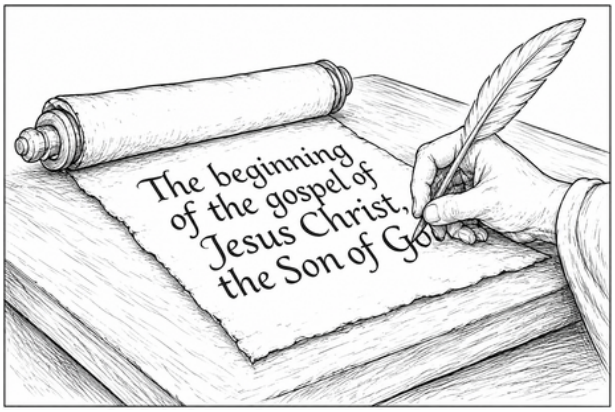
Gospel PORTIONS

Discover Jesus. One Portion at at Time.



Discovery Guide

Portion # 1
THE GOSPEL OF JESUS CHRIST
Mark 1:1, Luke 1:1-4

DISCOVER & APPLY

Read the passage.
Retell in your own words.
Discuss the passage:

- What stands out to you?
- What do we learn about:
  -God/Jesus?
  -People/Us?

Ask God and listen for the Holy Spirit to prompt you:

- How can I respond to what I learned today? (Create an "I will…" statement)
- With whom could I share what I've learned?"

REFLECTION QUESTIONS:

- What does the phrase "good news" mean to you personally?
- Which of the key concepts from this portion stood out to you the most, and why?
- How does knowing that the Gospel was based on eyewitness testimony and carefully investigated affect your confidence in Jesus?
- If you were explaining to a friend why you trust the Gospel, what would you say?
- Who is one person in your life who needs to hear the good news of Jesus, and how can you begin praying for or sharing with them this week?

KEY PASSAGES

- **Mark 1:1** "The beginning of the gospel of Jesus Christ, the Son of God."
- **Luke 1:4** ""so that you may know the exact truth about the things you have been taught."

KEY CONCEPTS

- The Gospel is good news
- Jesus is the center of the Gospel
- The Gospel is rooted in eyewitness testimony
- The Gospel was carefully investigated
- The Gospel gives us certainty

KEY WORDS

- **Gospel** — comes from the Greek word euangelion, which means "good news"or "a joyful announcement."
- **Christ** — from the Greek word Christos, meaning "Anointed One."
- **Son of God** — A title that reveals Jesus' unique relationship with the Father and affirms His divine nature. Jesus is fully God and fully man.
- **Eyewitness** — A person who personally saw an event happen.
- **Investigated —** To examine something carefully and thoroughly in order to determine the facts.