

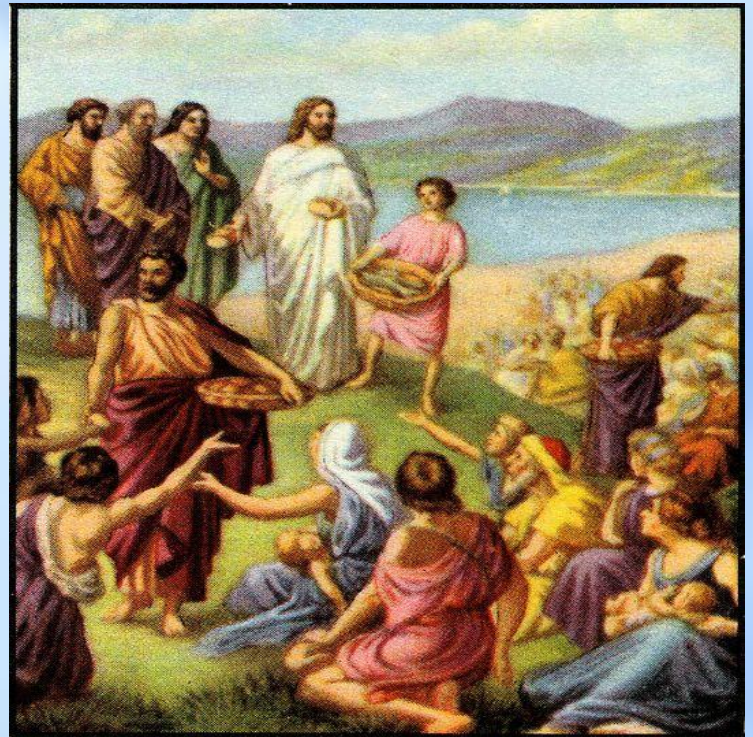
# More Than Just Feeding 5000 +

**Matthew 14:13:21**

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**MARK'S ACCOUNT  
REVEALS...**



# ...Jesus' Compassion!



- Compassion moved Him to serve, **Mark 6:34**
  - **Mark 9:36**, Sending out the apostles, Jesus “*saw the multitudes, he was moved with compassion on them, because they fainted, and were scattered abroad, as sheep having no shepherd.*”
  - **Matthew 15:32-38**, Compassion on the 4000 because, they “*continue with me now for three days, and have nothing to eat: I will not send them away fasting, lest they faint*”
- Today, the Perfect High Priest
  - **Hebrews 4:15**, We have a high priest that, “*in all points tempted like as we are yet without sin.*”

# ...Jesus' Power

- Fed the 5000, **Mark 6:38-44**

- Maybe 10,000 or more

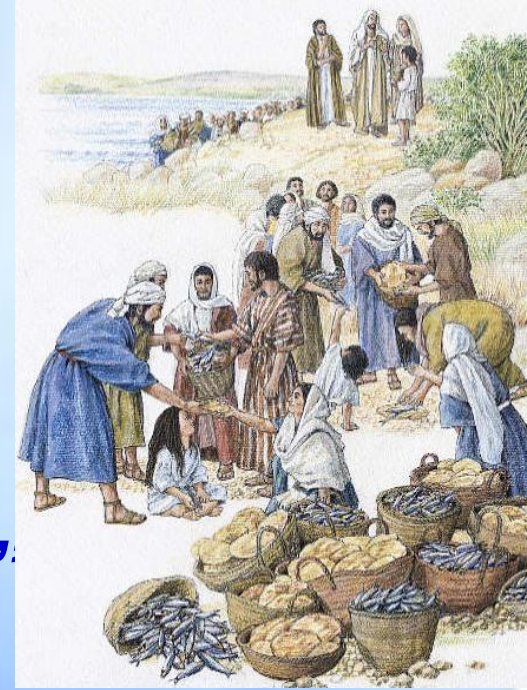
- **Matthew 14:21**, *“they that had eaten were about five thousand men, beside women and children.”*

