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John Mark

Acts 12:12+

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# THE LIFE OF CHRIST SHOWING COVERAGE BY MARK (SHADED AREA)

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# COMMENTARIES THAT CAN BE BORROWED FROM ARCHIVE.ORG

Explanation - The following list includes not only commentaries but other Christian works by well known evangelical writers. Most of the resources below are newer works (written after 1970) which previously were available only for purchase in book form or in a Bible computer program. The resources are made freely available by archive.org but have several caveats - (1) they do not allow copy and paste, (2) they can only be checked out for one hour (but can be checked out immediately when your hour expires giving you time to read or take notes on a lengthy section) and (3) they require creating an account which allows you to check out the books free of charge. To set up an account click archive.org and then click the picture of the person in right upper corner and enter email and a password. That's all you have to do. Then you can read these more modern resources free of charge! I have read or used many of these resources but not all of them so ultimately you will need to be a Berean (Acts 17:11+) as you use them. I have also selected works that are conservative and Biblically sound. If you find one that you think does not meet those criteria please send an email at <a href="https://www.preceptaustin.org/contact">https://www.preceptaustin.org/contact</a>. The resources are listed in alphabetical order by the author's last name and some include reviews of the particular resource. For hundreds of other commentaries and books that can be borrowed see <a href="https://www.preceptaustin.org/contact">Christian Commentaries Online</a>.

Note these are in no particular order of preference.

<u>Be Diligent</u> (Mark) by Wiersbe, Warren - His comments are usually excellent. (Or here - <u>Bible Exposition Commentary - New Testament</u>)

Rosscup - One of America's most appreciated staunchly evangelical Bible conference teachers gives diligent, refreshing expositions. These are all of his 23 separate, earlier books in the "Be" series on the New Testament. He strikes a particular appeal with lay people as he crystallizes sections, deals with some of the verses, handles certain problems and backgrounds and applies principles. He is premillennial.

Wiersbe's Expository Outlines on the New Testament by Wiersbe, Warren W - Very useful for teaching and preaching.

<u>Cyril Barber</u> - This is a book of exceptional merit. Pastors, missionaries, and Christian workers will profit from its use. Wiersbe introduces each book of the NT, provides an outline, and then furnishes his readers with a chapter-by-chapter discussion of the contents. The homiletic style is a "plus." Recommended.

With the Word - Devotional Commentary - Warren Wiersbe

Windows on the Parables by Wiersbe, Warren

Mark in the Greek New Testament for the English reader by Wuest, Kenneth - He is always worth checking for practical insights on the Greek words.

James Rosscup - This is a verse-by-verse evangelical, expository work which deals with the Greek text but does so in a way which the English reader can follow though he does not know Greek. It is a good book to give to a layman who is serious about studying Mark, and also helpful to the pastor or teacher.

Invitation to Mark: a commentary on the Gospel of Mark, with complete text from the Jerusalem Bibleby Achtemeier, Paul J

Exalting Jesus in Mark - Daniel L. Akin. Conservative. Evangelical.

<u>Exploring the Gospels: Mark</u> - Jerry Vines. Well-known expository Baptist preacher and thus sounds like material that was preached in a series of sermons. Not bad, but not that deep. Generally verse by verse. Might give you some preaching or teaching ideas. Conservative. Evangelical.

Read, Mark, learn by John Blanchard (Simple introduction to Gospel of Mark)

The Gospel according to Mark: an introduction and commentary by Cole, R. A. (R. Alan),

<u>Cyril Barber</u> - Tyndale New Testament Commentaries. Grand Rapids: Wm. B. Eerdmans Publishing Co., 1990. First published in 1961. A comparison of the expository sections of the two editions shows little change. The introduction, however, focuses on new work done in Markan studies over the last 30 years, and this is where Cole's contribution is truly remarkable. This commentary will continue to be of help to lay Bible students. Recommended.

James Rosscup - A minister in the Church of Southeast Asia wrote this evangelical study, concluding for Markan priority (p. 47) yet not for any direct literary dependence but Matthean, Markan and Lukan "use of the same, or similar tradition blocks" (p. 48). The commentary itself is provided with a 4-pp. outline set down at the outset and is terse but knowledgeable. Cole sees the Olivet Discourse as referring directly to the destruction of Jerusalem in A. D. 70, though he acknowledges that the meaning reaches on to later fulfillment also (p. 203), a double fulfillment of the same words.

<u>Tim Challies</u> - This is the most concise of the commentaries listed here (though it is still 340 pages) and will necessarily be limited by its size. However, smaller, more readable commentaries do have their place and the experts agree that this one is an excellent addition to any library. This or Edwards' volume would likely be the best choice for the non-pastor.

<u>Tim Matheson (Ligonier)</u> - The Tyndale commentaries are non-technical and introductory-level commentaries, but they are surprisingly consistent in their high level of quality. Cole's commentary on Mark is a good example.

The Gospel according to Saint Mark: an introduction and commentary by Cranfield, C. E. B

James Rosscup - One of the finer commentaries on Mark by the famous exegetical scholar from The University of Durham in Scotland. Cranfield is quite helpful on the Greek text, word meanings, customs etc., and is clear, insightful, and refreshing to those who believe in the historical veracity of words and events in Jesus' ministry.

