

# The Good News According to Mark



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2As|strong="G2531" it|strong="G3708" is|strong="G3739" written|strong="G1125" in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" prophets|strong="G4396",

“ Behold|strong="G2400”,<sup>1</sup> I|strong="G1473" send|strong="G0649" my|strong="G3708" messenger|strong="G0032" before|strong="G4253" your|strong="G3708" face|strong="G4383”,

who|strong="G3739" will|strong="G3739" prepare|strong="G2680" your|strong="G3708" way|strong="G3598" before|strong="G4253" you|strong="G4771”:<sup>2</sup>

3the|strong="G3588" voice|strong="G5456" of|strong="G2962" one|strong="G3588" crying|strong="G0994" in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" wilderness|strong="G2048”,

‘ Make|strong="G4160" ready|strong="G2090" the|strong="G3588" way|strong="G3598" of|strong="G2962" the|strong="G3588" Lord|strong="G2962”!

M ake|strong="G4160" his|strong="G0846" paths|strong="G5147" straight|strong="G2117”!”<sup>3</sup>

4John|strong="G2491" came|strong="G1096" baptising<sup>4</sup> in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588" wilderness|strong="G2048" and|strong="G2532" preaching|strong="G2784" the|strong="G3588" baptism|strong="G0908" of|strong="G1722" repentance|strong="G3341" for|strong="G1519" forgiveness|strong="G0859" of|strong="G1722" sins|strong="G0266”.<sup>5</sup> All|strong="G3956" the|strong="G3956”

<sup>1</sup> + 1:2 “Behold”, from “ $\text{ὀράω}$ ”, means look at, take notice, observe, see, or gaze at. It is often used as an interjection.

<sup>2</sup> + 1:2 Malachi 3:1

<sup>3</sup> + 1:3 Isaiah 40:3

<sup>4</sup> + 1:4 or, immersing

country|strong = "G5561" of|strong = "G3956" Judea|strong = "G2449"  
 and|strong = "G2532" all|strong = "G3956" those|strong = "G3588"  
 of|strong = "G3956" Jerusalem|strong = "G2415" went|strong = "G1607"  
 out|strong = "G1607" to|strong = "G4314" him|strong = "G0846".  
 They|strong = "G0846" were|strong = "G3956" baptised by|strong = "G1722"  
 him|strong = "G0846" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3956"  
 Jordan|strong = "G2446" river|strong = "G4215", confessing|strong = "G1843"  
 their|strong = "G0846" sins|strong = "G0266". <sup>6</sup> John|strong = "G2491"  
 was|strong = "G1510" clothed with|strong = "G2532"  
 camel's|strong = "G2574" hair|strong = "G2359" and|strong = "G2532"  
 a|strong = "G1510" leather|strong = "G1193" belt|strong = "G2223"  
 around|strong = "G4012" his|strong = "G0846" waist|strong = "G3751".  
 He|strong = "G2532" ate|strong = "G2068" locusts|strong = "G0200"  
 and|strong = "G2532" wild|strong = "G0066" honey|strong = "G3192". <sup>7</sup>  
 He|strong = "G2532" preached|strong = "G2784", saying|strong = "G3004",  
 "After|strong = "G3694" me|strong = "G3004" comes|strong = "G2064"  
 he|strong = "G2532" who|strong = "G3739" is|strong = "G1510"  
 mightier|strong = "G2478" than|strong = "G2532" I|strong = "G1473",  
 the|strong = "G3588" thong|strong = "G2438" of|strong = "G3004"  
 whose|strong = "G3739" sandals|strong = "G5266" I|strong = "G1473"  
 am|strong = "G1510" not|strong = "G3756" worthy|strong = "G2425"  
 to|strong = "G3004" stoop|strong = "G2955" down|strong = "G2955"  
 and|strong = "G2532" loosen. <sup>8</sup> I|strong = "G1473" baptised  
 you|strong = "G5210" in|strong = "G1722"<sup>5</sup> water|strong = "G5204",  
 but|strong = "G1161" he|strong = "G0846" will|strong = "G0846" baptise  
 you|strong = "G5210" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G1722"  
 Holy|strong = "G0040" Spirit|strong = "G4151"."

