



When Good Becomes Wrong

“In Mark 3, Jesus told the demons not to tell anyone that He was the Son of God. And sometimes when he healed people he told them the same thing. This seems puzzling to me. It seems like He would always want us to tell people what we know or have experienced.”

Mark 3:1-12 (we will revisit this passage)

Mark 1:21-38

Mark 7:31-37

Mark 8:22-26

Mark 8:27-31

Luke 5:12-16

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Mark 1:21-38 (fame spread everywhere - let us go on to the next towns)

Mark 7:31-37 (deaf man - charged to tell no one)

Mark 8:22-26 (blind man - do not even enter the village)

Mark 8:27-31 (Peter - who do you say I am? - strictly charged to tell no one)

Luke 5:12-16 (leper - Jesus would withdraw to desolate places and pray)

Jesus and crowds

Two Dangers with Crowds:

Distraction and Death

Distraction:

Why were crowds following Jesus?

Christ's Purpose vs. Humanity's Perception

Death:

How could the crowd cause harm/death?

What can we learn from this?

Is it good to spread the gospel?

Is it good to help/heal the sick?

Is it good to share “what we know or have experienced” in
Christ with a large crowd?

What can we learn from this?

**Good becomes wrong when it goes against
God's plan.**

Other Examples in Scripture:

King Saul

1 Samuel 15:1-11

Other Examples in Scripture:

Moses

Exodus 17: 1-6

Numbers 20: 8-12

Other Examples in Scripture:

Paul

Romans 1:9-13

Final Thoughts

Job

Job 38:1-7

Job 40:1-9

One Last Example

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