<u>Tim Challies</u> - This is the oldest commentary in the list (and do remember that I am focusing on newer commentaries since most of the older ones are now available for free). This one receives the highest commendation from Derek Thomas. Meanwhile, Westminster Seminary's Dan McCartney summarizes what most people want us to know about it: "A little dated, but handy and dependable." Carson points out that it speaks to a commentary's quality when it remains in print fifty years after initial publication. Indeed.

The Gospel of Mark by Earle, Ralph

James Rosscup (referring to Everyman's Bible Commentary which is not the same one above) - Here is a brief conservative survey by a professor (then) at the Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, MO. Earle is usually helpful. At times he is overly general, not nailing things down as on the identity of the second and third soils in Mark 4; at other times he commits himself, as in expecting a yet future, final fulfillment of the "abomination of desolation" in Mark 13.

<u>The Bible Knowledge Background Commentary: Matthew-Luke</u> by Evans, Craig A - This resource will give you very interesting insights and is worth checking on individual passages.

The Gospel according to Mark by Edwards, James R - Only 44 pages. Not his highly regarded commentary on Mark.

Article by Edwards - The Authority of Jesus in the Gospel of Mark - JETS 37, 1994

The Gospel of Mark: an exposition by Erdman, Charles R.

Rosscup - Concise treatments are given to each of the N. T. books. The main value of the set lies in its clear synthesis which helps the student grasp the flow of thought as he moves through a book. Erdman possessed a lucid writing style. He was amillennial.

The Gospel of Mark: a Commentary on the Greek text by France, R. T (New International Greek Testament Commentary)

James Rosscup - A noted scholar has an apt comment beginning his Introduction, that a commentary should be on the biblical book, not about commentaries on Mark (1), issues in Mark and not all the issues scholars can raise. Still, his footnotes cite many where he can draw help. He assumes that Mark wrote this gospel (6–9). He packs in much learning to shine light on verses, but with all due respect his ideas have misguided him to have Christ's enthronement to have kingly, universal and eternal dominion here and now be the meaning of texts that are about Christ's coming at the Second Advent (8:38; 13:26; 14:62, cf. pp. 32, 342–43, 534–35, 610–13). France has a good summary of textual evidence for excluding Mark 16:9ff. (685–88).

Tim Challies ranks this his #1 on Mark - Most commentators on commentaries reserve the top spot for France's volume (Note that he has also written a top-five commentary on Matthew). While the NIGTC is more scholary than most other series, and requires at least some knowledge of Greek, D.A. Carson says it is still "remarkably accessible and includes a healthy mix of history, theology, social context, even warmth." By way of context, I have rudimentary knowledge of Greek (one year of university-level) and find that I am able to make my way through these commentaries, though with some difficulty at times

<u>Tim Matheson</u> (Ligonier) - In my opinion, R.T. France has not only written the best commentary on the Gospel of Matthew, he has also written the best commentary on the Gospel of Mark. The New International Greek Commentary series is technical and does require a knowledge of the Greek language. For those who need something less technical, I suggest the commentaries by Lane, Strauss, and Edwards listed below.

# A Theology of Mark's Gospel: Good News About Jesus the Messiah, the Son of Godby Garland, David E

Cyril Barber (this critique relates to the NIV Application Commentary by Garland) - The NIV Application Commentary. Grand Rapids: Zondervan Publishing House, 1966. Possesses the criteria of a good lay person's commentary. Pays close attention to interpretative issues, and ably bridges the gap between the era of the NT Gentile church and our own time. Using the historic present tense, Garland causes the events in Christ's life to take on a vivid, contemporary flair. Footnotes direct the student to both primary and secondary source material.

# Mark: A Commentary on His Apology for the cross by Gundry, Robert H.

Cyril Barber - This is one of the most detailed and technical commentaries on Mark's gospel, and according to the publishers, the fullest and most precise in any language. It stresses the literary features of the text, but also states that Mark's material stands somewhere toward the middle of the continuum between biography and mythology, between what is historically accurate and what is fictional. In approaching the text of Mark, Gundry turns from form- and redaction-criticism (both of which Gundry considers to be inappropriate when studying Mark) and treats the text as it stands. He pays close attention to a variety of literary devices: word order, chiasm, inclusio, asyndeton, and Mark's use of the historic present tense. This work is remarkable for its erudition. It will be consulted by scholars for years to come. It is also hoped that preachers will be able to cull information from its 1069 pages.

James Rosscup - Cf. Gundry on Matthew for his view about midrash. Here, again, he offers prolific bibliography (32 pp.) and commentary so prolonged that details at times are user unfriendly for many, and it can be hard to locate individual verses in the pages of "Notes." Gundry presents Jesus in His success yet in His self-denial and suffering unto the cross, a perspective so different from today's health-and-wealth idea of discipleship (cf. 2–3). Explanation of details is ponderous, giving the patient much to consider. Frequent statements may be grasped only by an inner circle of scholars (cf. the first note on 39), and some will recoil at misleading claims such as one that Mark's not mentioning disciples receiving the Spirit shows that Mark is "not interested in" this (38). A writer does not have to include every detail in which he has an interest! Gundry shows the future Second Advent context of certain predictions in Mark 13, but one must read with great alertness and sometimes re-reading to follow him. Overall, teachers, more studious pastors, and advanced students will find much stimulation in the thorough comments, as on issues in 4:26–29.

