



## Gospel Community Study Questions

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Gospel of Mark | Destroying our temples

**Key Passages:** *Mark 13:1-27*

**Big Idea:** *We're called to build a gospel legacy that will last into eternity*

### Read and Recap

Read Mark 13:1-27 and briefly recap the narrative of Mark's Gospel so far.

### Discuss

Share what you understand about Herod's Temple in Jerusalem to get an understanding of why the disciple is so excited in v1-2 ([this article might help](#)). What does the disciple show in these verses about what the Jews of his day valued and how might this reflect our own hearts?

Herod's temple is destroyed by the Romans in 70AD just as Jesus predicts in v2 and v14-23. What does this tell you about the authority of Jesus and why we can have confidence in what he teaches in the rest of the passage about the End of the Age?

Share what you think about the "End of the Age" that Jesus talks about in v3-13. Do you see the different signs around us that Jesus talks of in this part of the passage? How should we respond personally and corporately as Christians to Jesus' teaching in the part of the passage?

Take some time to discuss verse 10. How should this influence how we live and what legacy we seek to build?

In verses 24 to 27 Jesus is teaching his disciples that he will return again at the End of the Age. How do you feel about Jesus second coming? Again, think about what the promise of his return means for how we live now.

### Close & Pray

Take some time to pray missional prayers in response to the passage. Ask for the Lord's help to take the gospel to those around us.

### Coming Up

Next week we'll be looking at Mark 13:28-37