like the donkey Jesus rode? <u>Used by Jesus to fulfill His purpose and He is everything, not us!</u>
- 10. It was the one day that Jesus allowed Himself to be worshipped as King
- 11. What did the fig tree represent primarily? <u>Israel and its barrenness at a time it should</u> have bore fruit
- 12. Why did Jesus say in Mark 11:17 "...My house shall be called of all nations the House of Prayer? But ye have made it a den of thieves." What were they doing that made it a den of thieves? Selling in Temple and only place in town at that time to buy a suitable sacrifice—extortion—making a profit at people's expense who were desiring to serve the Lord.

13.	Jesus spoke the parable of the wicked husbandmen which portrayed the Jews attempts to remove who and gain what else? God, Jesus and prophets to gain the inheritance – (land, fruit and life "my life")
14.	. Will there be marriage in Heaven? <u>No</u> Will we know each other in Heaven? <u>Yes</u>
15	List the 2 Great Commandments: Love God with everything and love neighbor as yourself
16	. Mark 12:37 tells us "And the <u>common</u> people heard him gladly."
17.	What were some things the scribes (& Pharisees) do wrong? (Mark 12:38-40)? Wanted to be seen, wanted the praise, misled others, prayed, gave and fast to be seen—clean

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- 18. What did Jesus mean when He said that the poor widow had cast in more to the treasury than the rich men who cast in? She had give even all that she had whereas the rich gave out of their abundance.
- 19. Mark 13 shows us the Apocalyptic Discourse: List 4 of the precursors to the end of time: Pestilence, famines, earthquakes, false Christs, nations rise against nations, love of money, grow cold, wars, rumors of wars
- 20. What was/is one thing that often amazes us that Jesus was unimpressed by in Mark 13:1 and what did Jesus know that they didn't yet? The magnitude of the Temple and its surrounding courts (roughly 84 years in building) and Jesus knew that it would shortly be destroyed! Likewise we often cast our eyes on the things that are impressive and forget this will all be destroyed one day
- 21. **T**/F: Jesus emphasis wasn't merely to look around at what would happen, but to watch and live expectantly for His return.

Bonus:

- 1. What Old Testament scripture reference is Mark 11:9 "Hosanna; Blessed is He that cometh in the name of the LORD:"? Psalm 118:25-26
- 2. List 2 questions that Jesus asked that stumped the hardened Jews? The question regarding the baptism of John being from Heaven or of men and Christ being both the Son of David and Lord of David.
- 3. What 3 things caused the Sadducees to err in? Not knowing the Scriptures, the power of God and that God was the God of the living and not the God of the dead.
- 4. Who did Jesus tell the following statement unto "Thou art not far from the kingdom of God."? The scribe who had asked what the greatest commandment was.