Mark: a Self-Study guide by Jensen, Irving - Master teacher in the area of inductive Bible study, therefore worth checking.

Book of Mark: a life-changing story by Lucado, Max

Mark: a new translation with introduction and commentary (The Anchor Bible) Mann, Christopher Stephen.

Cyril Barber - The author boldly champions the priority of Matthew and Luke, but errs in assuming that Mark's gospel is merely a digest of the former two. His Introduction is very thorough, and should stimulate fresh discussion on the theme of this gospel. Valuable philological data is included from a variety of sources, and O'Callahan's thesis is tested in the discussion of 6:53-56 and elsewhere. The comments on the text are very brief, but the notes are full and have bibliographic references interspersed throughout. Of particular value to seminarians.

James Rosscup - <u>Basically a liberal work</u> but often profitable in technical aspects and thoroughness. He surveys scholarly thinking on Mark and reviews approaches of recent years. His bibliographies are valuable, and he frequently has good input on Greek grammar, words, customs in Jesus' day, etc. In his mind, Mark is the third gospel to be written, and all three synoptics date before A. D. 70.

Mark: the humanity of Christ by MacArthur, John - Only 132 pages - This is not his full commentary on the Gospel of Mark. (His sermons below closely parallel his commentary on Mark).

Mark, evangelist and theologian by Martin, Ralph P

Cyril Barber - A scholarly assessment of the scope of Mark's gospel with a suggestion for a new purpose and Sitz im leben

<u>The Communicator's Commentary. Mark</u> by McKenna, David L. (Now published as Preacher's Commentary Series) Generally helpful for preaching and teaching.

The Expositor's Bible Commentary - 1994 edition - Abridged - New Testament

The Gospel according to Mark C F D Moule (1965)

The Servant Who Rules Mark 1-8 by Stedman, Ray C Always worth consulting his practical sound commentary.

<u>Cyril Barber</u> - An impressive treatment of <u>Mark 1:1-8:26</u>. Stedman stands in the tradition of Merrill Unger when it comes to hermeneutics and the application of the text to life. In this work Christ is presented as the believer's model, and through the unfolding of each scene in the narrative, Stedman shows how that may be accomplished. Recommended.

<u>The Ruler Who Serves</u> Commentary on Gospel of Mark by Stedman, Ray C. Always worth consulting his practical sound commentary. This work is volume 2 on Mark 8:27-16:20.

<u>Cyril Barber</u> - A beautiful, thematic exposition of Mark 8:27-16:20. Well deserving of a place in every preacher's library. Warmly recommended

General Articles, Matthew, Mark by Turlington - Broadman Bible Commentary

Mark: a Study Guide commentary by Vos, Howard Frederic

<u>Cyril Barber</u> - A well-reasoned, thematic study that proves again that sometimes the most valuable things come in small packages. Of great value to laypeople who desire to obtain a good grasp of this material.

Interpreting the Parables by Blomberg, Craig

<u>Chronological and Background Charts of the NEW TESTAMENT - Pdf</u> - D Wayne House - outstanding compilation of charts - check this one out!. This book can also be borrowed = <u>Chronological and background charts of the New Testament</u>

STUDY BIBLES - ONE VOLUME COMMENTARIES OF ENTIRE BIBLE, BIBLE DICTIONARIES, GENERAL REFERENCE WORKS

Note: The first 4 resources have no time restriction and allow copy and paste function:

(1) <u>KJV Bible Commentary</u> - Hindson, Edward E; Kroll, Woodrow Michael. Over 3000 pages of the entire OT/NT. Well done conservative commentary that interprets Scripture from a literal perspective. Pre-millennial. <u>User reviews</u> - it generally gets 4/5 stars from users. - <u>372 ratings</u>

Very well done conservative commentary that interprets Scripture from a literal perspective user reviews

The King James Version Bible Commentary is a complete verse-by-verse commentary. It is comprehensive in scope, reliable in scholarship, and easy to use. Its authors are leading evangelical theologians who provide practical truths and biblical principles. Any Bible student will gain new insights through this one-volume commentary based on the timeless King James Version of the Bible.

- (2) <u>The King James Study Bible Second Edition</u> 2240 pages (2013) (Thomas Nelson) General Editor Edward Hindson with multiple contributing editors. . <u>3.194 ratings</u>. Pre-millennial. See <u>introduction on How to Use this Study Bible</u>.
- (3) NKJV Study Bible: New King James Version Study Bible (formerly "The Nelson Study Bible NKJV") by Earl D Radmacher; Ronald Barclay Allen; Wayne H House. 2345 pages. (1997, 2007). Very helpful notes. Conservative. Pre-millennial. 917 ratings
- (4) The Wycliffe Bible Commentary only the New Testament Burdick, Donald W. "Mark," in Wycliffe Bible Commentary, ed. C. F. Pfeiffer and E. F. Harrison. Chicago: Moody, 1962. 1,525 pp. Strictly speaking not a study Bible, but short notes are similar. KJV text in left column, commentary notes in right column. The comments are generally verse by verse, short, conservative and to the point. Pre-millennial. (Borrow OT Wycliffe Bible Commentary)

Rosscup on Burdick's commentary - A careful New Testament scholar from Conservative Baptist Seminary, Denver, is the author. He has provided a solid, well-organized and knowledgeable study from a conservative, premillennial viewpoint. Though brief it is worth the time.

