



**IF YOU ONLY KNEW WHAT I HAVE BEEN THROUGH  
MARK 5:1-20**

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**REFERENCE SCRIPTURE(S)**

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Ephesians 1:22, Colossians 1:16-17

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**HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS**

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The culmination of Mark, chapter 4 and the commencement of Mark, chapter 5 shows Jesus confronting two storms. The storm in chapter 4 occurs on the water. The storm in chapter 5 occurs in a man possessed by an evil spirit. In both cases, the events ended differently from how they began once Jesus got involved.

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**Q & A**

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**1. Chapter 4 of Mark’s Gospel ends with Jesus calming a storm of the sea. Chapter 5 commences with Him calming a storm in a man tormented by demons. Do you believe this occurrence was coincidental or providential? Explain your answer.**

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**2. As Jesus conversed with the spirit in the demon-possessed man in verses 7 and 8, there was an attempt by the man to talk over Jesus. Why would he attempt to do that?**

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**3. In your words, what does this mean; “The demon-possessed man worships God with the mind he had left?”**

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**4. What is meant by, “whatever possesses you speaks for you?”**

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**5. Verse 15 asserts, “They came to Jesus and saw the demon-possessed man, the one who had had the legion, sitting there, clothed and in his right mind, and they were afraid.” Why do you believe the people feared?**

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**APPLICATION QUESTION**

How can you apply these passages (Mark 5:1-20) to your life?

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**DISCUSSION/ACTIVITY**

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**WORD OF THE WEEK**

*I was glad when they said to me, “Let us go to the house of the Lord!” – PSALM 122:1*

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**PRAY FOR THE FOLLOWING**

That the Lord will raise leaders in our church.