9 In|strong = "G1722" those|strong = "G3588" days|strong = "G2250",  
 Jesus|strong = "G2424" came|strong = "G2064" from|strong = "G0575"  
 Nazareth|strong = "G3478" of|strong = "G2250" Galilee|strong = "G1056",  
 and|strong = "G2532" was|strong = "G2424" baptised by|strong = "G1722"  
 John|strong = "G2491" in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"  
 Jordan|strong = "G2446". <sup>10</sup> Immediately|strong = "G2117"  
 coming|strong = "G2597" up|strong = "G0305" from|strong = "G1537"  
 the|strong = "G3588" water|strong = "G5204", he|strong = "G2532"  
 saw|strong = "G3708" the|strong = "G3588" heavens|strong = "G3772"  
 parting and|strong = "G2532" the|strong = "G3588" Spirit|strong = "G4151"  
 descending|strong = "G2597" on|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G0846"  
 like|strong = "G5613" a|strong = "G5613" dove|strong = "G4058". <sup>11</sup>  
 A|strong = "G1096" voice|strong = "G5456" came|strong = "G1096"  
 out|strong = "G1537" of|strong = "G5207" the|strong = "G3588"  
 sky|strong = "G3772", "You|strong = "G4771" are|strong = "G1510"

<sup>5</sup> + 1:8 The Greek word (en) translated here as "in" could also be translated as "with" in some contexts.

my|strong="G1722" beloved|strong="G0027" Son|strong="G5207",  
in|strong="G1722" whom|strong="G3588" I|strong="G1473"  
am|strong="G1510" well|strong="G2532" pleased|strong="G2106".

12Immediately|strong="G2117" the|strong="G3588"  
Spirit|strong="G4151" drove|strong="G1544" him|strong="G0846"  
out|strong="G1544" into|strong="G1519" the|strong="G3588"  
wilderness|strong="G2048". <sup>13</sup> He|strong="G2532" was|strong="G1510"  
there|strong="G1510" in|strong="G1722" the|strong="G3588"  
wilderness|strong="G2048" forty|strong="G5062" days|strong="G2250",  
tempted|strong="G3985" by|strong="G1722" Satan|strong="G4567".  
He|strong="G2532" was|strong="G1510" with|strong="G3326"  
the|strong="G3588" wild|strong="G2342" animals; and|strong="G2532"  
the|strong="G3588" angels|strong="G0032" were|strong="G1510"  
serving|strong="G1247" him|strong="G0846".

14Now|strong="G1161" after|strong="G3326" John|strong="G2491"  
was|strong="G2424" taken|strong="G3860" into|strong="G1519"  
custody|strong="G3860", Jesus|strong="G2424" came|strong="G2064"  
into|strong="G1519" Galilee|strong="G1056", preaching|strong="G2784"  
the|strong="G3588" Good|strong="G2098" News|strong="G2098"  
of|strong="G2316" God's|strong="G2316" Kingdom, <sup>15</sup>  
and|strong="G2532" saying|strong="G3004", "w The|strong="G3588" w\*  
w time|strong="G2540" w\* w is|strong="G2316" w\* w  
fulfilled|strong="G4137" w\*, w and|strong="G2532" w\* w  
God's|strong="G2316" w\* w Kingdom|strong="G0932" w\* w  
is|strong="G2316" w\* w at|strong="G1722" w\* w  
hand|strong="G1448" w\*! w Repent|strong="G3340" w\*, w  
and|strong="G2532" w\* w believe|strong="G4100" w\* w  
in|strong="G1722" w\* w the|strong="G3588" w\* w  
Good|strong="G2098" w\* w News|strong="G2098" w\*."

16Passing|strong="G3855" along|strong="G2532" by|strong="G1722"  
the|strong="G3588" sea|strong="G2281" of|strong="G1722"  
Galilee|strong="G1056", he|strong="G2532" saw|strong="G3708"  
Simon|strong="G4613" and|strong="G2532" Andrew|strong="G0406",  
the|strong="G3588" brother|strong="G0080" of|strong="G1722"  
Simon|strong="G4613", casting|strong="G0906" a|strong="G1510" net  
into|strong="G0906" the|strong="G3588" sea|strong="G2281",  
for|strong="G1063" they|strong="G2532" were|strong="G1510"  
fishermen|strong="G0231". <sup>17</sup> Jesus|strong="G2424"  
said|strong="G3004" to|strong="G3004" them|strong="G0846", "w  
Come|strong="G1096" w\* w after|strong="G3694" w\* w  
me|strong="G3004" w\*, w and|strong="G2532" w\* w I|strong="G1473" w\*  
w will|strong="G0444" w\* w make|strong="G4160" w\* w

you|strong = "G5210" w\* w into|strong = "G1096" w\* w  
 fishers|strong = "G0231" w\* w for|strong = "G2532" w\* w  
 men|strong = "G0444" w\* ."