The MacArthur Study Bible - John MacArthur. Brief but well done notes

ESV Study Bible - Excellent resource but not always literal in eschatology and the nation of Israel

HCSB Study Bible: Holman Christian Standard Bible General Editor Jeremy Royal Howard (2010) 2360 pages. Conservative. Good notes. Include Holmans excellent maps.

<u>The David Jeremiah study bible</u> - (2013) 2208 pages. <u>Logos.com</u> - "Drawing on more than 40 years of study, Dr. David Jeremiah has compiled a legacy resource that will make an eternal impact on generations to come. 8,000 study notes. Hundreds of enriching word studies"50+ Essentials of the Christian Faith" articles."

NIV Study Bible - (2011) 2570 pages - Use this one if available as it has more notes than edition below. One hour limit

NIV Study Bible by Barker, Kenneth L; Burdick, Donald W (1995) 2250 pages. This is the first edition. This resource has been fully revised in 2020. One hour limit

The Ryrie Study Bible - Charles Ryrie (1978) 2142 pages. Conservative.

The Defender's Study Bible: King James Version by Morris, Henry M. Excellent notes for well known creationist.

Believer's Bible Commentary by MacDonald, William (1995) 2480 pages. Conservative. Millennial. Often has devotional bent.

Dr. John MacArthur, Jr. - "Concise yet comprehensive - the most complete single-volume commentary I have seen."

Warren Wiersbe - "For the student who is serious about seeing Christ in the Word."

Life Application Study Bible: New Living Translation. Has some very helpful notes. 4,445 ratings

<u>The Word in life Study Bible</u> - Very interesting format. **Not your routine study Bible**. Worth checking the very informative notes. (e.g., <u>here is a picture of Jesus' post-resurrection appearances</u>.)

New Bible Commentary - (1994) See user reviews

The Experiencing God Study Bible: the Bible for knowing and doing the will of God-Blackaby, Henry (1996) 1968 pages - CHECK THIS ONE! Each chapter begins with several questions under the title "PREPARE TO MEET GOD." Then you will interesting symbols before many of the passages. The chapter ends with a "DID YOU NOTICE?" question. This might make a "dry chapter" jump off the page! Read some of the 48 ratings

Compact Bible commentary by Radmacher, Earl D; Allen, Ronald Barclay; House, H Wayne, et al - 954 pages. 424 ratings Multiple contributors to the comments which are often verse by verse. The comments are brief but meaty and can really help your study through a given book. A sleeper in my opinion.

NIV archaeological study Bible (2005) 2360 pages 950 ratings (See also Archaeology and the Bible - OT and NT)

NIV cultural backgrounds study Bible. bringing to life the ancient world of scripture Keener, Craig and Walton, John. Editors (2017)

Evangelical Commentary on the Bible - editor Walter Elwell (1989) 1239 pages. User reviews.

Eerdmans' family encyclopedia of the Bible (1978) 344 pages

Eerdmans' handbook to the Bible (1983) 688 pages

The Lion handbook to the Bible - (1999) 822 pages. This resource is absolutely loaded with very nice color pictures and charts.

Tyndale handbook of Bible charts & maps by Wilson, Neil

Bible handbook and A-Z bible encyclopedia

International children's Bible field quide: answering kids' questions from Genesis to Revelation by Richards, Larry

The illustrated guide to Bible customs & curiosities by Knight, George W. (George William),

Today's handbook of Bible times & customs by Coleman, William L

The Shaw pocket Bible handbook - Editor - Walter Elwell (1984) 408 pages.

"This hardback is small in size but packed full of content: Brief summaries of every book of the bible, cultural, archaeological and historical info, word definitions, pictures, maps and charts." Worth checking!

<u>Unger's Commentary on the Old Testament (Volume 2 - Isaiah - Malachi)</u> by Unger, Merrill Frederick, 1909- (1981) 972 pages.

Zondervan illustrated Bible backgrounds commentary - New Testament - 552 pages. (2002) See user reviews.

The new Unger's Bible dictionary by Unger, Merrill Frederick, 1909-

Survey of the Bible: introductory insights, background studies, book-by-book surveyby Unger, Merrill Frederick

The parallel New Testament and Unger's Bible handbook : produced for Moody monthly by Unger, Merrill (1975) 744 pages 4 ratings

The Hodder Bible handbook by Unger, Merrill

Nelson's expository dictionary of the Old Testament by Unger, Merrill

Kregel Bible handbook: a full-color guide to every book of the Bibleby Kerr, William 3 ratings

The new encyclopedia of Christian quotations by Water, Mark

Zondervan handbook to the Bible

Zondervan illustrated Bible backgrounds commentary - Matthew, Mark, Luke

<u>Dictionary of Biblical Imagery</u> - free for use online with no restrictions (i.e., you do not need to borrow this book). Editors Leland Ryken, J C Wilhoit, Tremper Longman III - This is a potential treasure chest to aid your preaching and teaching as it analyzes the meaning of a host of Biblical figures of speech. **Clue** - use the "One-page view" which then allows you to copy and paste text. One downside is there is no index, so you need to search 3291 pages for entries which are alphabetical.

