

10. The disciples' minds could not grasp or accept what Jesus was saying when He announced that He was what?
11. In John 2, Jesus spoke of the destruction of the what?
12. In John 3, Jesus told Nicodemus that He would be what?
13. Where did Jesus say that He would give His flesh as the bread of life for the world?
14. In John 10 Jesus said that He would lay down His life as the what?
15. In Mark 8:29, who asserted the greatest confession ever uttered by any man?
16. What is, in some ways, the high point of the gospel of Mark?
17. Jesus worked tirelessly to get the disciples ready and to convince them deep in their souls that He was the what?
18. What were the disciples NOT seeing?
19. There will be a day when Jesus will bring in the kingdom but before that day can become a reality, what had to happen?
20. Why did Jesus not want anyone to know that He passed through Galilee?
21. Jesus wanted His men to know that the journey to Jerusalem would culminate in what?
22. Mark 9:31 is the first mention of what?
23. There is no reason to believe that Judas was any less what, than the other disciples, when sent out in teams of 2 for short term work?
24. Judas was following Jesus for what reasons?
25. Besides Judas, the other disciples at least did love Jesus, even though their motives were what?
26. What did Judas regularly do in relation to the money box?
27. Did the other disciples ever suspect Judas to be the one who would betray the Lord?
28. The very word "betrayed" implies that what will be done to hand Him over will be done by whom?
29. What part of Jesus' statement in verse 31 did the disciples probably not hear?
30. John 1 records the very first days of what?
31. In John 1:35, what two disciples were standing around talking to John the Baptizer?
32. What question did Jesus ask Andrew and John?
33. What is the first question Jesus asks of humanity as He begins His ministry?
34. Jesus invited the disciples to do what?
35. In relation to John 1, it is interesting that John remembered what?
36. Andrew spent his entire life known as whom?
37. Andrew had what kind of heart?
38. Cephas and Peter are the same name and they both mean what?
39. Which disciple was from the same town as Andrew and Peter?
40. Which disciple couldn't believe the Messiah would come from such an insignificant town as Nazareth?

41. Nathaniel/Bartholomew was an Israelite without what?
42. Why was the death of Jesus on a cross such an unacceptable or confusing thought for the disciples?
43. Because we know what the cross accomplished in the plan of God, it is what to us?
44. To say that God's Son accomplished salvation, or anything good, by dying on the cross was what to the people of the 1<sup>st</sup> Century?
45. Have you received the forgiveness provided through Christ?

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
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**FOR NEXT TIME:**

1. Read Mark 1:1-9:37 one time this week
2. What is the difference between Childlikeness and Childishness?
3. What are some things that the disciples argued about?
4. What are some paradoxes of the Christian faith

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**A REMINDER OF IMPENDING DEATH**

Mark 9:30-32

**Series #45**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon: **“A Reminder of Impending Death.”** 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. If someone were to ask you why Jesus came to earth, you would say that He came to do what?
2. When we read about the life and ministry of Jesus, we do so from what perspective?
3. The disciples were Jewish so they saw things from a standpoint of their background and their what?
4. Whenever the disciples heard the word “Messiah” they would have thought of words such as what?
5. What did the disciples assume was about to be established?
6. Palm branches were the symbol of what?
7. The people waved palm branches and spread them on the road because they thought the Messiah was going to start what?
8. Spreading clothes on the road was an ancient act of homage reserved for whom?
9. What would have stunned and shocked the disciples beyond description?

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