

# **“The Forerunner’s Faithfulness”**

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Mark 6:14-29 Study Guide

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## **Background and Theme**

- **Author:** John Mark
- **Audience:** Gentiles/Romans
- **Theme of Mark:** Jesus - The Servant Savior
- **Key Verse:** Mark 10:45 - “For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many.”

## **I. The Unseen**

## **II. The Seen**

### **1. Front and Center**

### **2. In the Background**

## **III. At the End**

**Verses Referenced:** Luke 1:76-80, Luke 1:15-17, Galatians 6:7-8, Matthew 3:1-12, John 3:22-30, 2nd Chronicles 16:9

### Questions for Reflection and Discussion:

1. John was faithfully devoted to seeking and living for God when no one was watching. How do you think one keeps oneself faithful in this way?
2. What practical steps do you take in private to make sure you are able to serve and be used by God in public?
3. John said what needed to be said, and did what needed to be done, as he served the Lord. What do you think gave him the boldness/readiness to do and say these things, despite the outcomes and replies from the crowds?
4. Like John, do you see the need for Jesus to increase in and through your life as you serve the Lord? Or is it more about you being seen and noticed for your service?
5. How can you, like John, remain faithful to the end of your life?

This week, re-read Mark 6:14-29 and pray through the truths you find while reading. Find someone to discuss these verses with, and share the word with someone you don't know as well.

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