Dictionary of Jesus and the Gospels

Dictionary of Paul and his letters 180 ratings IVP Series

<u>Dictionary of the later New Testament & its developments 71 ratings</u> IVP Series

Dictionary of New Testament background 79 ratings IVP Series

# MULTIPLE OTHER SERMONS AND COMMENTARIES

#### **DANIEL AKIN - sermons**

- Mark 13:1-23 What Did Jesus Say About The End Of The World: Part 1
- Mark 13:24-37 What Did Jesus Say About The End Of The World: Part 2

#### **HENRY ALFORD The New Testament for English Readers**

James Rosscup writes that Alford's series on the New Testament "contains much that is valuable in the Greek New Testament...though all of the Greek New Testament words have been changed to English throughout." (Commentaries for Biblical Expositors: An Annotated Bibliography of Selected Works)

Mark 13 Commentary

#### **W C ALLEN**

Mark Commentary

#### **JOSEPH A ALEXANDER**

**Spurgeon's critique** - Alexander expounds Mark as an independent record, and does not constantly tell us to "see Matthew and Luke." Hence the book is complete in itself, and the author's learning and care have made it invaluable.

**Hiebert** - A comprehensive, conservative interpretation of Mark's gospel by a New Testament scholar who was one of the greatest of his day. Based on sound scholarship, the volume offers a careful unfolding of the meaning of the gospel text. Surprisingly fresh in spite of its age.

Commentary on the Gospel of Mark - 488 pages

# **PAUL APPLE Commentary on the Gospel of Mark**

Mark Commentary - 556 pages

# WILLIAM BARCLAY Commentary on the Gospel of Mark Daily Study Bible

<u>D Edmond Hiebert</u> - Prints the author's own translation. Valuable for its numerous helpful word studies and background material. Barclay holds that Christ's descent into Hades gave those who there heard Him a second chance.

**Comment**: I appreciate Barclay's unique insights on Greek words, but clearly his teaching about a "second chance" is NOT sound doctrine! Be an Acts 17:11 Berean with Barclay. See discussion of his orthodoxy especially the article "The Enigmatic William Barclay".

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# ALBERT BARNES Commentary on the Gospel of Mark Notes on the New Testament

Mark 13 Commentary

# **BRIAN BELL Sermons on Mark**

• Mark 13 - sermon notes compiled

#### **CHRIS BENFIELD SERMONS**

- Mark 13:1-8 Discussing the End -
- Mark 13:9-13 Despised for the Gospel -
- Mark 13: 14-20 The Devastation in Abomination -
- Mark 13:21-27 The Second Coming of Christ -
- Mark 13:28-37 Watching and Waiting -

#### **JOHANN BENGEL Gnomon of the New Testament**

Mark 13 Commentary

# **JOHANN BENGEL The Critical English Testament**

Combination of Gnomon above + Comments by other expositors [in brackets] (Recommended if not conversant with Greek)

Mark 13 Commentary

#### **JOSEPH BENSON**

Mark 13 Commentary

#### **BIBLE.ORG RESOURCES Resources that Reference Mark**

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#### JIM BOMKAMP SERMONS

- Mark 13:1-12 Jesus' Olivet Discourse
- Mark 13:13-20 Jesus' Olivet Discourse 2
- Mark 13:21-37 Jesus' Olivet Discourse 3

# **HORATIUS BONAR - Light and Truth - Select passages**

# Click here for following chapters on Mark

- XXXVI. Watch and Pray Mark 13:33
- XXXVII. The Master Cometh <u>Mark 13:34–37</u>

#### A B BRUCE The Expositor's Greek Testament Commentary

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# **BIBLICAL ILLUSTRATOR Commentary**

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# **WILLIAM BURKITT**

Mark 13 Expository Notes with Practical Observations

# CAMBRIDGE GREEK TESTAMENT FOR SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

**Rosscup writes** - "This is an excellent liberal study of the book from the standpoint of the Greek. There are excellent cross-references on key words, and usually serious efforts to explain the meaning." (**Ed note**: The word "liberal" is cause for considerable discretion if you use this work by Alfred Plummer.)

Mark 13 Commentary

# CAMBRIDGE BIBLE FOR SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

Mark 13 Commentary

# **JOHN CALVIN Commentary on the Gospel of Mark**

Note: Calvin combines the synoptic Gospels and thus does not have a completely separate commentary on

Mark 13 Commentary

# ALAN CARR Sermons on the Gospel of Mark - well done

- Mark 13:1-8 The Beginning Of The End
- Mark 13:9-13 Hated For The Gospel's Sake
- Mark 13:14-23 Horrors On The Horizon
- Mark 13:24-27 The Second Coming Of Christ
- Mark 13:28-37 Ready Or Not, Here He Comes

#### **RICH CATHERS Sermons**

- Mark 13:1-13
- Mark 13:14-20
- Mark 13:21-27
- Mark 13:28-37

# **D MARION CLARK Sermons - opens a Word Document**

- Mark 13.1-13 The Birth Pains to Come
- Mark 13.14-23 The Destruction to Come
- Mark 13.24-27 The Son of Man to Come
- Mark 13.28-37 Watch!

