

# COME *and* SEE

**BONDAGE AND FREEDOM**  
**MARK 5:1-20**

1) The \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 1-13)

- Mark 1:24, Mark 3:11, James 2:19

2) The \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ (vv. 14-20)



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LifeGroup Discussion Questions / Week of Mar 1 – Mar 7, 2025

## Prayer

Begin in prayer that we would see the beauty of God's saving grace, and look for opportunities for our lives to be used as a living example of God saving us from our sin.

## My Story

How has the Lord's mercy shown up in your life recently?

## Digging Deep

1. Thinking back on Sunday's message or this Mark 5:1-20 passage, what idea or lesson stood out to you the most?
2. If someone were to ask you, "What has God done for you?" what is the first thing that comes to mind?
3. **Read Mark 5:1-5.** What do you notice about the man's condition, both physically and emotionally? How do you think the demon-possessed man felt about meeting Jesus?

## Digging Deeper

4. **Read Mark 5:6-17.** What stands out in this interaction between Jesus and the demons possessing this man? Why would the demons beg Jesus to be allowed into the pigs?

5. 2,000 pigs would have been seen as a massive financial asset. The witnesses surely told the townspeople not only about the formerly demon-possessed man being free, but also the loss of the pigs. How does this reflect our sinful nature of focusing on the physical rather than the spiritual?

6. **Read Mark 5:18-20.** Why didn't Jesus let the man follow Him? What does Jesus empower him to do?

7. A quick review of Mark 4:35-5:1 & 5:18 reveals that Jesus crossed the Sea of Galilee to reach this single man who was in need. How does this reflect Jesus' nature of being the Good Shepherd leaving the 99 for the one? Reflect on a time when you felt Jesus as the Good Shepherd.

## Taking It Home

8. In later chapters of Mark, the formerly demon-possessed man spreads the gospel of Jesus and points others toward Him. In the same way, how can you share Jesus' healing over your physical or spiritual life and point others toward Jesus? Think of one or two folks who really need Jesus and pray for them now.
9. Jesus sets us free from sin that we cannot free ourselves from. Spend time in prayer confessing your sin to the Lord and seek the Spirit's help to move forward in forgiveness and righteousness.

## Praying Together

Pray with one another that we turn toward Jesus in our daily battles and that we would have the confidence in Christ to see His love and mercy towards us.