

Jesus Knows What He's Talking About

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Sermon Takehome

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1. What things amazed you as a kid? What things amaze now?
2. When was the last time you were truly astonished?
3. Read Luke 2:41-47. What specifically do you think was astonishing to those who heard his answers?
4. John 1:2 says that Jesus made everything that has been made. What are some of the secrets of the universe that Jesus knows? If you had one question to ask Him, what would it be? What are some of the things the Bible tells us of Jesus knowledge of us? What does he know about you that no one else does?
5. Remember a time when someone treated you badly, and then take the time to remember when someone treated you in a way that made you feel loved. Why are both these instances so memorable? How was it that the crowd picked up on the compassion of Jesus? How do you tell when someone truly cares about you?
6. What do you think were the biggest problems people had in the day of Jesus? How were they different from our problems? How were they the same?
7. Think of some times in Scripture where Jesus solved real problems. What was his motivation?
8. Read Phil 4:2-3. What was happening here? Why were these women not able to fix it? What is the difference between the image we often try to project and how we really are? Why do we think sometime that we have to know everything? Why is actually better that we understand that we don't?
9. What do you believe God thinks when he sees you? Do you think most people really understand God's love and care for them?
10. If you were to ask the people in your life that don't go to church why they do not, what would they say? How would you answer the person that doesn't see how Jesus is relevant to their life?
11. What is your current understanding of the teachings of Jesus? What is your reading practice? If you are not reading the Bible now, would you take a two week Mark challenge?
12. Why is application so important? Share a time when you have applied a teaching of

Jesus? What happened? Share a time you didn't and wish you had.

13. Share a time when you definitely found out that Jesus knows what he is talking about.