## Listen to Him Mark 9:2-13

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## **NOTES**

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Suggested Questions for Individual Study or Group Discussion\*



- What is your favorite mountain? What draws you to it?
- Read Mark 9:2-13. How do you picture the scene on the mountain with Jesus? What might you have seen, heard, smelled, and felt if you were there?
- What does this trip up and down the mountain reveal about Jesus to the disciples? Why would this have been important at this point in their time together?
- What roles did Elijah and Moses play in God's salvation history? What is the significance of their appearing to Jesus on the mountain?
- For whom does the voice from the cloud speak? Why is the message, "This is my beloved Son; listen to him" (cf. Mk. 8:31-38; 9:9)?
- What prompts the disciples' questions about Elijah (cf. Mal. 3:1; 4:4-6)? Who does Jesus indicate played the role of Elijah (cf. Mk. 1:2-8; 6:14-29)?
- What things help you to hear God's voice? What makes listening to God hard for you?
- What is a way you can begin or continue to intentionally "listen to Him" this week? How can your small group or others support and pray for you as you do?

**For Family Discussion:** Draw a picture of a mountain. Discuss what you included in your picture and why. Read Mark 9:2-13. Ask: What happens when Jesus goes up on a mountain with his three disciples? What does God tell the disciples to do? How can we listen to what Jesus says? What are ways we can do that this week?

<sup>\*</sup>Select or adapt questions to fit the needs and makeup of your group.