

Don't you get it?

"The Servant King" - #23 Noah Largent 6/23/12



The story of the King... who came to serve.

Key Verse: He said, "Do you still not get it?" -Mark 8:21

More _____ : Mark 8:1-9

Mark 8:1 In those days there was again a large crowd, and they had nothing to eat. ⁶ Taking the seven loaves, He gave thanks, broke the loaves, and kept on giving them to His disciples to set before the people. So they served the loaves to the crowd. ⁷ They also had a few small fish, and when He had blessed them, He said these were to be served as well. ⁸ They ate and were filled. Then they collected seven large baskets of leftover pieces. ⁹ About 4,000 men were there.

More _____ : Mark 8:10-13

¹¹ The Pharisees came out and began to argue with Him, demanding of Him a sign from heaven to test Him. ¹² But sighing deeply in His spirit, He said, "Why does this generation demand a sign?"

More _____ the Point: Mark 8:14-21

¹⁵ "Watch out! Beware of the yeast of the Pharisees and the yeast of Herod." ¹⁶ They were discussing among themselves that they did not have any bread. ¹⁷ Aware of this, He said to them, "Why are you discussing that you do not have any bread? Don't you understand or comprehend?" ²¹ And He said to them, "Do you still not get it?" (*The Message vs.21*)

Haven't we heard this story before? Yes you have!

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| Ch. 6:31-44 | Feeding of the Multitude | Ch. 8:1-9 |
| Ch. 6:45-56 | Crossing of Sea | Ch. 8:10 |
| Ch. 7:1-23 | Conflict with the Pharisees | Ch. 8:11-13 |
| Ch. 7:24-30 | Feeding of the Multitude | Ch. 8:14-21 |
| Ch. 7:31-36 | Healing | Ch. 8:22-26 |
| Ch. 7:37 | Confession of Faith | Ch. 8:27-30 |

The Big Picture: Mark Chapter 1-8

Jesus: I'm the _____ you've been waiting for! (healing 10X, walked on water, calmed the storm, feed 5K & 4K.)

The People: They're "_____" (6X) but not moved to faith.

I'm Learning that:

1. Only Jesus can _____ our deep hunger.

What do you believe will satisfy your longing for peace, happiness and significance?

2. Jesus challenges us to see life from His _____.

Who and what experiences have had the most impact on shaping the way you answer life's big questions?

3. Jesus warns us that unbelief is like _____.

Do you have any corrupting beliefs ("leaven") in your life that keep you from experiencing all that life was meant to be?

4. Jesus is _____ but not finished.

Has frustration with others made you pessimistic and robbed you of your compassion for others?

In the Old Testament "Leaven" was used to make bread rise. It was a homemade rising agent but was dangerous because it could easily be tainted and ruin the bread. Because it worked itself through the whole dough it, a small amount could corrupt and ruin the the whole loaf and would often infect the next batch. "Leaven" came to symbolized corruption and the infectious power of evil. -*The NIV Application Commentary* by Garland pg.310 & *The Live Application Bible Commentary* pg.226

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