

A Sneak Peek At The Kingdom Of God

Mark 8:31-9:32

"Mark: The Son Of God Who Serves", Part 11

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I) THE GOSPEL OF MARK SO FAR (review)

- 1) The preparation of the Son of God who serves. (Mark 1:1-13)
- 2) The power of the Son of God who serves. (Mark 1:14-8:30)
- 3) The principles of the Son of God who serves. (Mark 8:31-10:52)

II) NOW THAT JESUS HAS BEEN ACKNOWLEDGED AS THE CHRIST, HE BEGINS REVEALING MORE ABOUT HIMSELF AND HIS KINGDOM

(Mark 8:31-9:32)

- 1) Facts about the kingdom of God:
 - a) It is always present in the PERSON OF KING JESUS. (Mark 8:31-38)
 - b) It is a place we now exist in "POSITIONALLY". (Colossians 1:13)
 - c) It will one day be a physical kingdom at CHRIST'S RETURN. (Revelation 20)
- 2) His DEATH predicted and the principle of sacrifice. (Mark 8:31-38)
- 3) His RESURRECTION GLORY anticipated and the principle of worship. (Mark 9:1-13)
- 4) His DIVINE AUTHORITY demonstrated and the principle of faith and prayer. (Mark 9:14-29)
- 5) His DEATH AND RESURRECTION again predicted and the principle of sovereignty. (Mark 9:30-32)

III) KINGDOM LIVING HERE AND NOW (application)

- 1) God gives us a sneak peek at the kingdom so we will LIVE IT daily. (Matthew 6:10)
- 2) God gives us a sneak peek at the kingdom so we will SEEK IT daily. (Matthew 6:33)