

***Jesus The King:
Understanding The Life & Death Of The Son Of God***

Discussion Guide

Chapter 16: The Sword

1. What's the difference between a "shame and honor" culture, and a gospel-shaped culture? And how is it that our values and the values of our culture have been shaped by Christianity, even without people recognizing it. (pp.200-202)

2. How did the two kingdoms – the kingdom of the world and the kingdom of God – meet in Garden of Gethsemane? Who am I more like – Judas or Peter? (pp.204-206)

3. In what ways is the kingdom of God unnatural for us? (p.209)

4. Keller says, "Christians are free to take or leave money, power, recognition, and status. How?" Answer Keller's question. (p.210)

Chapter 17: The End

1. How did Jesus claim to be divine in his interrogation? (pp.212-214)
2. Mark doesn't focus as much on Jesus's physical sufferings, but instead on the deeper meanings behind it all? (pp.217-223)
3. What is significant about the curtain in the temple being torn? (p.226)
4. The centurion is one of the first to confess Christ. Why is this significant? (p.227-229)

Chapter 18: The Beginning

1. How is Christianity different from all the other “messianic” movements that arose at this time? (p.232)

2. Why do we know that the resurrection story wasn't a hoax? (p.239)

3. What does the resurrection mean for your life now? (p.242-246)