



MARK 1:1-15

Matthew, Mark, and Luke are known as the “synoptic” gospels because they “see” the story of Jesus “together.”

Mark is the only gospel author who does not include a version of the _____.

Mark is a gospel of _____ – it has an abrupt beginning, an abrupt ending, and the action is spurred along with over 40 occurrences of the word “immediately” (*euthus*).

The opening quotation in Mark 1:2-3 is a combination of Exodus 23:20, Malachi 3:1, and Isaiah 40:3.

Jesus is the _____, and he was born to preach _____.

What does Mark want us to know about Jesus?

- Jesus is the _____ of all the Old Testament hopes and promises (Mark 1:1-13).
 - The _____ (Messiah)
 - The _____ of John the Baptist
 - Jesus _____ with Sinners
 - Jesus _____ when Tested
 - Jesus as the True _____
- Jesus is the _____ (Mark 1:1, 1:11, 1:13).
 - John 5:18
 - Mark 1:1, 15:39
- Jesus worked (and works) in perfect harmony with the _____ and with the _____ (Mark 1:8-12).
- Jesus was a man on a _____ (Mark 1:14-15).
 - Mark 1:38, 8:31-33, 10:45
 - Mark 1:10, 15:38
- Jesus offers good news for those who will _____ and _____ (Mark 1:15).