



And greater things than this you  
will do..

...only believe...

Mark 5:21 - 43



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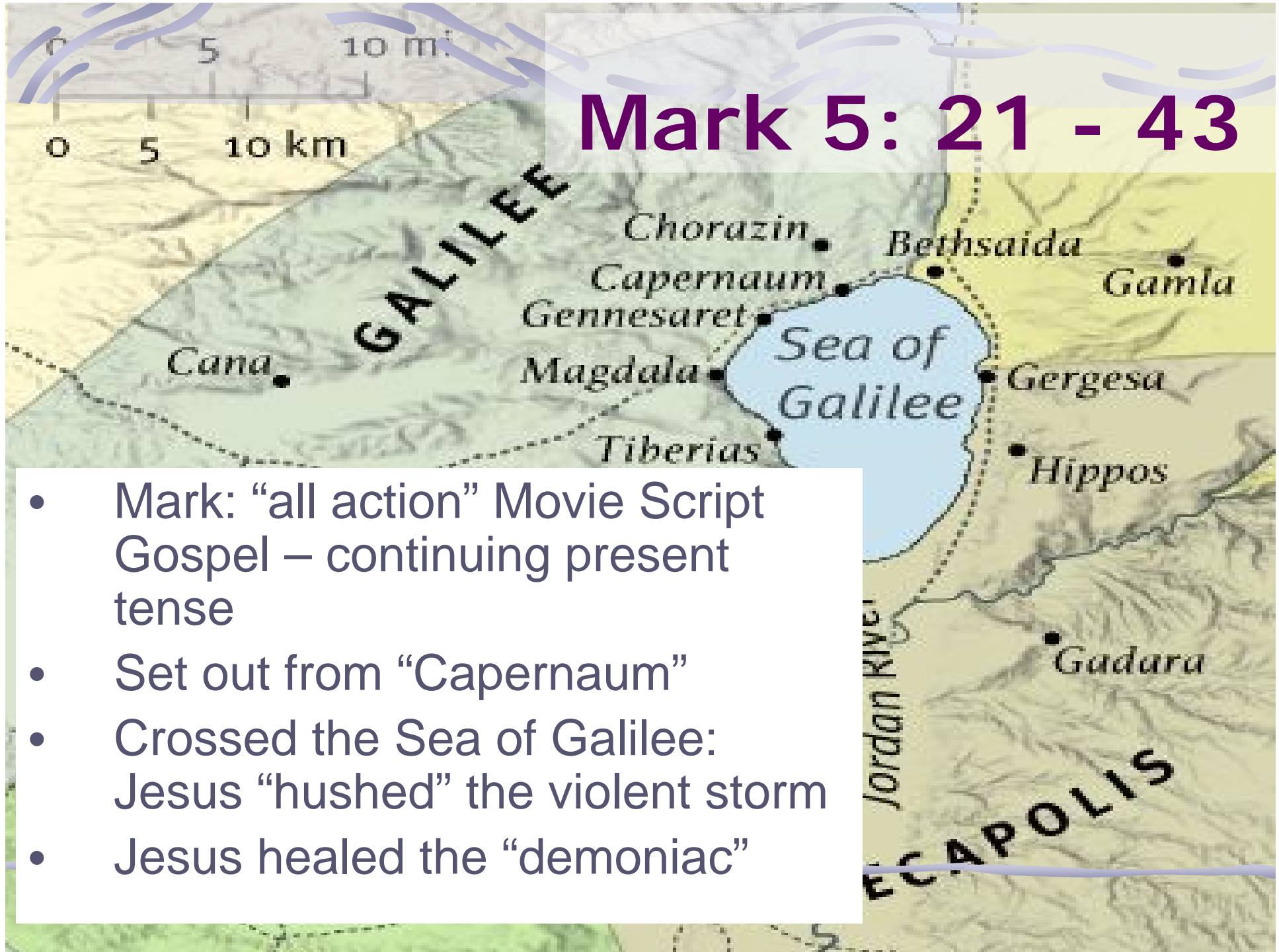
1. Creating Faith through testimony
2. Building Faith through action
3. Fanning Faith into flame
4. Acting on Faith

*“Without faith it is impossible to please God”*

*Hebrews 11:6*

# Mark 5: 21 - 43

- Mark: “all action” Movie Script Gospel – continuing present tense
- Set out from “Capernaum”
- Crossed the Sea of Galilee: Jesus “hushed” the violent storm
- Jesus healed the “demoniac”



# Scene 1: enter Jairus

21. When Jesus had crossed over again in the boat to the other side, a large crowd gathered around Him; and so He stayed by the seashore.
22. One of the synagogue officials named Jairus **came up**, and on **seeing** Him, **fell** at His feet
23. and **implored** Him earnestly, saying, "My little daughter is at the point of death; please come and lay Your hands on her, so that she will get well and live."
24. And He went off with him; and a large crowd was following Him and pressing in on Him.

## Scene 2: enter woman

25. A woman who had had a haemorrhage for twelve years,
26. and had endured much at the hands of many physicians, and had spent all that she had and was not helped at all, but rather had grown worse—
27. after **hearing** about Jesus, she came up in the crowd behind Him and **touched His cloak**.
28. For she thought, "If I just touch His garments, I will get well."
29. Immediately the flow of her blood was dried up; and she felt in her body that she was healed of her affliction.

## Scene 3: the realisation

30. Immediately Jesus, perceiving in Himself that the power proceeding from Him had gone forth, turned around in the crowd and said, "Who touched My garments?"
31. And His disciples said to Him, "You see the crowd pressing in on You, and You say, 'Who touched Me?'"
32. And He looked around to see the woman who had done this.

## Scene 4: faith building building

33. But the woman fearing and trembling, aware of what had happened to her, came and fell down before Him and told Him the whole truth. And He said to her, "Daughter, **your faith** has made you well; go in peace and **be healed** of your affliction."
35. While He was still speaking, they **came** from the house of the synagogue official, saying, "Your daughter has died; why trouble the Teacher anymore?" But Jesus, overhearing what was being spoken, **said** to the synagogue official, "Do not be afraid any longer, **only believe**."

## Scene 5: Faith in Action

37. And He allowed no one to accompany Him, except Peter and James and John the brother of James.
38. They **came** to the house of the synagogue official; and He **saw** a commotion, and people loudly weeping and wailing.
39. And entering in, He **said** to them, "Why make a commotion and weep? **The child has not died, but is asleep.**"
40. They began laughing at Him. But **putting them all out**, He **took** along the child's father and mother and His own companions, and **entered** the room where the child was.



## Scene 6: death where is thy sting?

41. Taking the child by the hand, **He said** to her, "Talitha kum!" (which translated means, "Little girl, I say to you, get up!").
42. Immediately the girl got up and began to walk, for she was twelve years old. And immediately they were completely astounded.
43. And He gave them strict orders that no one should know about this, and He said that something should be **given her to eat**.

# Faith without deeds...only believe ☺

I.e. let's do it! AND in groups of 3 or 4

1. Creating Faith through **testimony**
2. Building Faith through **action**
3. Fanning faith into flame; **believe; anticipate**
4. Action
  - **Declare, pray (what the Spirit gives you), check person, ↻ repeat**
5. Your commission (truly, truly, truly)
  - ..greater than these will he (you) do... *Jn 14:12*
6. The extreme value of Faith (belief)
  - ...to dissolve the works of the devil *1Jn 3:8* - death
  - ...no miracle...unbelief *Mk 6: 5,6*