

## Deeper Life Notes

Jesus Rules: "Teaching with Authority" (Mark 1:14-39)

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**\*When Jesus \_\_\_\_\_,<sup>1</sup> lives are transformed!**

### 1. *Why* lives are changed when Jesus speaks:

→ Speaking authoritatively was Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_<sup>2</sup>

#### 5 truths about the Gospel Jesus proclaimed

- God's Gospel: v.14
- God's promised/prophetic Gospel: v.2
- The Gospel of Jesus Christ: v.1
- A realized Gospel: v.15 "The time is fulfilled"
- Gospel of repentance and faith: v.15

### Question: *Why* did Jesus come into the world?

(Luke 19:10; John 10:10; Mark 10:45; John 18:37; Romans 15:8-9)

**v.15 -**

**v.38 -**

- ***Prioritize \_\_\_\_\_<sup>3</sup> to yourself!***
- ***Preach to your family!***
- ***Receive the Word in community!***

### 2. *How* lives are changed when Jesus speaks:

a) Ordinary people \_\_\_\_\_<sup>4</sup> (vv.16-20)

b) Troubled people are \_\_\_\_\_<sup>5</sup> (vv.21-34)

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<sup>1</sup> speaks

<sup>2</sup> priority

<sup>3</sup> preaching

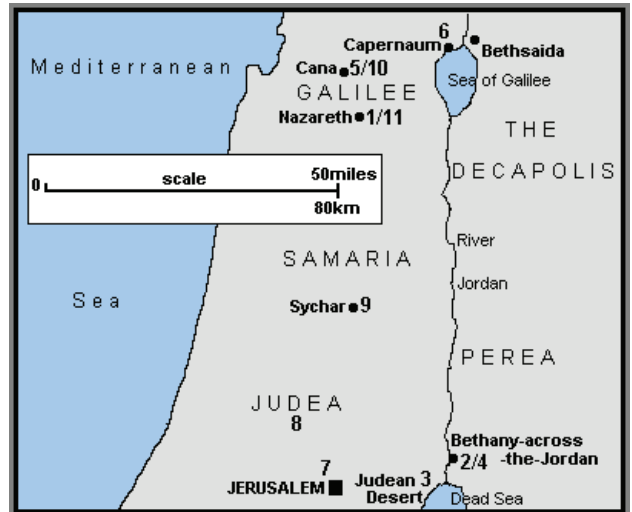
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## TRAVELS and ACTS OF JESUS

### YEAR ONE - c AD 27-28

- [1] Jesus, now about 30 years old (Lk 3:23) travels from his hometown of Nazareth in Galilee
- [2] At the Jordan, possibly near Bethany-across-the-Jordan, he is baptized by John the Baptist (Mk 1:9)
- [3] He goes in to the Judean Desert or wilderness to face the devil's temptation (Mk 1:12)
- [4] At the River Jordan near Bethany-across-the-Jordan, (Jn 1:28), and according to John's Gospel, Jesus calls his first five disciples (Jn 1:35): Philip, Andrew, & Simon Peter all from Bethsaida in Galilee (Jn 1:44)
- [5] Jesus returns north to Galilee with his disciples, and at a wedding in Cana, changes the water into wine - his first recorded miracle (Jn 1:34, 2:1)
- [6] He continues on to Capernaum, on the northern shore of the Sea of Galilee with his mother, brothers and disciples, and stays there a short time (Jn 2:12)



### EARLY MINISTRY IN JUDEA, SAMARIA AND GALILEE

- [7] He travels south to Jerusalem for the Passover - the first one mentioned in the Gospels (Jn 2:13). There he drives the money-changers from the Temple for the first time (Jn 2:14). He also meets the Pharisee, Nicodemus (Jn 3:1)
- [8] Jesus leaves for the countryside of Judea where his disciples baptize believers (Jn 3:22)
- [9] Jesus and his disciples continue northwards from Judea (Jn 4:3), passing through the territory of Samaria (Jn 4:4). Near Sychar, Jesus meets the Samaritan woman at the well (Jn 4:5). Many Samaritans believe in him (Jn 4:39), he continues on to Galilee (Jn 4:43)
- [10] He reaches Galilee (Mk 1:14; Lk 4:14; Jn 4:45), and back in Cana heals the official's son who lays sick in Capernaum (Jn 4:46)
- [11] Jesus returns to his hometown of Nazareth, and preaches in the synagogue (Lk 4:16). He is rejected for the first time (Lk 4:28)

### TRAVELS and ACTS OF JESUS, YEAR TWO - c AD 28-29

- [1] Jesus moves to Capernaum (Mt 4:13; Mk 1:21; Lk 4:31). According to the Synoptic Gospels, Jesus call his first disciples - perhaps only now to full-time service (Mt 4:18; Mk 1:16; Lk 5:1). In Capernaum he heals the madman in the synagogue (Mk 1:23; Lk 4:33) and Peter's mother-in-law of her fever (Mt 8:14; Mk 1:29; Lk 4:38)

#### FIRST PREACHING TOUR OF GALILEE

- [2] Jesus travels throughout Galilee, preaching and healing (Mt 4:23; Mk 1:39), including the leper (Mt 8:2; Mk 1:40; Lk 5:12).
- [3] Returning to Capernaum (Mk 2:1) a paralyzed man is healed (Mt 9:2; Mk 2:3; Lk 5:18) and Jesus calls Matthew (or Levi) the tax-collector to be a disciple (Mt 9:9; Mk 2:14; Lk 5:27)

#### -- 15 Reasons Jesus Came:

1. **to save sinners** (1 Timothy 1:15)
2. **to call sinners to repentance** (Mark 2:17)
3. **to seek and save the lost** (Luke 19:10)
4. **to give Himself a ransom** (Matthew 20:28)
5. **to be a King and bear witness to the truth** (John 18:37)
6. **to do the Will of His Father** (John 6:38)
7. **to be a Light in the world** (John 12:46)
8. **that men might have the abundant life** (John 10:10)
9. **to judge the world** (John 9:39)
10. **to proclaim the Kingdom of God** (Mark 1:38)
11. **to die on the cross** (John 12:27)
12. **to fulfill the law** (Matthew 5:17)
13. **to be a Divider of people** (Matthew 10:34,35)
14. **as a demonstration of God's Love** (1 John 4:10)
15. **because the Father sent Him** (John 20:21, John 3:16-18, Acts 3:26, Galatians 4:4-5, Romans 8:3,4)

<sup>6</sup> [www.ccel.org/bible/phillips/CN160-TRAVELS.htm](http://www.ccel.org/bible/phillips/CN160-TRAVELS.htm)

<sup>7</sup> [http://www.ecclesia.org/truth/why\\_jesus.html](http://www.ecclesia.org/truth/why_jesus.html)