

He Does Everything Well!
Mark 7:31-37
Lesson #28
2/15/26

Psalm 139:14 “I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful; I know that full well.”

I. Jesus traveled to a special place.

Mark 7:31 “Then Jesus left the vicinity of Tyre and went through Sidon, down to the Sea of Galilee and into the region of the Decapolis.”

Mark 7:32 “There some people brought to him a man who was deaf and could hardly talk, and they begged Him to place his hand on him.”

II. Jesus touched a specific person.

Matthew 15:29 “Jesus left there and went along the Sea of Galilee. Then He went up on a mountainside and sat down.^[30] Great crowds came to Him, bringing the lame, the blind, the crippled, the mute and many others, and laid them at His feet; and He healed them.”

Matthew 15:31 “The people were amazed when they saw the mute speaking, the crippled made well, the lame walking and the blind seeing. And they praised the God of Israel.”

Mark 7:33 “After he took him aside, away from the crowd, Jesus put his fingers into the man’s ears. Then he spit and touched the man’s tongue.”

Mark 7:34a “He looked up to heaven ...

III. Jesus transformed deaf / mute man with His mighty power.

Mark 7:34b “... and with a deep sigh said to him, “Ephphatha!” (which means “Be opened!”).”

Mark 7:35 “At this, the man’s ears were opened, his tongue was loosened and he began to speak plainly.”

Mark 7:36 “Jesus commanded them not to tell anyone. But the more he did so, the more they kept talking about it.”

Mark 5:19 “Jesus did not let him, but said, “Go home to your family and tell them how much the Lord has done for you, and how He has had mercy on you.”

Mark 5:20 “So the man went away and began to tell in the Decapolis how much Jesus had done for him. And all the people were amazed.”

IV. Jesus was the target of praise.

Mark 7:37a “People were overwhelmed with amazement He has done everything well,” they said. “He even makes the deaf hear and the mute speak.”

How can we apply this lesson to our life?

A. We must move out of our comfort zone to help someone.

Mark 7:31 “Then Jesus left the vicinity of Tyre and went through Sidon, down to the Sea of Galilee and into the region of the Decapolis.”

B. We must truly care about the person in need.

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Philippians 2:4 “Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others.”

C. We must call upon the Lord to help us meet needs.

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Jeremiah 33:3 “Call to me and I will answer you and tell you great and unsearchable things you do not know.”

D. We cause others to praise God when we serve the needs of others.

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