SERMON NOTES MARCH 27, 2016

Life's Most Important Question

Series: Questions – Big Questions. Real Answers. – Mark 8:27-33–

1.	The Question	Expects an	Objectively	Correct	Answer
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2. The Question **Divides People**

3. The Question has Deepening Levels of Comprehension

4. The Question Reveals the State of Our Hearts

In the past God overlooked such ignorance, but now He commands all people everywhere to repent. For He has set a day when He will judge the world with justice by the Man He has appointed. He has given proof of this to all men by raising Him from the dead.

— Acts 17:30-31

Application Questions...

- What part of the text or message had the greatest impact on you? Where were you most encouraged, intrigued, or challenged?
- 2. Of the most important event and truths surrounding Jesus' death, burial and resurrection, which do you think are the easiest for Christians to forget?
- 3. Why is Jesus' question, "Who do you say that I am?" (vs. 29) so important?
- 4. Who did the people in Jesus' day think He was? Who do people today say He is? What about you how has your answer changed over time?
- 5. What would you say to the person who said, "If Jesus works for you, that's great, but He's not for me"?
- 6. Is Jesus' death, burial and resurrection for you more a dispassionate fact, or an emotional experience? Why? How does the Gospel affect your life on a daily basis?

