

WHO IS THIS MAN?

## **FROM JOHN TO JESUS**

Mark 1:14-20      Jeff Schreve

*And after John had been taken into custody, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of God, and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel." Mark 1:14-15*

**What happens when Jesus begins His Galilean ministry?**

**1. Jesus preaches the gospel.**

A. The kingdom of God is near.

B. The call for repentance and faith is clear.

*I did not shrink from declaring to you anything that was profitable, and teaching you publicly and from house to house, solemnly testifying to both Jews and Greeks of repentance toward God and faith in our Lord Jesus Christ. Acts 20:20-21*

**2. Jesus calls His disciples.**

*And as He was going along by the Sea of Galilee, He saw Simon and Andrew, the brother of Simon, casting a net in the sea; for they were fishermen. And Jesus said to them, "Follow Me, and I will make you become fishers of men." And they immediately left the nets and followed Him. And going on a little farther, He saw James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother, who were also in the boat mending the nets. And immediately He called them; and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired servants, and went away to follow Him. Mark 1:16-20*

A. There needs to be a prompt response to the Lord's call.

B. There will be a costly response to the Lord's call.

*And He summoned the multitude with His disciples, and said to them, "If anyone wishes to come after Me, let him deny himself, and take up his cross, and follow Me. Mark 8:34*

C. There will be responsibility and reward.

**What have you done with His call?**