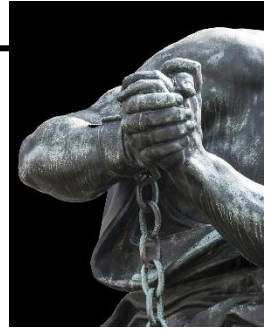


## A Powerful Testimony

~~MK 5:1-20, 3:27, MT 8:28-34, LK 8:26-39, ISA 49:24-26, 25:8-9~~



### INTRODUCTION:

“Fixes” that make it worse

☉ The Messiah offers miraculous \_\_\_\_\_  
from dominating sin and agonizing human effort.

1. Jesus and his disciples arrived \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ at the other side of the lake. (v1)
2. There, they encountered a man who was being destroyed by \_\_\_\_\_.  
(vv2-5)
3. The man ran \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus and fell at his feet. (vv6-7)
4. Jesus cast the unclean spirit(s) \_\_\_\_\_ of the man. (vv8-13)
  - a. The man begged to \_\_\_\_\_ with Jesus (10; LK 8:29)
  - b. The demon(s) begged to be \_\_\_\_\_ into a herd of pigs instead of the Abyss (11-12; LK 8:31)
  - c. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ the demons to destroy the pigs. (v13)
5. The \_\_\_\_\_ story spread throughout the region. (vv14-18)
  - a. The herdsman ran \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus in fear. (v14a)
  - b. The crowd \_\_\_\_\_ around Jesus in curiosity. (vv14b-16)
  - c. The people begged Jesus to \_\_\_\_\_ immediately. (v17)
  - d. The man begged Jesus to let him “ \_\_\_\_\_ Him”. (v18; 3:14)
6. Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ the man to stay and proclaim the gospel. (vv19-20)
  - a. \_\_\_\_\_ home and tell... (19)
  - b. He proclaimed \_\_\_\_\_ in the Decapolis. (20)
  - c. Everyone \_\_\_\_\_. (20)

### CONCLUSION:

1. There is no \_\_\_\_\_ that Jesus cannot defeat.
2. Jesus is the \_\_\_\_\_ that we all desperately need.
3. When Jesus rescues us, we are \_\_\_\_\_!
4. Liberating people is \_\_\_\_\_ the risk and resource.