

# He Gets Us™

## Jesus the Rebel Mark 7:1-13

Jesus rebelled against the ideas and practices of the day that were opposed to God and harmful to people.

1. Rebel to obey God. (v1-8)

2. Rebel to love others. (v9-13)

# MY APPLICATION

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

1. Discuss what you think of when you hear the word “rebel?” Do positive images come to mind and why? Do negative images come to mind and why?
2. Read Mark 7:1-8. What do you think the interaction was like between Jesus and the Pharisees? Have you ever been in a situation where you felt compelled to challenge something you believed was wrong? How did you feel? What happened?
3. How can we be sure that the positions we are standing for are rooted in God’s Word? Why is that vital if we are going to follow Jesus obediently?
4. Read Mark 7:9-13. In this instance Jesus is standing against the Pharisees and standing for family, and he is loving both groups as he does it. Why must our “rebellious” be rooted in love?
5. What is the message God had for you from this sermon? What is God leading you to do as a result?

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## Memory Verse

“They worship me in vain; their teachings are but rules taught by men.”

Mark 7:7