- 12 baskets left over

- **Mark 6:43**, *“they took up twelve baskets full of the fragments, and of the fishes.”*

- Today, allow His power to work in us

- **Ephesians 3:21**, *“unto him that is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us, Unto him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end.”*



# ...Jesus' Orderliness

- Arranged multitudes in ranks, **Mark 6:39-40**
- Evidenced in by His creation
  - **Psalm 19:1**, *“The heavens declare the glory of God; and the firmament sheweth his handywork.”*
  - **Romans 1:20**, *“the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen”*
- Today, He still demands orderliness
  - **1 Corinthians 14:33, 40**, *“God is not the author of confusion, but of peace, as in all churches of the saints... Let all things be done decently and in order.”*



**John 6:1-13**

**JOHN'S  
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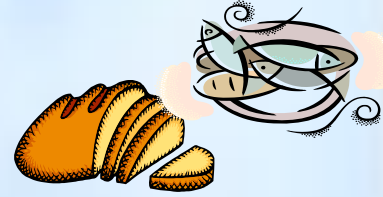


# ...Man's Misunderstanding

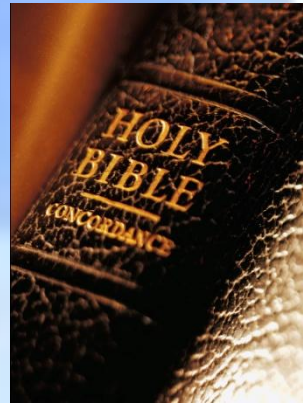
- Initial reaction correct, **John 6:14**
  - Foretold by Moses, **Deuteronomy 18:15-18**
  - Confirmed by Peter, **Acts 3:18-26**
- Wanted for Him to be their king, **John 6:15**
  - **John 18:36**, *“My kingdom is not of this world”*
- Today, never presume we know God's will
  - **Isaiah 55:8**, *“my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the LORD.”*
  - **Ecclesiastes 5:3**, *“a fool's voice is known by multitude of words.”*



# ...Man's Materialism

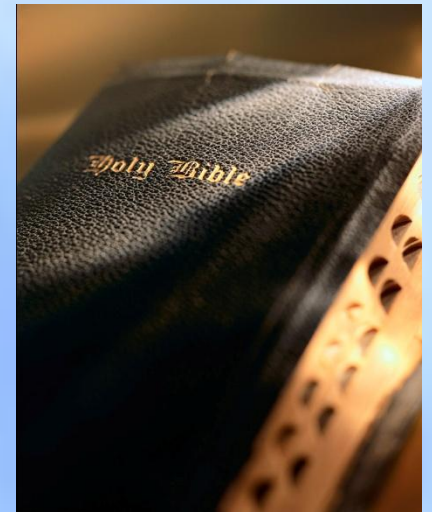


- **Sought Jesus for wrong reason**
  - **John 6:26**, They sought physical food
  - **John 6:27**, Should have sought spiritual food
- **Jesus wanted to give them true bread**
  - **John 6:32-33**, Bread that gives life to the world
  - **John 6:34-35**, Bread given only to them who obey
- **Today, Many choose for wrong reason**
  - Entertainment? Programs? Preacher?, etc.
  - **Romans 14:17**, *“the kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.”*



# ...Man's Dullness of Heart

- **Complained because...**
  - He claimed to be bread from heaven, **John 6:41**
  - Saw Him as son of Mary & Joseph, **John 6:42**
- **Struggled with His message**
  - Not accepted literally, **John 6:51-59**
  - Disciples left Him, **John 6:60, 66**
- **Today, Same dullness occurs**
  - Unwilling to stay with Jesus, **John 6:67-69**
  - Unwilling to learn & apply, **Hebrews 5:11-14**



# Conclusion of Feeding 5000 +

- Jesus Christ is always:

- Compassionate
- Powerful
- Orderly

- Man often:

- Misunderstands God's & seeks His own will
- Seeks material things of the world
- Dull of heart and seeks to follow first two



**John 6:27, “Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you”**

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