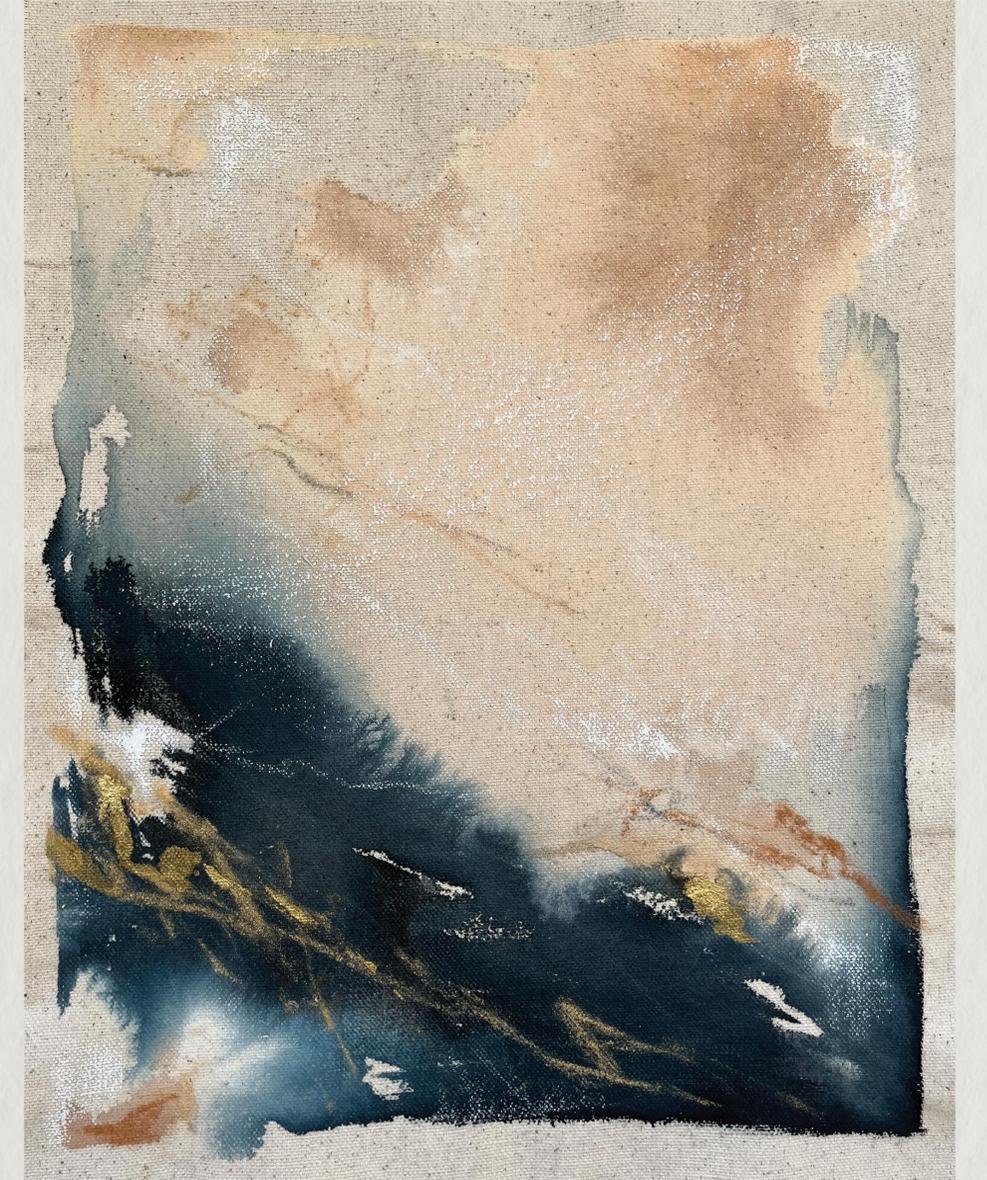
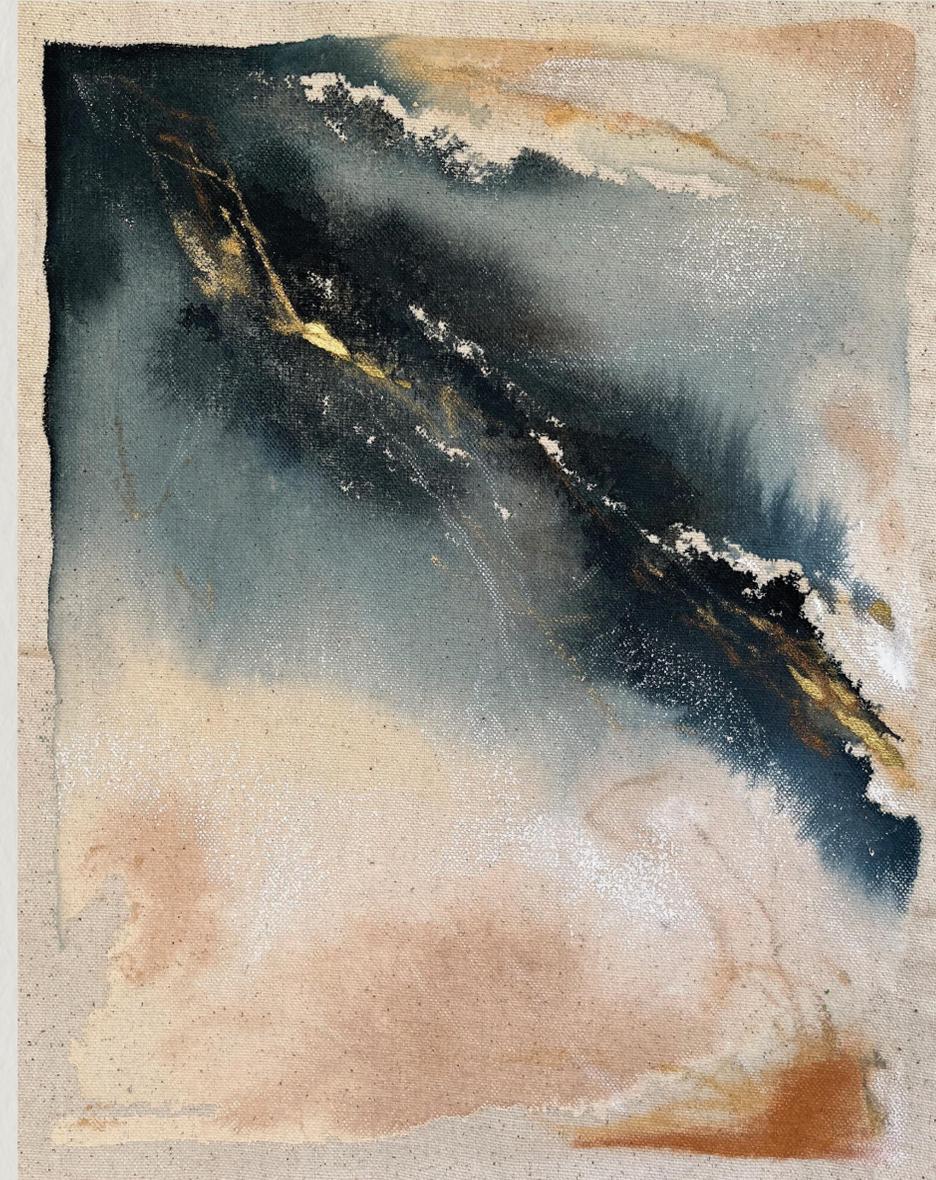


