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Worship Service
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ALTERED: Encounters with Jesus

Lesson Eleven • Mark 5:1-20

The Man from the Tombs

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Jesus has absolute authority and power to DELIVER those enslaved in a fallen world—to set people free even from demons

Are Demons and Demon-Possession Real? Can the Demonized Be Delivered?

In this encounter we see the purpose of SATAN to destroy and the power of the SAVIOR to deliver.

Jesus Encounters the Man from the Tombs

1. Jesus CONFRONTS the Man Possessed by Demons!

The Demon-Possessed Man

- The man was UNCLEAN (vs. 1-2).
- The man was UNTAMABLE (vs. 3-4).
- The man was in unceasing ANGUISH (vs. 5).

2. Jesus CONQUERS the Legion of Demons in the Man!

Reaction of the Demons

- The demons recognized the IDENTITY of Jesus (vs. 6-7).

- The demons trembled at the POWER of Jesus (vs. 7-8).
- The demons submitted to the AUTHORITY of Jesus (vs. 9-13).

Rejection by the Townspeople

The townspeople were AFRAID of the power of Jesus and ANGRY at the loss of their pigs (vs. 14-17).

3. Jesus COMMISSIONS the Man Delivered from Demons!

Madman Turned Missionary

- He was CHANGED by the power of Jesus (vs. 15).
- He was COMMITTED to the person of Jesus (vs. 18).
- He was CONSUMED with proclaiming Jesus (vs. 19-20).

Lessons from the Man from the Tombs

- ◆ Jesus can SAVE anyone.
- ◆ Jesus can OVERCOME any evil.
- ◆ Jesus can USE your story.