Follow Me: A Study of Mark — WEEK 5 Questions

Day 1

- How does hypocritical worship act as a barrier for others coming to know Jesus? How can you keep worship to God genuine in your life?
- How does having full access to God impact your prayer life? How does your relationship with God and the character of God encourage boldness in prayer?
- What is keeping you from worshiping God as you should? Are there any idols (greed, materialism, pride, status, etc.) that are obstacles in your worship? Spend some time in prayer, asking God to remove any obstacles to your worship, and ask for the Spirit's help to walk in faithfulness and true worship to God.

Day 2

- Read 1 Peter 2:7–10. How are we to live as believers in light of this passage?
- In what ways do you struggle to obey God's authority? Why is submitting to God better than following your own plans and desires?
- How does Jesus's response in Mark 12:17 reveal how believers should respond to the authority of the government? Why is it important that we respond in this way? Consider Romans 13:1 as you answer the questions.

Day 3

- How does Jesus's statement, "He is not the God of the dead but of the living" (verse 27), connect with the three predictions He has given His disciples? What does this mean for believers?
- Write what you think it means to love the Lord with your heart, soul, mind, and strength. Then, write how you can live that out practically this week.
- How does the widow's sacrifice encourage you to make sacrifices for the Lord? What are some practical ways you can sacrifice for the Lord?

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Day 4

- What is your usual response to end-times teaching? How does this chapter give you hope and comfort in light of the end times?
- How does this chapter encourage you to persevere in evangelism and during times of suffering?
- What does it look like practically for you to be alert and on guard?

Day 5

- What does it say about God's character that He would provide redemption through Christ?
- Read Exodus 12:1–6 and 1 Peter 1:19. How is Jesus our Passover Lamb?
- Why is it important to remember Christ's death on the cross? How can you daily remember and reflect on Christ's sacrifice?

Reflect

- Summarize the main points from this week's Scripture readings.
- What did you observe from this week's passages about God and His character?
- What do this week's passages reveal about the condition of mankind and yourself?
- How do these passages point to the gospel?
- How should you respond to these passages? What specific action steps can you take this week to apply them in your life?
- Write a prayer in response to your study of God's Word. Adore God for who He is, confess sins He revealed in your own life, ask Him to empower you to walk in obedience, and pray for anyone who comes to mind as you study.

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