#### W A CRISWELL SERMONS ON GOSPEL OF MARK

Mark 13 The Second Coming of Christ

ADAM CLARKE Commentary on the Gospel of Mark Click for caveat on Clarke

Mark 13 Commentary

# THOMAS CONSTABLE Expository Notes and Commentary Conservative, Millennial

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#### **RON DANIEL Sermon Notes on the Gospel of Mark**

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# DEFENDER'S STUDY BIBLE Notes on the Gospel of Mark Dr Henry Morris

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# **DICTIONARY ARTICLES**

- Mark, theology of Baker's Evangelical Dictionary
- Mark Hastings' Dictionary of the New Testament
- Hastings' Dictionary of the Bible Mark (John)
- Mark, John International Standard Bible Encyclopedia
- Kitto Biblical Cyclopedia <u>John mark</u>
- The Nuttall Encyclopedia Mark, John
- Fausset Bible Dictionary <u>Mark, John</u>
- Holman Bible Dictionary Mark, John

# **DAN DUNCAN Gospel of Mark Sermons**

- The Birth Pangs Mark 13:1-13
- The 70th Week And The 2nd Coming Mark 13:14-27
- Be On The Alert Mark 13:28-37

# **EARLY CHURCH**

Mark Commentary - 13

# J N DARBY

Mark 13 Synopsis

# JOHN DUMMELOW

Mark 13 Commentary

#### **EASY ENGLISH**

Mark: Mark's Good News

# **CHARLES ELLICOTT**

Mark 13 Commentary for English Readers

# **DWIGHT EDWARDS - pithy and practical**

Mark Commentary

# **EXPOSITOR'S DICTIONARY OF TEXTS Gospel of Mark**

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# **EXPOSITOR'S BIBLE COMMENTARY Gospel of Mark G A Chadwick**

Mark 13 Commentary

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On Guard!: Mark 13:1-13:37

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Mark 13:31-37 No One Knows When

# Mark Sermon Outlines - 79 messages - available titles:

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- Mark 13:24-31 The Lord Is Coming
- Mark 13:14-23 The Abomination Of Desolation
- Mark 13:9-13 Take Heed To Yourselves
- Mark 13:1-8 The Beginnings Of Sorrows
- Discovering Christ in Mark 771 page book

# **A C GAEBELEIN**

# **GENE GETZ - short video emphasizing principles**

 Mark 13:1-37; Alertness without Specificity: Though God wants us always to be ready for Christ's coming to remove the church from this earth, we are not to set specific dates. <u>Video</u>

#### **JOHN GILL**

Mark 13 Exposition

# RICHARD GLOVER - "A Teacher's Commentary" - an older work (1884), but with excellent devotional comments

Review - Richard Glover (1837-1919) minister of Tyndale Baptist Church, Bristol has a very fine devotional commentary hidden under a bad title. "A Teachers Commentary on Matthew" (also a separate volume on Mark) is misleading, sounds D.O.A., and is easily passed over for something glossy. But as far as commentaries are concerned, Glover's title is one of his only weaknesses. Glover writes with a deceptively simple style. He meditates on the text in front of him, looks for the heart, feeling, and experimental sense, gives instructive hints primarily for meditation but is wholly quotable. In a word, he is a fine example of expository writing,

A Teacher's Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

#### **WILLIAM GODBEY**

Mark 13 Commentary

#### **GOSPEL COALITION**

Sermons on Mark - most Mp3

## **SCOTT GRANT Sermons**

- Mark 13:1-23 Labor Pains
- Mark 13:24-37 Candles in the Night

#### **JAMES GRAY**

Mark 13 - James Gray's Concise Commentary

# **DAVE GUZIK Commentary on the Gospel of Mark**

Mark 13 Commentary

# RICHARD HAWKER

Mark 13 - Hawker's Poor Man's Commentary

# DANIEL HILL VERSE BY VERSE

This expositional Bible study of the Gospel of Mark was written by Dr. Daniel Hill when he was the Pastor of Southwood Bible Church in Tulsa, Oklahoma. He taught the complete book, verse by verse. These are well done and have frequent points of practical application.

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# **MATTHEW HENRY**

Mark 13 Commentary

# **HOLMAN STUDY BIBLE NOTES**

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# H A IRONSIDE'S NOTES Gospel of Mark

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# ICC NEW TESTAMENT COMMENTARY Commentary on the Gospel of Mark E. P. Gould

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# LOWELL JOHNSON - well-done sermons providing a good template for your sermon

# Click here for following sermons all on one page

- 1. The Beginning of the End Mark 13:1-13
- 2. Jesus' Extended Forecast Mark 13:14-27
- 3. Pay Attention to Israel Mark 13:28-32
- 4. We'll Work Till Jesus Comes Mark 13:32-27

# **JOHN DANIEL JONES - Biography**

Note - Has wonderful devotional and pragmatic flavor.

