



## Week #1

### Video

#### 1. The Art of Biography

- You have been assigned to write a biography of someone famous. Who?
- How are you going to do this?
- What if that person is no longer alive? How will you get the information?

#### 2. Who is Mark?

- Mark 14:51-52
- Acts 12:25
- Colossians 4:10
- Acts 13:4
- Acts 13:13
- Acts 15:36-41
- 2 Timothy 4:11
- 1 Peter 5:13

The earliest statement concerning the Gospel of Mark is that of Papias, Bishop of Hierapolis, who wrote a book now lost, *Exegesis of the Lord's Oracles* (ca. A.D. 140), but known to us through quotations made by Eusebius. At one point he cited the testimony of an elder, who was evidently an older contemporary:

And the Elder said this also: "Mark, having become the interpreter of Peter, wrote down accurately whatever he remembered of the things said and done by the Lord, but not however in order." For neither did he hear the Lord, nor did he follow him, but afterwards, as I said, Peter, who adapted his teachings to the needs of his hearers, but not as though he were drawing up a connected account of the Lord's oracles. So then Mark made no mistake in thus recording some things just as he remembered them. For he took forethought for one thing, not to omit any of the things that he had heard nor to state any of them falsely.<sup>11</sup>

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### 3. Who's Reading this Gospel?

#### Clues:

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### 4. Themes



**5. Lectionary – Church Year B (2017-2018)**

**6. Outline of Mark (see back of poster)**

**7. Key Points (see “Quiz” pages & Key on next pages)**

**8. As time allows...**

Can you spot themes from Matthew that also appear here in Mark? (use poster)

**9. As you go...**

In what situations in your life might you need the comfort of knowing that Jesus faced persecution and suffering for us—so that He understands our struggles?



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