

## Miracles of Jesus



MEMORY VERSE: “Jesus took the five loaves and two fish, looked up toward heaven, and blessed them.”

Mark 6:41

### DAY 1

#### MARK 6:1-6 — Jesus Rejected at Nazareth

1. Why were the people in Jesus' hometown not impressed with Jesus?
2. Why could Jesus only do a few miracles in Nazareth? Why do you think that made such a difference?
3. Would Jesus be amazed at your faith or your unbelief? Does unbelief ever hinder God's work in your own life?

### DAY 2

#### MARK 6:7-13 — Jesus Sends Out the Apostles

4. Why do you think Jesus sent the disciples out in pairs? What were the benefits of this method? How can we follow this principle today?
5. Because of the authority Jesus had given them, what were the disciples able to do? vv. 12-13

6. There was still much the disciples had to learn and much they did not understand. What lessons can we learn from this passage about serving Jesus?

### DAY 3 MARK 6:14-29 — The Death of John the Baptist

7. Read verses 14-16. What was the reaction of the region at large to Jesus? What was Herod's conclusion? Why might he have thought this?

8. Who does the world (people who live as though there were no God) think Jesus is?

9. What did Herod think of John the Baptist? v. 20

10. Read verses 17-29. Herod made a foolish promise that his wife exploited to end John the Baptist's life. What lesson can you learn from this? Is there any lesson here about peer pressure?

### DAY 4 MARK 6:30-56 — Jesus Feeds Thousands & Walks on Water

11. Read verses 30-34. What did Jesus do when He saw His plans had been messed up? What can we learn from Jesus' attitude here?

12. Read verses 35-44. What does this miracle tell us about Jesus? What lessons can we learn from this passage?

13. Read the account in John 6:1-12. What can we learn from the boy?

14. Read verses 47-52. What does this miracle tell us about Jesus? What lessons can we learn from this passage?

15. What did the people of Gennesaret do when they recognized Jesus? What were the results?  
vv. 53-56

## **DAY 5** MARK 6 — Wrap Up

16. Compare and contrast the disciples' attitudes in Mark 6.

17. Why do we still question if He can handle our problems/situations?

### **TAKE AWAY**

Do not miss the miracles God has for you! Ask God today--and every day--to open your eyes so that you may see His work in your life.

### **BLESSING**

Jesus still performs miracles every day!

## Miracles of Jesus

At Gennesaret, crowds again came to Jesus for healing. The people in Nazareth were offended by Him. Herod thought He was John the Baptist alive again. The crowd He fed saw Him as a political deliverer. Even the disciples did not learn His true identity from His miracles, for “their hearts were hardened.” Such misunderstanding continues to this day. Some are offended. Some see Him as a problem-solver. They look to Him as a miracle-worker who will satisfy all their desires. But what should the disciples—and us—understand about Jesus? Clearly, the miracles were meant to build

faith in Jesus as the unique Son of God. Our study of these miracles should help us to trust more fully in Jesus.

Mark 6 demonstrates:

- \*Jesus’ compassion
- \*Jesus uses other people to bless others
- \*Jesus is big enough for any expectation
- \*Nothing we face here on earth is too big for God

Mark 6 reassures us of Jesus’ love for us.

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