

Cured the demoniac

Mark5:1-20

- **Here is a story of a miracle that should challenge us!**
 - **A dangerous man in a dangerous place.**
 - **Eerie story. It happened at night!**
 - **They had set sail. Then there was the storm. Now they had landed. Many caves in limestone rocks .Bodies buried.**

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The Cure...

- There needed to be a demonstration that the demon had gone out of him.
- The **man** needed **deliverance**.
- The **demon** wanted to be sent into the swine. They plunged headlong into the sea.
- **There was the proof that the man needed.**
- **He was cured.**

The Reaction...

- They asked Jesus to leave their district! Why?
- **What they were really saying was “Do not disturb me.”**
 - **Do not disturb my comfort**
 - **Do not disturb my possessions**
 - **Do not disturb my religion**
 - **Don’t disturb my beliefs!**

The Sequel...

- Here is the first sign of Christianity going out to the entire world.
- Jesus sent the man back. He was going to be a witness for Christ.
- He was a walking, living, valid, demonstration of what Jesus can do for human beings.

- The unanswerable proof of Christianity is the re created person. The born again believer.
- Everything must start somewhere. And Jesus must begin with someone!
- He has cured us of our sins. Why should he not begin with us?