

# Bible Study

## Chapter 8

# The Book of Mark

### Mark 8:1-38

#### Objectives:

- \*To understand the purpose of the feeding miracle.
  - \*To understand why the disciples were slow in their understanding.
  - \*To understand the costs and rewards of discipleship.
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#### QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Compare the feeding miracle of the 5000 (Mark 6:32-42) and the 4000 (Mark 8:1-9)

	<b>Mark 6:32-42</b>	<b>Mark 8:1-9</b>
<b>Location:</b>	Galilee	Decapolis
<b>People:</b>	Jews	Gentiles
<b>Food:</b>	5 loaves/2 fish	7 loaves/a few fish
<b>Number of people served:</b>	5000	4000
<b>Surplus:</b>	12 baskets	7 baskets

- A. What lessons if any do we learn?
- B. What type of sign did the Pharisees seek and why? V11
- C. What caused Jesus to sigh, and not give the Pharisees a sign? V12-13
- D. Was it a problem that the disciples forgot to bring bread? V14, 16
- E. What was the leaven of the Pharisees? V15
- F. What point was Jesus making concerning provisions? V17-21
- G. Why did Jesus lead the blind man away from Bethsaida? V23
- H. Explain the method Jesus used to heal the blind man. V23
- I. How do we know that this man was not blind from birth? V24
- J. What was the purpose of this man's gradual healing? V25
- K. Did the people of that community know Jesus? V27-28
- L. Compare and contrast Jesus with John the Baptist, Elijah, and other prophets. V28
- M. Explain Peter's response? V29
- N. What is the Passion of Christ? V31
- O. Why did Jesus refer to Peter as Satan? V32-34
- P. What are the costs and rewards of discipleship? V34-38