Congregational preacher J.D. Jones brings out some of the most applicable lessons from Mark without dodging the difficult passages, and in doing so delivers what **Warren Wiersbe** calls "**one of the best**" **commentaries on Mark**." Now that is high praise! (from Logos.com)

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#### **WILLIAM KELLY**

Mark 13 Commentary

# STEVE KRELOFF

Mark Sermons (100) - Messianic Believer

# J P LANGE Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

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# JAMIESON, FAUSSET, BROWN Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

- Mark 13 Commentary
- Mark 13 Commentary unabridged

# **PAUL KRETZMANN**

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# J P LANGE Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

# **DAVID LEGGE Sermons on the Gospel of Mark**

Mark 13: Signs Of The Second Coming

# **JOHN LIGHTFOOT Commentary on the Gospel of Mark**

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#### HERBERT LUCKOCK

Cyril J. Barber - "A suggestive, devotional commentary of real merit."

Footprints of the Son of Man as Traced by St. Mark, being Eighty Portions for Private Study, Family Reading and Instructions
in Church 1893

# JOHN MACARTHUR Sermons on the Gospel of Mark

- Mark 13:1-13 The Grim Reality of the Last Days
- Mark 13:14-23 The Future Tribulation
- Mark 13:24-27 Coming in the Clouds
- Mark 13:28-37 The Final Generation, Part 1
- Mark 13:28-37 The Final Generation, Part 2

## **ALEXANDER MACLAREN Sermons on the Gospel of Mark**

- Mark 13:6, Lk 18:8 The Credulity of Unbelief
- Mark 13:34 Authority and Work

# F B MEYER Our Daily Homily or Our Daily Walk

- Mark 13 Commentary Through the Bible
- Mark 13:35

#### **HAW MEYER**

Mark 13 - Critical and Exegetical Commentary

# J VERNON MCGEE 'Thru the Bible'

Mark 13 Commentary

#### JOHN MACDUFF

Mark 13:34 Acceptance of the Little

# **JEFF MILLER Notes**

Mark 13:1-37 A Follower's Preparation

# **MONERGISM**

Mark Mp3 Messages

# **G CAMPBELL MORGAN**

Mark 13 Exposition (distinct from his commentary)

# **G CAMPBELL MORGAN Mark Commentary**

**Cyril J. Barber -** Emphasizes the concept of 'service' as the key to understanding this Gospel, and provides a fast-moving chronological exposition. Morgan's works should be in every preacher's library."

- Or Download 239 Page Pdf
- Mark 13 Watch

#### JAMES MORISON

**Spurgeon** - "A deeply learned work; we know of none more thorough. Differing as we do from this author's theology, we nevertheless set a high price upon this production."

**Cyril Barber** - A very full, devotional treatment. The overall strength of this exposition far outweighs its syntactical deficiencies."

- A Practical Commentary on the Gospel According to St. Mark introduction
- Mark Commentary

#### **ROBERT NEIGHBOUR**

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#### **NET BIBLE NOTES**

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# **JAMES NISBET Church Pulpit Commentary**

Mark 13

# **OUR DAILY BREAD Devotional and Sermon Illustrations**

- Mark 13 compilation
- Mark 13:31 The Enduring Word

# JOSEPH PARKER The People's Bible Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

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# **ARTHUR PEAKE**

Mark 13 Commentary

# **GENE PENSIERO - sermons**

Mark 13:1-37 – Watch Out For That Tree!

#### **PETER PETT**

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# MATTHEW POOLE English Annotations on the Holy Bible

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# PREACHER'S COMPLETE HOMILETICAL COMMENTARY Gospel of Mark

# THE PULPIT COMMENTARY Gospel of Mark: Scroll Down Page for the Homilies

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# **ROBERT RAYBURN SERMONS**

Mark 13:1-37 This same Jesus...will come back...

#### REFORMATION STUDY BIBLE STUDY NOTES

- Be aware these notes do not always take a literal approach to interpretation especially in eschatological passages
- Mark 13
- Mark 13:1
- Mark 13:2
- Mark 13:3
- Mark 13:4
- Mark 13:6
- Mark 13:7
- Mark 13:8
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- Mark 13:27
- Mark 13:28
- Mark 13:30Mark 13:31
- Mark 13:32
- Mark 13:35

# KIM RIDDLEBARGER - Downloads Pdf about 7 pages

- The Gospel Must First Be Preached -- Mark 13:1-23
- Watch -- Mark 13:24-37

# A. T. ROBERTSON Word Pictures on the Gospel of Mark

- Mark 13 Commentary
- Studies in Mark's Gospel 1919 134 pages Cyril J. Barber Does not follow a verse-by-verse exposition, but deals with introductory problems before discussing such items as miracles, parables, the teaching of Christ, Aramaic and Latin terms, and the disputed ending of the Gospel.
- The Teaching of Jesus in Mark's Gospel
- Making Good in the Ministry: a Sketch of John Mark

# **DON ROBINSON Sermons on Mark**

Mark 13:1-37 As The End Approaches

# J C RYLE Commentary on the Gospel of Mark

Mark 13 Commentary

# **JOHNNY SANDERS**

- The Gospel of Mark Volume 1 Bible Notebook
- The Gospel of Mark Volume 2 Bible Notebook
- Mark A Named Called Mark

#### PHILLIP SCHAFF

Mark 13 Commentary

#### **SERMON BIBLE**

Mark 13 Commentary

# **CHARLES SIMEON Sermons on the Gospel of Mark**

**NOTE**: If you are not familiar with the great saint **Charles Simeon** see Dr John Piper's discussion of Simeon's life - you will want to read Simeon's sermons after meeting him! - click <u>Brothers We Must Not Mind a Little Suffering</u>

Mark 13 Sermons

# **CHUCK SMITH Commentary and Sermon Notes**

- Mark 13 Commentary
- Mark 13
- Sermon Notes for Mark 13:1 Mark 13:1-4 Lord Of Glory

# JAMES SMITH HANDFULS OF PURPOSE

Click here for the following studies on the Gospel of Mark

- Mark 13.THINGS TO COME.
- Mark 13:33-37. THE MASTER AND HIS SERVANTS.

