

Walking with Jesus: "The One in Charge."

Mark 1:21-34 {p. 27} 5/29//2011

Mark 1:27 *They were all amazed, so that they debated among themselves, saying, "What is this? A new teaching with authority! He commands even the unclean spirits, and they obey Him."*

Theme: Jesus had authority but as His followers can we have it also?

Jesus shows His authority in these 3 ways.

1. You see his authority in _____. [21-22]

A. Teaching in the _____.

- Capernaum –
- Synagogue –

B. Teaching of the _____.

2. You see his authority in the _____ realm. [23-28]

A. A demon was _____ in a religious setting.

- 1) _____.
- 2) Demonized.
- 3) Distinctively _____.

B. The demon was _____ by the Holy One of God.

- 1) "Be _____!"
- 2) "Come out of him!"

C. The demon _____ at Jesus' commands.

D. The people _____ to Jesus' authority. [27-28]

- 1) They were _____.
- 2) They _____ among themselves.
- *What is this?*
- 3) They immediately spread the news about Jesus everywhere.

3. You see his authority in the _____ realm. [29-34]

A. Simon's _____ needed healing. [29-31]

B. The ill of _____ needed healing. [32-34]

Conclusion

1. How should preaching today be like Jesus' preaching?

Acts 4:29-31

²⁹ "And now, Lord, take note of their threats, and grant that Your bond-servants may speak Your word with all confidence,
³⁰ while You extend Your hand to heal, and signs and wonders take place through the name of Your holy servant Jesus."
³¹ And when they had prayed, the place where they had gathered together was shaken, and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak the word of God with boldness.

2. As Christ followers should we fear the darkness?

John 14:12 *"Truly, truly, I say to you, he who believes in Me, the works that I do, he will do also; and greater works than these he will do; because I go to the Father."*

James 4:7 *Submit therefore to God. Resist the devil and he will flee from you.*

Step 1 – _____ to God.

Step 2 – _____ the devil.

Eph. 6:10 Be strong in the Lord and in the strength of His might.

Step 3 – He will flee from you.

Resistance Statement: "I am a child of God and I belong to Christ. In the mighty name of Jesus and in the power of His blood shed for me; Satan, be gone – Go!"

1 John 4:4 *You are from God, little children, and have overcome them; because greater is He who is in you than he who is in the world.*