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**Jesus Rejected At Home**

Mark 6:1-6

**Jesus Returns Home:**

1. The community acknowledged Jesus:

 A. Teaching

 B. Wisdom

 C. Mighty Works

2. Yet, they were offended and rejected His authority and claim

 over their lives.

3. The unbelief of the people kept them from seeking Him out

 for help.

**Belief Vs Faith:**

1. Belief acknowledges facts about Jesus.

 A. Belief is what we know.

 B. Belief alone doesn’t activate the power of Jesus in your life.

2. Faith aligns one’s life under the authority of Jesus.

 A. Faith in Jesus governs how we live.

 B. Faith in Jesus is the key ingredient to experiencing the

 Kingdom of God.

3. To be a Christian is to experience Spiritual life

 transformation.

**The Most Important Question:**

1. Are you familiar with Jesus or a follower of Jesus?

2. How would those closes to you describe your relationship to

 Jesus?

**Taking It Beyond The Walls:** Surrender your life to the Lordship of Jesus Christ. Go beyond belief to faith in Jesus Christ.

**Food For Thought**

1. Read Matthew 7:13-27: Jesus described the type of faith that makes us children of God.

Take a couple of minutes and read this entire passage to soak in what Jesus is trying to tell the crowd about faith.

* Circle/highlight any words or phrases that catch your attention.
* Underline the verse(s) you see as most important for you to remember.

2. We heard this weekend that as followers of Jesus we will experience life change when we put our faith in Jesus by denying our will and realigning it with God’s. Verses 15-20 tell us we’ll know our faith by our good fruit. As a follower of Jesus, what are some examples of how God has grown and/or changed you? (Galatians 5:19-23 & Romans 12:9- 21 give some examples of how the Spirit may have worked or is working in your life).

3. The Bible clearly teaches that one day we will have a divine appointment before the Almighty God. Matthew 7:21-23 are some of the strongest statements ever made by Jesus about the day we meet him. For that reason, spend some time wrestling with the claims of the crowd, and the response Jesus gives us that defines who gets into heaven and who doesn’t.

4. How do you handle opposition to your faith? Why might someone who is familiar with you disregard what you have to say about spiritual issues?