18Immediately|strong = "G2117" they|strong = "G0846"  
 left|strong = "G0863" their|strong = "G0846" nets|strong = "G1350",  
 and|strong = "G2532" followed|strong = "G0190" him|strong = "G0846".

19Going|strong = "G4260" on|strong = "G1722" a|strong = "G3708"  
 little|strong = "G3641" further from|strong = "G1722"  
 there|strong = "G1722", he|strong = "G2532" saw|strong = "G3708"  
 James|strong = "G2385" the|strong = "G3588" son of|strong = "G1722"  
 Zebedee|strong = "G2199", and|strong = "G2532" John|strong = "G2491"  
 his|strong = "G0846" brother|strong = "G0080", who|strong = "G3588"  
 were|strong = "G3588" also|strong = "G2532" in|strong = "G1722"  
 the|strong = "G3588" boat|strong = "G4143" mending|strong = "G2675"  
 the|strong = "G3588" nets|strong = "G1350". <sup>20</sup>  
 Immediately|strong = "G2117" he|strong = "G2532" called|strong = "G2564"  
 them|strong = "G0846", and|strong = "G2532" they|strong = "G0846"  
 left|strong = "G0863" their|strong = "G0846" father|strong = "G3962",  
 Zebedee|strong = "G2199", in|strong = "G1722" the|strong = "G3588"  
 boat|strong = "G4143" with|strong = "G3326" the|strong = "G3588"  
 hired|strong = "G3411" servants|strong = "G3411", and|strong = "G2532"  
 went|strong = "G0565" after|strong = "G3326" him|strong = "G0846".

21They|strong = "G2532" went|strong = "G1531" into|strong = "G1519"  
 Capernaum|strong = "G2584", and|strong = "G2532"  
 immediately|strong = "G2117" on|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G3588"  
 Sabbath|strong = "G4521" day|strong = "G4521" he|strong = "G2532"  
 entered|strong = "G1531" into|strong = "G1519" the|strong = "G3588"  
 synagogue|strong = "G4864" and|strong = "G2532" taught|strong = "G1321".  
<sup>22</sup> They|strong = "G0846" were|strong = "G1510"  
 astonished|strong = "G1605" at|strong = "G1909" his|strong = "G0846"  
 teaching|strong = "G1321", for|strong = "G1063" he|strong = "G2532"  
 taught|strong = "G1321" them|strong = "G0846" as|strong = "G5613"  
 having|strong = "G2192" authority|strong = "G1849", and|strong = "G2532"  
 not|strong = "G3756" as|strong = "G5613" the|strong = "G3588"  
 scribes|strong = "G1122". <sup>23</sup> Immediately|strong = "G2117"  
 there|strong = "G1510" was|strong = "G1510" in|strong = "G1722"  
 their|strong = "G0846" synagogue|strong = "G4864" a|strong = "G1510"  
 man|strong = "G0444" with|strong = "G1722" an|strong = "G1510"  
 unclean|strong = "G0169" spirit|strong = "G4151", and|strong = "G2532"  
 he|strong = "G2532" cried|strong = "G0349" out|strong = "G0349", <sup>24</sup>  
 saying|strong = "G3004", "Ha! What|strong = "G5101" do|strong = "G1492"  
 we|strong = "G2249" have|strong = "G1510" to|strong = "G3004"



do|strong="G1492" with|strong="G2316" you|strong="G4771",  
 Jesus|strong="G2424", you|strong="G4771" Nazarene|strong="G3479"?  
 Have|strong="G1510" you|strong="G4771" come|strong="G2064"  
 to|strong="G3004" destroy|strong="G0622" us|strong="G3004"?  
 I|strong="G1473" know|strong="G1492" who|strong="G3588"  
 you|strong="G4771" are|strong="G1510": the|strong="G3588"  
 Holy|strong="G0040" One|strong="G3588" of|strong="G2316"  
 God|strong="G2316"!"

25Jesus|strong="G2424" rebuked|strong="G2008"  
 him|strong="G0846", saying|strong="G3004", "w Be|strong="G2532" w\*  
 w quiet|strong="G5392" w\*, w and|strong="G2532" w\* w  
 come|strong="G1831" w\* w out|strong="G1831" w\* w  
 of|strong="G1537" w\* w him|strong="G0846" w\*!"

