## "Grace > Disgrace!"

Can you share about a moment that you overcame an evil thought?

## Read Mark 5:1-20.

- 1. What makes it so difficult to resist what is evil?
  - A. Relationship influences.
  - B. Sinful nature.
  - C. Parental pressure.
  - D. Wanting to succeed.
  - E. Inability to overcome.
  - F. Great controversy playing out in our minds.
  - G. God's plans seem unattractive.
  - H. Satan is so smart; he offers what we like.
  - I. Other.
- 2. What is John's main point in Mark 5:1-5?
  - A. This man was a dangerous person.
  - B. Living among the tombs is cool to try.
  - C. This man was completely controlled by many demons.
  - D. This man was looking for help.
  - E. Jesus wanted to rest, but He was attacked by demons in a man.
  - F. There were many incapable psychiatrists in Gadara.
  - G. Don't mess around with demons.
  - H. Other.
- 3. What is the meaning of the man's words upon seeing Jesus (vs. 6, 7)?
  - A. Salvation has come.
  - B. "Here I am to worship!"
  - C. I recognize who you are.
  - D. Get away from me; I'm comfortable!
  - E. The devil was ready to worship Jesus.
  - F. Please, just let me live.
  - G. Other.

- 4. What is the purpose of Jesus asking the man his name?
  - A. He wanted to know if he was His cousin.
  - B. He was trying to find his identity.
  - C. Jesus was getting the demon to talk with Him.
  - D. Jesus wanted His disciples to know that demons were in the man.
  - E. Jesus wanted to be polite and call the man by his name.
  - F. This man was very sad, and Jesus wanted to cheer him up.
  - G. Jesus wanted Satan to identify himself in the man.
  - H. Other.
- 5. Why did Jesus grant the request of the demons (vs. 12, 13)?
  - A. He wanted the man to be free.
  - B. Jesus was very forgiving and wanted to take his sins away.
  - C. Pigs were unclean anyway, a perfect match for demons.
  - D. Jesus wanted to show His disciples pigs were unclean.
  - E. Jesus wanted to save the pig farmers.
  - F. Jesus wanted to show His power over Satan.
  - G. The request of the demons was very reasonable.
  - H. Other.
- 6. What was Jesus' instruction to the man after his healing?
  - A. "Go and show yourself to the priest."
  - B. "Go and offer what was in the law of Moses."
  - C. "Be thankful for what God has done for you."
  - D. "Go to your friends and tell them what great things the Lord has done for you."
  - E. "You must give me \$2,000 for this miracle!"
  - F. "Tell others about the compassion God has had on you."
  - G. "You will be a better witness apart from me."
  - H. Other.
- 7. What habits possess you that may be your legion?
- 8. How can you share your story of freedom with others?