MARK 8:1 - 9:1



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Small Group Discussion Questions (Mark 8:1-9:1) April 7, 2016

Allow each person in your group to answer one of the following questions:

- What did you learn this week?
- What are you going to do about it?
- *▶* Who are you going to tell?
- 1. Review chapter 8. How did you title the chapter? What were the contents, key verse(s) and interpretative challenges? (Let each person share his chapter title, content, and key verse(s). Then, choose one interpretive challenge from the group to discuss.)
- 2. During our first week together, we asked the questions: Why did you sign up for Summit? What do you hope to get out of our time together? Review how you answered these questions. Did your expectations for Summit match your experience? Explain.
- 3. In Mark 8:29, Jesus asks Peter: "But who do you say that I am?" If Jesus asked you this question today, how would you respond? How has your view of Jesus changed through the course of your life? To what would you attribute this change?
- 4. What do you think it means to deny yourself, take up your cross, and follow Jesus (verse 34)? In what area of your life do you find it most challenging to follow Jesus? Explain.
- 5. What does Jesus warn us of in verses 35-38? Practically speaking, what might you need to do differently in light of these warnings?
- 6. Pick one or two key lessons from our study of Mark 1-8. What have you learned about God as a result of our study? What have you learned about yourself?