

Mark: Cleansing the Moral Poison of Society
(Part 10) Listen Up or Lose Out

How is it that many “Christians” have no ability to articulate the _____ of Christianity?

We hear but we don’t _____.

We are _____ so we don’t focus.

We are in geographical proximity, but our _____ is far away.

(Mark 4:21-25) One bite at a time

(v.21-22) Light has a purpose that is nullified when the light is _____.

Spiritual light or _____ does not fulfill its purpose if hidden.

Nothing is hidden from the light of the gospel.

(v.23) Do you get it?

(v.24-25) Listen up or lose out.

(v.24) Listen and _____.

Listening is the _____ to understanding.

(v.25) We are responsible for what we do with information from God.

(Mark 4:26-29) The purpose for planting is _____.

Once a seed is planted in good ground there is an expectation that the growing process will occur _____.

The farmer’s role is to prepare the ground, plant the seed, and be _____ for the harvest.

(Mark 4:30-32) _____ seeds can produce great results.

(Mark 4:33-34) An understandable mode of teaching produces measurable results.

Parables were Jesus’ _____ mode of teaching.

Jesus taught the people as much as they could _____.

He taught the disciples _____ through deeper personal explanation.