

Mark 5:1-20

Confronting Authority: Fear or Faith?

Who is this?

The confronting authority of Jesus

- over creation (4:39-41)
- over demons (5:1-13)

5:1-16 The Authority of Jesus

The demons are powerful

The people are scared of the man

The demons know who Jesus is and are scared of Him

Jesus is stronger than the demons

The demons are destructive

Jesus uses his authority for the good of the man

The man is transformed

Application

Who is Jesus? (v.7)

Why you need His confronting authority? (Col 2:13-15)

5:17-20 The Responses to Jesus

- Fear (5:17)
- Faith (5:18-20)
 - o That longs to follow Jesus
 - o That knows the mercy of God
 - o That proclaims to others about Jesus

Application

Are you saying no to Jesus because of fear?

Saying yes to Jesus means fear can become faith?