Bible Study Jesus Return to Nazareth

The Book of Mark Chapter 6

In the 6^{th} chapter of Mark, Jesus returns to his hometown of Nazareth, and he faces rejection from his native land. John the Baptist is beheaded, and Jesus performs another miracle.

Objectives:

- To understand how to deal with rejection.
- To understand that unbelief prevents victory.
- To understand that Jesus is always available to the believer.

Questions and Answers

- A. Why did the people of Nazareth not believe in Jesus? 1-3
- B. How did Jesus address the rejection he faced in Nazareth? 4
- C. How did the rejection and unbelief in Jesus affect the people of Nazareth? 5,6
- D. What preparation did Jesus offer the 12 apostles before he sent them to serve? 7-13
- E. Why did Herod think Jesus was John the Baptist risen from the dead? 14-16
- F. What was the relationship between Herod and John the Baptist? 20
- G. Why was John the Baptist killed? 17-29
- H. Explain the reporting responsibility of the apostles to Jesus? 30
- I. What was the initial purpose of Jesus and the apostles going into the desert? 31-33
- J. What is the relationship between shepherd and sheep? 34
- K. What was the apostles' solution for the hungry crowd? 35-36
- L. What elements did Iesus use to feed the 5000 men? 37-38
- M. What caused the loaves and fish to increase?
- N. How many baskets were left over after everybody was fed? 42-44
- O. What is the message of this miracle?
- P. Why did Jesus command the disciples to go to Bethsaida? 45, 53-56
- Q. Did Jesus knowing send the apostles into a storm? 46-48
- R. What are the four (4) watches of the Jewish night? 48
- S. As Jesus walked the water why didn't the apostles recognize Him? 48-49
- T. How did Jesus calm the apostles' fears? 50-51
- U. What made the apostles' hearts hardened? 52
- V. What is the message of the miracle?
- W. What lessons do we learn from Mark 6?