



## Mark: A Journey with Jesus | | Jesus Feeds the Four Thousand Mark 8:1-13

There are many different beliefs that exist about who Jesus was. Some say he is a myth while others say he was a good man. What we believe about him, hold the potential to affect everything.

- *If someone asked you today who Jesus was, how would you answer them?*

**Read Mark 8:1-13 aloud as a group.**

- *What would you come away with about Jesus if this was the first and only story you had ever read about him?*
- *What is significant, or stands out, about Jesus feeding all of these people?*

Someone in the group look up the definition of ***incarnation*** and share the definition with the group.

- *Why is it important that we have an understanding of what incarnation means?*
- *How does the fact that Jesus was fully man and fully God at the same time, make him capable of being compassionate and empathetic towards us?*

Look up **John 1:1-4** and have someone them to the group

- *What do these verses show us about God?*

Jesus came to earth to teach us how to **be compassionate, kind and loving to others**. He wants us to follow Him with our whole being.

- *How does Jesus do this exactly? How does he help us grow into more compassionate, more kind, more wise, more selfless followers?*
  - *Can you share with the group any examples of when you've felt God has put you in a position to grow in this way?*
- *What will it consistently take from us to wholly follow Jesus as Lord?*

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