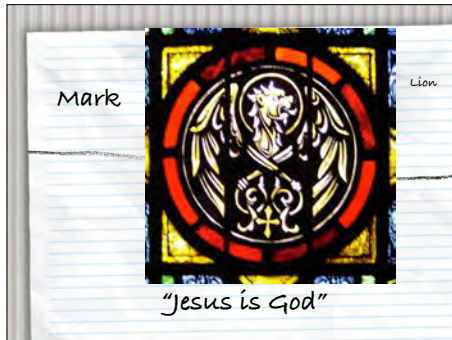
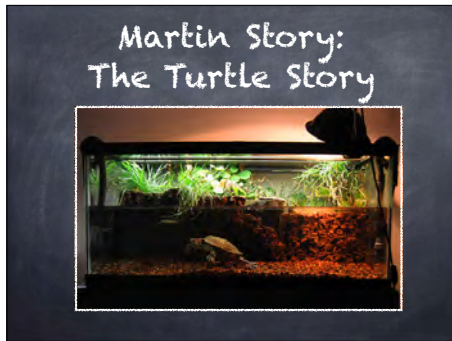




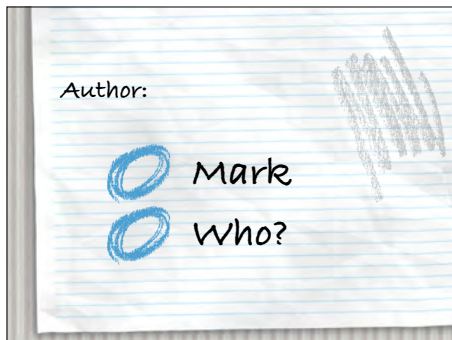
1



2



3



4

Author:

- Acts 12:12, 12:25, 13:5, 13:13, 15:36-39
- also known as:
John Mark
- Not a disciple, but a friend of Paul & Barnabas

5

Date Written:

- 62? AD

6

Recipients:

- 7:2-4; 15:42; 3:17
- Gentile Readers
(Roman church?)
- See TCF #4

7

Purpose:

- SHOW THAT JESUS IS THE SON OF GOD
- (In a simple, fast-paced story)

8

Key Chapter (Required Reading):

8:

Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God, powerful, predicts his death, will stand in glory.

9

Key Verse:

15:39

Roman Soldier says "Surely this man was the Son of God"

10

TCF #1 Immediately

1:42; 2:8; 5:29; 5:42; 6:27; 6:45; 6:51; 9:20; 9:24; 10:52; 14:72

Also: 1:29 "As soon as they left..."
5:35 "While Jesus was still speaking..."
6:25 "At once the girl hurried in..."

11

TCF #2

Presents Jesus as the Son of God

1:1; 5:7; 15:39

12

TCF #3

The Messianic Secret

- 5:43 He told them not to let anyone know about this.
- 7:36 Jesus commanded them not to tell anyone.
- 9:9 Jesus gave them orders not to tell anyone what they had seen.

13

Pop Quiz:

- 5:43
- 7:36
- 9:9

What do these verses have in common? (40)

- What is this called? (30)
- Why does Jesus keep saying this? (30)

14

TCF #3: The Messianic Secret

Why?

- A. Doesn't want to be a circus Act: "Hey, do something neat!" His focus is always on God, not on himself. He doesn't want to be a celebrity.
- B. Timing. If he becomes too popular, he won't be able to move around, and will be killed

15

TCF #4

Written to a Gentile audience

- 7:2-4; 15:42; 3:17

Explains Jewish Customs and Language

16

TCF #5 Focus on The Cross

- Focuses on two parts of the same thing:
- ~~Human Cause~~ 12:12; 14:12; 15:10: "must suffer"
- vs. 8:31; 9:31; 10:33 --only God can rescue man--only Jesus can rescue you-- (in Buddhism and other religions YOU rescue YOURSELF)
Divine Necessity

17

"How to save yourself" according to Buddhism

- Buddhism gives great dignity to man. It is the only religion which states that a human being has the power to help and free himself. In the later stages of his development, he is not at the mercy of any external force or agency which he must constantly please by worshipping or offering sacrifices.
--Buddhist Study and Practice Group

18

Rescue Yourself with Islam

facebook

Hurry up to rescue yourself and gain salvation. Write a note

By Islam: The Greatest Religion on Friday, June 3, 2010 at 11:40am

Believe that Allah(ﷻ) is our god and there is no god save Allah and believe in what He has revealed in the Quran. Perform prayer, pay the Zakat, perform pilgrimage to the House of Allah(ﷻ) if you have means to do so. Shun all that He has forbidden. Fear Him. By Allah shall there be no way for salvation and liberation save by Allah and in His name shall the kingdom of heaven be the kingdom of truth and the kingdom of Allah will accept no other religion from anybody.

Like The Greatest Religion

Share

Like

Like The Greatest Religion

19

TCF #6

Focus on Discipleship

- 8:34-9:1;
- 10:42-45;
- 9:35-10:31

20

Activity to Remember

Four Corners

Jesus is the Son of God;
Luke 16:39

21

Life Lessons from Mark

- Discipleship is an important theme in Mark. What does discipleship mean?
- Why is discipleship an important part of being a Christian?
- How do you display discipleship in your life?

22
