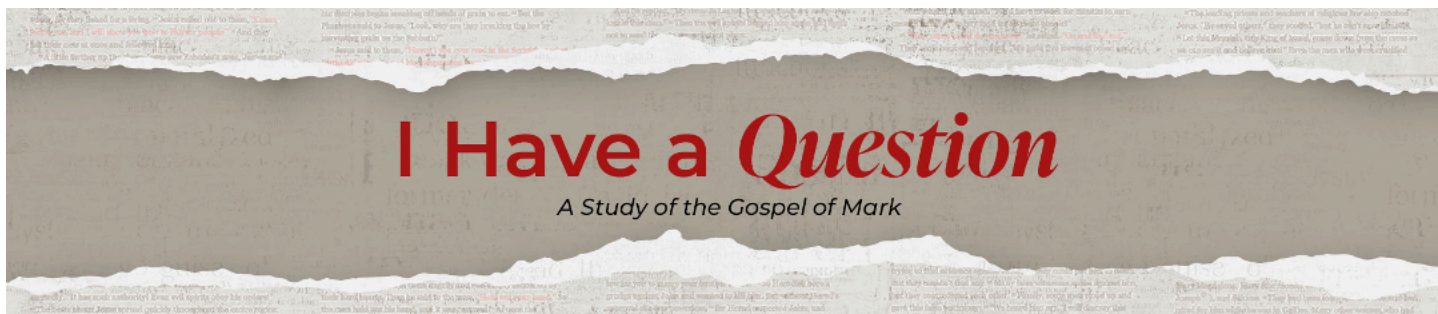




SMALL GROUP QUESTIONS

Part 1 - Who's This Guy?

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Icebreaker: What was your initial response to the story of Daryl Davis and his question to members of the KKK? What can we learn from his approach?



- 1) Reflect on a time when a question from a friend or family member led to a meaningful conversation. How can asking good questions enhance our relationships with others and with God?
- 2) How have questions played a role in your spiritual journey? Why do you think God uses questions to engage with us, as seen throughout the Bible? How do these questions foster a deeper relationship with Him?
- 3) Consider the following Old Testament Questions from God. Choose any 3 to discuss:

Where are you? ... What have you done? (Genesis 3:8-13)

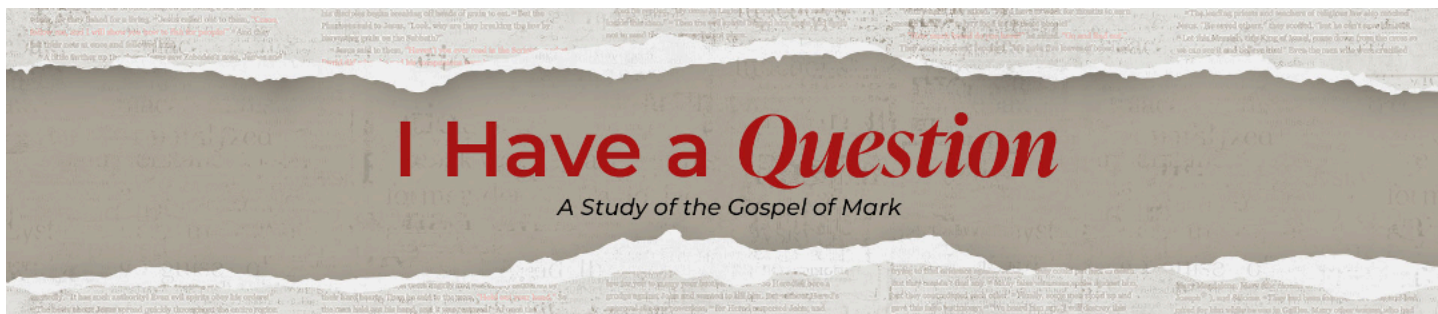
Why do you think God asked Adam and Eve this question? Reflect on your own life: Where are you in your relationship with God? Are you hiding from Him in any way?

Is anything too hard for the Lord? (Genesis 18:13-14)

What promises of God seem too incredible to believe in your life? How does questioning God's promises reflect on your faith? Refer to Hebrews 11:11 for Sarah's eventual faith.

What is your name? (Genesis 32:22-32)

Discuss the significance of Jacob's name change to Israel. How does understanding our identity in Christ transform our lives? Refer to Revelation 2:17 about receiving a new name.



What is that in your hand? (Exodus 4:1-9)

How can recognizing and using what God has already given us help overcome feelings of inadequacy? Reflect on 1 Corinthians 12:7, which talks about the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good.

Should I not have concern for the great city of Nineveh? (John 4:5-11)

Discuss God's compassion for people, even those we may consider enemies. How can we emulate this compassion in our communities? Refer to Matthew 5:44 about loving your enemies.

Who is this that obscures my plans with words without knowledge? (Job 38:2-3)

Reflect on times when you have questioned God's plans. How can understanding God's sovereignty and wisdom help you trust Him more? Consider Romans 11:33-34 and the depth of God's wisdom.

4) What do Jesus' first two questions in the Gospel of Mark (2:8-9) reveal about him and his ministry? And finally, how do you suppose this scene sets the stage for the rest of the gospel?