26The|strong="G3588" unclean|strong="G0169" spirit|strong="G4151",  
 convulsing him|strong="G0846" and|strong="G2532"  
 crying|strong="G5455" with|strong="G1537" a|strong="G2532"  
 loud|strong="G3173" voice|strong="G5456", came|strong="G1831"  
 out|strong="G1831" of|strong="G1537" him|strong="G0846". <sup>27</sup>  
 They|strong="G0846" were|strong="G1510" all|strong="G0537"  
 amazed|strong="G2284", so|strong="G2532" that|strong="G3004"  
 they|strong="G0846" questioned amongst themselves|strong="G1438",  
 saying|strong="G3004", "What|strong="G5101" is|strong="G1510"  
 this|strong="G3778"? A|strong="G1510" new|strong="G2537"  
 teaching|strong="G1322"? For|strong="G4314" with|strong="G4314"  
 authority|strong="G1849" he|strong="G2532" commands|strong="G2004"  
 even|strong="G2532" the|strong="G3588" unclean|strong="G0169"  
 spirits|strong="G4151", and|strong="G2532" they|strong="G0846"  
 obey|strong="G5219" him|strong="G0846"!" <sup>28</sup> The|strong="G3588"  
 report|strong="G0189" of|strong="G1519" him|strong="G0846"  
 went|strong="G1831" out|strong="G1831" immediately|strong="G2117"  
 everywhere|strong="G3837" into|strong="G1519" all|strong="G3650"  
 the|strong="G3588" region|strong="G4066" of|strong="G1519"  
 Galilee|strong="G1056" and|strong="G2532" its|strong="G0846"  
 surrounding|strong="G4066" area.

29Immediately|strong="G2117", when|strong="G2532"  
 they|strong="G2532" had|strong="G2064" come|strong="G2064"  
 out|strong="G1831" of|strong="G1537" the|strong="G3588"  
 synagogue|strong="G4864", they|strong="G2532" came|strong="G2064"  
 into|strong="G1519" the|strong="G3588" house|strong="G3614"  
 of|strong="G1537" Simon|strong="G4613" and|strong="G2532"  
 Andrew|strong="G0406", with|strong="G3326" James|strong="G2385"  
 and|strong="G2532" John|strong="G2491". <sup>30</sup> Now|strong="G1161"

Simon's wife's mother lay sick with a fever, and they immediately told him about her. <sup>31</sup> He came and took her hand, raised her up. The fever immediately, <sup>6</sup> and she served them.

At evening, when the sun had set, they brought to him all who were sick and those who were possessed by demons. <sup>33</sup> All the city was gathered together at the door. <sup>34</sup> He healed many who were sick with various diseases and cast out many demons. He didn't allow the demons to speak, because they knew him.

Early in the morning, while it was still dark, he rose up and went out, and departed into a place, and prayed there. <sup>36</sup> Simon and those who were with him searched for

<sup>6</sup> + 1:31 NU omits "immediately".

him|strong="G0846". <sup>37</sup> They|strong="G0846" found|strong="G2147"  
 him|strong="G0846" and|strong="G2532" told|strong="G3004"  
 him|strong="G0846", "Everyone|strong="G3956" is|strong="G0846"  
 looking|strong="G2212" for|strong="G3754" you|strong="G4771"."

38He|strong="G2532" said|strong="G3004" to|strong="G1519"  
 them|strong="G0846", "Let's w go|strong="G1831" w\* w  
 elsewhere|strong="G0237" w\* w into|strong="G1519" w\* w  
 the|strong="G3588" w\* w next|strong="G2192" w\* w  
 towns|strong="G2969" w\*, w that|strong="G2443" w\* w  
 I|strong="G2532" w\* w may|strong="G2532" w\* w  
 preach|strong="G2784" w\* w there|strong="G1563" w\* w  
 also|strong="G2532" w\*, w because|strong="G1063" w\* w  
 I|strong="G2532" w\* w came|strong="G1831" w\* w  
 out|strong="G1831" w\* w for|strong="G1063" w\* w  
 this|strong="G3778" w\* w reason|strong="G0846" w\*." <sup>39</sup>  
 He|strong="G2532" went|strong="G2064" into|strong="G1519"  
 their|strong="G0846" synagogues|strong="G4864"  
 throughout|strong="G3650" all|strong="G3650" Galilee|strong="G1056",  
 preaching|strong="G2784" and|strong="G2532" casting  
 out|strong="G1544" demons|strong="G1140".

40A|strong="G1437" leper|strong="G3015" came|strong="G2064"  
 to|strong="G4314" him|strong="G0846", begging|strong="G3870"  
 him|strong="G0846", kneeling down|strong="G1120" to|strong="G4314"  
 him|strong="G0846", and|strong="G2532" saying|strong="G3004"  
 to|strong="G4314" him|strong="G0846", "If|strong="G1437"  
 you|strong="G1437" want|strong="G2309" to|strong="G4314",  
 you|strong="G1437" can|strong="G1410" make|strong="G2511"  
 me|strong="G3004" clean|strong="G2511"."

