

KING VS. "KING"

MARK 6:7-32

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- 7 And He summoned the Twelve and began to send them two by two, and He gave them authority over the unclean spirits,
- **8** and He instructed them that they should carry nothing on the way, except a staff only—no bread, no bag, no money in belt,
- 9 but to put on sandals, and not to wear two tunics.
- 10 And He said to them ... "
- 11 And whatever place does not receive you or hear you, as you go out from there, shake off the dust beneath your feet as a testimony against them."
- 12 And they went out and preached that they should repent.
- **13** And they were casting out many demons, and anointing with oil many sick people and healing [them].
- 14 And King Herod heard [this], for His name had become known, and they were saying, "John the Baptist has been raised from the dead and because of this, miraculous powers are operating in him."
- **15** But others were saying, "He is Elijah." And others were saying, "A prophet, like one of the prophets."
- **16** But when Herod heard, he was saying, "John, the one whom I myself beheaded—he has been raised."
- 17 For Herod himself had sent, seized John, and bound him in prison because of Herodias—the wife of Philip his brother—because he [Herod] had married her.
- **18** For John had been saying to Herod, "It is not lawful for you to have the wife of your brother."
- 19 So Herodias had a grudge against him and she wanted to kill him
- 21 And an opportune day came about on his birthday when Herod gave a banquet for his courtiers and generals and prominent men of Galilee.
- 22 And when the daughter of Herodias herself came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his dinner guests. The king said to the girl, "Ask me for whatever you want and I will give [it] to you."
- **23** And he swore to her, "Whatever you ask of me I will give to you, up to half of my kingdom."
- **24** And going out she said to her mother, "What shall I ask [for]?" And she [the mother] said, "The head of John the Baptist."
- **25** And immediately she [the daughter] came in to the king with haste, [and] asked, saying, "I want you to give me at once, upon a platter, the head of John the Baptist."
- 27 And immediately the king sent an executioner [and] commanded [him] to bring his head. And he [the executioner] went away and beheaded him [John] in the prison
- **28** and brought his head on a platter and gave it to the girl, and the girl gave it to her mother.

1. COMMISSION

2. OPPOSITION



- **30** And the apostles ["sent ones"] gathered together to Jesus and reported to Him all what they had done and what they had taught.
- **31** And He said to them, "Come away yourselves privately to a wilderness place and rest a little." For there were many who were coming and who were going, and [there was] not even an opportune moment to eat.
- **32** And they went away in the boat to a wilderness place privately.

3. PROVISION



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