

MARK: THE SERVANT KING AUTHORITY WITH COMPASSION

Mark 1:21-45

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BIG IDEA: Jesus' authority defeats darkness and restores lives.

AUTHORITY THAT CONFRONTS SPIRITUAL EVIL (vv. 21-28)

Jesus' authority exposes spiritual realities we often ignore.

Truth spoken with authority always confronts darkness.

AUTHORITY THAT HEALS WITH COMPASSION (vv. 29-34)

Jesus' power is personal.

True healing leads to grateful service.

AUTHORITY SUSTAINED THROUGH PRAYER (vv. 35-39)

Intimacy with the Father sustains effective ministry.

God's calling matters more than public demand.

AUTHORITY THAT CLEANSES THE UNCLEAN (vv. 40-45)

Jesus' compassion reaches those society rejects.

Disobedience, even when well-intended, can hinder God's work.