

## Mark 15-16

**Read Mark 15-16. Read through the chapters and answer the following questions:**

1. Why does Mark write his gospel (1v1)? To what extent has he proved that?

### Mark 15 - King's Cross

There are two key themes intertwined in this chapter; Jesus kingship and his innocence. Where are these seen?

Jesus' Kingship

Jesus' innocence

To what extent did Jesus prophecies of his arrest and death come true (look them up and find their fulfilment)?

What leads the Centurion to make his confession? Why is it significant in this chapter and in Mark's gospel?

### Mark 16 – A grief transformed

What is missing from Mark's resurrection account (v9-20 are probably a scribal addition later on, though there is nothing heretical or unbiblical in them)?

Why do you think Mark ends his gospel where he does?