

11. In Jesus' day, if you believed that the best interests of Judaism lay in cooperation with the Romans, you were probably in what group?
12. The group, Herodians, didn't like Jesus because He wasn't what?
13. Zealots were political what?
14. Zealots saw Jesus as too what?
15. In the opening verses of Mark 3, Jesus is engaged in a controversy over the issue of the what?
16. The Pharisees believed Jesus broke the Sabbath law by doing what on the Sabbath day?
17. What two groups joined hands in a common cause to destroy Jesus?
18. The Pharisees accused Jesus of casting out demons by whose power?
19. Who was Jesus popular with?
20. One of the reasons why people flocked to Jesus was because they were desperate for Him to do what?
21. Jesus healed many people and also delivered people from what?
22. What references tell us about Jesus healing people and delivering people from demon possession?
23. The first reason why Jesus did all of this healing is because He was what?
24. A second reason Jesus healed people was to validate His claims of what?
25. A third reason Jesus healed all of these people was to point them to their what?
26. In what region of Israel did Jesus do most of His miracles?
27. Josephus tells us that Galilee had close to how many people?
28. In what region of Israel was/is Jerusalem located?
29. Idumea was populated with Edomites who were descendants of whom?
30. The area, "beyond the Jordan" was commonly called what?
31. Tyre and Sidon were located on what sea?
32. Jesus was very popular but not necessarily what?
33. In John 6 what did many people start doing after they saw Jesus multiply bread?
34. The people in John 6 were more interested in physical comforts than they were what?
35. Like most people today, the people then were motivated by what?
36. By the time we get to the end of John 6, how many followers of Jesus are left?
37. The word "disciple" in John 6:60 doesn't mean genuine believer but it means what?
38. Jesus' statements weren't hard to understand but they were what?
39. The problem at the end of John 6 isn't misinterpretation; the problem is what?

40. How is a false disciple and a true disciple distinguished?
41. There were so many people pressing at Jesus that He found it necessary to have what handy if He needed it?
42. The people were convinced that what would heal their affliction?
43. Who did Jesus NOT want to publicize His identity?
44. Demons confuse people by doing what?
45. Which category of people would you be in if you lived in the time of Christ? Which category of people are you in now?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change

FOR NEXT TIME:

1. Read Mark 1:1-3:19 one time this week
2. What all do you know about the 12 disciples of Jesus?
3. What are some things that Jesus did to train and equip His disciples to change the world?

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STRATEGIC WITHDRAWAL

Mark 3:7-12

Series #14

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: **“Strategic Withdrawal.”** All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. Virtually no one among what groups in Israel liked Jesus at all?
2. What group was the religious elites?
3. The Pharisees saw Jesus as too what?
4. What group in Israel was largely people of wealth and position?
5. The group, known as the Sadducees, controlled the priesthood and the what?
6. The Sadducees saw Jesus as too conservative in His view of what?
7. In Jesus' day, if you were an ascetic, you probably were in what group?
8. The Essenes saw Jesus as too what?
9. What group came to be regarded as the authorities on the Scriptures?
10. The Scribes saw Jesus as unsubmitive to the what?

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