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“The Journeys of Jesus, Part 8”
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Jesus’ journeys through the Gospel of Mark **mirror** our journeys.

Chapters 9 and 10 remind us that our journeys are **not easy**.

In the difficulty of our journeys, these **truths** sustain us:

- Jesus **is Lord**.

Mark 9:11

And they asked him, “Why do the teachers of the law say that Elijah must come first?”

- Jesus **promises**.

Mark 9:30-31

*They left that place and passed through Galilee. Jesus did not want anyone to know where they were, because he was teaching his disciples. He said to them, “**The Son of Man is going to be delivered into the hands of men. They will kill him, and after three days he will rise.**” But they did not understand what he meant and were afraid to ask him about it.*

- Jesus **blesses**.

Mark 10:16

And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.

Deuteronomy 30:19

“I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Now choose life...”

- Jesus **heals**.

Mark 10:51-52

“What do you want me to do for you?” Jesus asked him.

The blind man said, “Rabbi, I want to see.”

*“Go,” said Jesus, “**your faith has healed you.**”*

Immediately he received his sight and followed Jesus along the road.

Open your **heart** and let Jesus **impact** your life today.

For next week, read Mark 11.