41Being moved|strong="G4697" with|strong="G2532"  
 compassion|strong="G4697", he|strong="G2532"  
 stretched|strong="G1614" out|strong="G1614" his|strong="G0846"  
 hand|strong="G5495", and|strong="G2532" touched|strong="G0681"  
 him|strong="G0846", and|strong="G2532" said|strong="G3004"  
 to|strong="G3004" him|strong="G0846", "w I|strong="G2532" w\* w  
 want|strong="G2309" w\* w to|strong="G3004" w\*. w  
 Be|strong="G2532" w\* w made|strong="G3004" w\* w  
 clean|strong="G2511" w\*." <sup>42</sup> When|strong="G2532" he|strong="G2532"  
 had|strong="G3588" said|strong="G2532" this|strong="G3588",  
 immediately|strong="G2117" the|strong="G3588"  
 leprosy|strong="G3014" departed|strong="G0565" from|strong="G0575"  
 him|strong="G0846" and|strong="G2532" he|strong="G2532"  
 was|strong="G3588" made clean|strong="G2511". <sup>43</sup>

He|strong = "G2532" strictly warned|strong = "G1690" him|strong = "G0846" and|strong = "G2532" immediately|strong = "G2117" sent|strong = "G1544" him|strong = "G0846" out|strong = "G1544", <sup>44</sup> and|strong = "G2532" said|strong = "G3004" to|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G0846", "w See|strong = "G3708" w\* w that|strong = "G3739" w\* w you|strong = "G4771" w\* w say|strong = "G3004" w\* w nothing|strong = "G3367" w\* w to|strong = "G1519" w\* anybody, w but|strong = "G0235" w\* w go|strong = "G5217" w\* w show|strong = "G1166" w\* w yourself|strong = "G4572" w\* w to|strong = "G1519" w\* w the|strong = "G3588" w\* w priest|strong = "G2409" w\* w and|strong = "G2532" w\* w offer|strong = "G4374" w\* w for|strong = "G1519" w\* w your|strong = "G3708" w\* w cleansing|strong = "G2512" w\* w the|strong = "G3588" w\* w things|strong = "G3739" w\* w which|strong = "G3739" w\* w Moses|strong = "G3475" w\* w commanded|strong = "G4367" w\*, w for|strong = "G1519" w\* w a|strong = "G3708" w\* w testimony|strong = "G3142" w\* w to|strong = "G1519" w\* w them|strong = "G0846" w\*."

45But|strong = "G1161" he|strong = "G2532" went|strong = "G1831" out|strong = "G1831", and|strong = "G2532" began|strong = "G0757" to|strong = "G1519" proclaim|strong = "G2784" it|strong = "G0846" much|strong = "G4183", and|strong = "G2532" to|strong = "G1519" spread|strong = "G1831" about|strong = "G1909" the|strong = "G3588" matter|strong = "G3056", so|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G5620" Jesus|strong = "G0846" could|strong = "G1410" no|strong = "G3371" more|strong = "G4183" openly|strong = "G5320" enter|strong = "G1525" into|strong = "G1519" a|strong = "G1510" city|strong = "G4172", but|strong = "G1161" was|strong = "G1510" outside|strong = "G1854" in|strong = "G1519" desert|strong = "G2048" places|strong = "G5117". People|strong = "G0846" came|strong = "G2064" to|strong = "G1519" him|strong = "G0846" from|strong = "G2064" everywhere|strong = "G3840".

2When|strong = "G2532" he|strong = "G2532" entered|strong = "G1525" again|strong = "G3825" into|strong = "G1519" Capernaum|strong = "G2584" after|strong = "G1223" some days|strong = "G2250", it|strong = "G1223" was|strong = "G1510" heard|strong = "G0191" that|strong = "G3754" he|strong = "G2532" was|strong = "G1510" at|strong = "G1722" home|strong = "G3624". <sup>2</sup> Immediately many|strong = "G4183" were|strong = "G3588" gathered|strong = "G4863" together|strong = "G4863", so|strong = "G2532" that|strong = "G5620" there|strong = "G4183" was|strong = "G3588" no|strong = "G3371" more|strong = "G4183" room|strong = "G5562", not|strong = "G3366" even|strong = "G2532" around|strong = "G4314" the|strong = "G3588" door|strong = "G2374"; and|strong = "G2532" he|strong = "G2532" spoke|strong = "G2980"