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INTRODUCTION

A STUDY OF
Mark



The beginning of **the gospel of Jesus Christ, the
Son of God.**

Mark 1:1 ^{ESV}



“Gospel”

The good news of **who** Jesus is and **what** He has done/does.



Who He Is

Fulfillment of Prophecy

Mark 1:2-3 ^{ESV}

As it is written in Isaiah the prophet,

“Behold, I send my messenger before your face,
who will prepare your way,

³ the voice of one crying in the wilderness:

‘Prepare the way of the Lord,
make his paths straight,’”



Who He Is

Fulfillment of Prophecy

Mark 1:4-6 ^{ESV}

John appeared, baptizing in the wilderness and proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. ⁵ And all the country of Judea and all Jerusalem were going out to him and were being baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. ⁶ Now John was clothed with camel's hair and wore a leather belt around his waist and ate locusts and wild honey.



Who He Is

Fulfillment of Prophecy

Mark 1:7-8 ^{ESV}

And he preached, saying, "After me comes he who is mightier than I, the strap of whose sandals I am not worthy to stoop down and untie. ⁸ I have baptized you with water, but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit."





John's Baptism

Baptizes with **water**

Shows the **need** for salvation

Signifies the **preparation** of Christ's work



Jesus' Baptism

Baptizes with **Holy Spirit**

Shows the **experience** of salvation

Signifies the **reality** of Christ's work



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Who He Is

Fulfillment of Prophecy

Member of the
Triune God; Son of God

Mark 1:9-11 ^{ESV}

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. ¹⁰ And when he came up out of the water, immediately he saw the heavens opening and the Spirit descending on him like a dove. ¹¹ And a voice came from heaven, "You are my beloved Son; with you I am well pleased."



What He's Done

Defeated Sin & Satan

Mark 1:12-13 ^{ESV}

The Spirit immediately drove him out into the wilderness.
¹³ And he was in the wilderness forty days, being tempted by Satan. And he was with the wild animals, and the angels were ministering to him.



Matthew 4:1-11



Jesus' Temptation

- Physical desires
- Possessions
- Pride



Genesis 3:6



Adam & Eve's Temptation

"Good for food"

"Delight to the eyes"

"Desirable to make one wise"

Matthew 4:1-11



Jesus' Temptation

Physical desires

Possessions

Pride

1 John 2:16



Our Temptation

"Lust of flesh"

"Lust of eyes"

"Boastful pride of life"



What He's Done

Defeated Sin & Satan

Offered us the
Kingdom of God

Mark 1:14-15 ^{ESV}

Now after John was arrested, Jesus came into Galilee, proclaiming the gospel of God, ¹⁵ and saying, "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent and believe in the gospel."



**Proclaiming the gospel
of God**

“The time is fulfilled...”



**Proclaiming the gospel
of God**

“The time is fulfilled...”

“...and the kingdom of God is at hand...”





The World Today

Fallen in sin
Controlled by Satan
Results in death
Man is captive



The Kingdom to Come

Redeemed in Christ
Ruled by Christ
Results in life
Man is a co-ruler







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