

These questions are provided for your further study and application of the message. Thoughtfully writing out the answers to these questions will help to drive home the point. It is also helpful to discuss your answers with others.

Discussion Questions

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Mark 4:21-25

1. John said that Jesus is the light of the world (John 8:12). How is Jesus like the lamp in Mark 4:21?
2. In real estate, it is said that the most important rules are location, location, location. Context is king in Bible study. Re-read Mark 4:1-20. In what ways does the parable of the sower shed light on verses 21-25?
3. Read Mark 4:24. If the measure that you use to listen to God's word affects the measure to which you will be blessed by God's word, do you expect to receive great blessings or small blessings?
4. Mark 4:25 is an extended explanation on the parable of the sower. How does Mark 4:25 relate to the first three soils mentioned by Jesus?
5. It is ridiculous to think that a lamp should be covered when its purpose is to cast light. How does this relate to the purpose of the gospel and our responsibility to share the good news of Jesus?
6. Read Luke 11:33-36. In what ways can you be more engaged in evangelism when Christ's word dwells within you?
7. Family verse: Read and memorize Mark 4:22. Discuss why it is important that the gospel be made known to the world.