

1-All Men Seek Thee. Who?

- 1-All men tired of Sectarianism,
- 2-All men sick of mere theories.
- 3-All men who have found out their own helplessness.
- 4-All men who wish to be saved from sin.
- 5-All men who desire to have peace with God.
- 6-All men who want to be kept by Almighty God.
- 7-All men who look for a kingdom of glory.

TO WHOM ELSE CAN THEY GO?

- 1- The Duty of Husband to their wives
- 2- The Duty of wives to their husbands
- 3- Parental Responsibility
- 4- Parental Honor or Duty of children to their parents
- 5- Right taxation case



"Seeking Jesus." All are Seeking Thee. Mk.1:37

Mark 1:37;38;

And when they had found him, they said unto him, All men seek for thee. 38; And he said unto them, Let us go into the next towns, that I may preach there also: for therefore can I forth. And he preached in their synagogues throughout all galilee, and cast out devils.

Mark 1:35-36;

And in the morning rising up a great while before day, he went out, and departed into a solitary place, and there prayed.

36-And Simon and they that were with him followed after him.

1-In this chapter there are at least three sections. The first wo sections I shall outline briefly.

1-Section One:

a-John's baptism described. Verses 1-8.

b-The baptism of Jesus. Verses 9-11.

c-The Temptation of Jesus. Verses 12-13;

Also Matthew 4:1-11; Luke 4:1-13.

1-Arguments in section one: In this section Mark has set forth three facts which have an important bearing on his proposition that Jesus is the Son of God.

1-The announcement of the prophet John, with direct allusion to Christ, announced the speedy appearance of one so much more exalted than himself, that he was not worthy to stoop down and loosen his shoes.

2-That when Jesus was baptized, God himself, in an audible voice, proclaimed him his Son.

3-That immediately after this proclamation,

Satan commenced against him such a warfare as we would naturally expect him to wage against God's Son in human flesh.

2-Section two:

a-Time and theme of his preaching. The imprisonment of John is the only event named in the gospels to fix the time when the Galilean ministry began.

b-The call of the four fisherman. Simon, Andrew, and James and John the sons of Zebedee.

c-A demon cast out. d-Many cures at Simon's house.

e-Prayer and departure. f-A Leper cleansed.



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2-What in men lead them to seek Christ? There are many motives inducing to this inquiry.

1-Curiosity leads men to seek Christ.

a-During our Lord's ministry, especially the earlier ministry in Galilee, there occurred now and again, a rush to Jesus.

a-Crowds followed him into the deserts and the mountains. They came from far and near. They were curious to see the Prophet of Nazareth.

2-Admiration leads men to seek Jesus.

a-Even sinful men confess the beauty of holiness.

3-Need and suffering lead men to seek Jesus.

a-Human want is perennial. While Jesus was on earth there came to him:

1-They hungry to be fed and the sick to be healed.

2-There came to him the suffering to be relieved and ignorant to be taught.

4-Sin and a sense of need of pardon lead men to seek Christ.

a-Sin has not ceased; its burden and its curse are still felt.

b-And there is none but Christ who has power upon earth to forgive sins.

3-What In Christ leads men to seek him? First, must be placed the fact that:

1-Christ seeks them.

a-Jesus came to seek and to save the lost.

Luke 19:10; Matt. 18:11. If "we love him because he first loved us," we have sought him because he first sought us. 1-Jno.4:19

2-Because of his invitations and promises.

a-"Come unto me" is his invitation; and the assurance is added, "Ye shall find rest ~~unto~~ unto your souls." Matthew 11:28-30.

4-How should men seek Christ?

1-Sincerely and seriously.

2-In faith, not as doubting. Heb. 11:6 *John 1:6-8*

3-Seasonably; which is as much as to say, at once.

4-Perseveringly. It is a life-long quest, and,

though he be found today, none the less must be sought tomorrow. The seeking must be continued, until we see him as he is.

