

Mark Chapter Nine

Keys to This Chapter

Key Passage: Verse 2-3

“Now after six days Jesus took Peter, James, and John, and led them up on a high mountain apart by themselves; and He was transfigured before them. His clothes became shining, exceedingly white, like snow, such as no launderer on earth can whiten them.”

Key People

Jesus
Peter
James
John
Elijah
Moses
The disciples
Scribes

Key Places

Galilee
Capernaum

Key Words

Transfigured
Rabbi
Tabernacle
Maimed
Quenched
Lame
Seasoned

Key Lesson

Questions on the Text

1. What did Jesus say about the kingdom in verse one?
2. What happened to Jesus when He took Peter, James and John on a high mountain? Who else appeared with them?
3. While on the mountain, what did Peter suggest they do? Why did he suggest that?
4. Who answered Peter? What did He say?
5. When coming down the mountain, what did Jesus command Peter, James and John to do?
6. When Jesus came down from the mountain, what did one of the crowd say to Him? What was Jesus' reaction upon hearing this? What did He do for the man?
7. Why could not the disciples cast an unclean spirit out of a boy?
8. What, in verse 31, did Jesus tell His disciples would happen to Him? What was their reaction?
9. While in Capernaum, what did Jesus ask His disciples? Why did they not answer Him?
10. Who did Jesus say would be greatest?
11. What did John tell Jesus in verse 38: What was Jesus' response?
12. How did Jesus emphasize the importance of not causing one of the little ones who believed in Him to stumble?
13. What should you do if:
 - a. Your hand causes you to sin? Why?
 - b. Your foot causes you to sin? Why?
 - c. Your eye causes you to sin? Why?
14. Are the commands in the above question to be taken literally? What is Jesus really teaching?
15. What, in verse 50, did Jesus tell His disciples to have?

Matching

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| _____ 1. Some standing before Jesus | A. Had a son with an unclean spirit. |
| _____ 2. Peter | B. Will not die before seeing the kingdom come. |
| _____ 3. One of the crowd | C. Disputed as to who was greatest. |
| _____ 4. His disciples | D. Forbade a man from casting out demons. |
| _____ 5. John | E. Wanted to build three tabernacles. |

Discussion Question

What do you think was the purpose of the transfiguration?