# **SPEAKER'S COMMENTARY**

Mark 7 Commentary 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16

#### **CLAUDE STAUFFER**

Mark 13:1-37

# **RAY STEDMAN Sermons on the Gospel of Mark**

Mark 13 Watch!

#### **JOHN STEVENSON**

Mark 13:1-31 Signs of the End

# JOSEPH SUTCLIFFE

Mark 13 Commentary

# **HENRY BARCLAY SWETE (1902)**

**Rosscup** writes - "Swete's work is one of the best older conservative commentaries on the Greek text. Swete was an Anglican minister and a scholar in Latin, Greek, and theology, and taught at Cambridge. He does a fairly good job on the Messianic character of the suffering Servant."

D A Carson says that Swete's commentary is "dull and stodgy, in spite of its thorough scholarship."

- Mark Commentary Main Page (heavy on Greek) -
- Enter page # in parenthesis to go to respective chapter
   Mark 1 (p1)

#### THIRD MILLENNIUM Notes on the the Gospel of Mark

- Kingdom Prophecies on the Mount of Olives Mark 13:1-37
- Destruction of the temple Mark 13:1-4
- Future persecutions Mark 13:5-25
- The coming(s) of the son of Man Mark 13:26-37

# **DEREK THOMAS SERMONS**

- Mark 13:1-37 Back to the Future (Part 2)
- Mark 13:1-37 Back to the Future (Part 1)

#### **GEOFF THOMAS SERMONS**

- 13:1-4. Jesus Predicts The Destruction Of The Temple
- 13:3-23 The Signs Of Judgment
- 13:24-27 The End Of The Age
- 13:28-37 Watching The Warning Signs
- 13:31 The Lord Whose Words Will Never Pass Away
- 13:32 The Knowledge Of The Son Of God

# **DAVID THOMPSON Sermons**

- Mark 13:1-13
- Mark 13:14-27
- Mark 13:28-37

# **TODAY IN THE WORD Devotionals**

Mark 13

#### **JOHN TRAPP**

Mark 13 Commentary

# **BOB UTLEY**

Mark 13 Commentary

# **JAMES VAN DINE**

Analysis of Mark

# **MARVIN VINCENT New Testament Word Studies**

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# **OCTAVIUS WINSLOW**

# Mark 13:34 Service, The Sphere and Culture of Spiritual Life

# STEVE ZEISLER Sermon on the the Gospel of Mark

- Mark 13:1-13 The Search For Security
- Mark 13:14-37 The Long Watch

# **SERMONS BY VERSE - Older expositions**

Beauty of Jerusalem	Dr. Porter.	Mark 13:1-2
Christ's Double Prophecy	J. A. Alexander, D. D.	Mark 13:1-2
God's Great Judgment on Israel	R. Glover.	Mark 13:1-2
Men Admiring Doomed Things	D. Thomas, D. D.	Mark 13:1-2
Ruin Ever Near	Sunday School Times	Mark 13:1-2
Temple Admiration	A.F. Muir	Mark 13:1, 2
The Destruction of Jerusalem	H. Gray, D. D.	Mark 13:1-2
The Discipline of Destruction	Warburton's Julian.	Mark 13:1-2
The Religious Use of Archeology	Dean Stanley.	Mark 13:1-2
The Ruins of the Earthly Jerusalem	H. Gray.	Mark 13:1-2
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Prophetic Adumbrations	E. Johnson	Mark 13:1-13
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Date Fixing	Sunday School Times	Mark 13:4
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The Credulity of Unbelief	Alexander Maclaren	Mark 13:6
The Sorrow of War	Julius C. Hare.	Mark 13:7
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Horrors of Famine At the Siege of Jerusalem		Mark 13:8
The Beginnings of Sorrows	The Preacher's Monthly	Mark 13:8
The Christian's Support in Troublous Times	R. Glover.	Mark 13:8
Extent of Apostolic Missionary Labours	H. M. Luckock, D. D.	Mark 13:10
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Christianity Causing Division	M. F. Sadler, M. A.	Mark 13:12
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Of Letting Go and Giving Up	W. Hoyt, D. D.	Mark 13:13
Perseverance	T. Adams.	Mark 13:13
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A Blasphemer's Death in the Snow	Baxendale's Dictionary of Anecdote	Mark 13:18
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Winter Useful and Beautiful	J. N. Norton, D. D.	Mark 13:18
Affliction Such as Never was and Never Shall Be		Mark 13:19
Afflictions God's Hired Labourers	Anon.	Mark 13:19
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Extraordinary Afflictions	Matthew Henry.	Mark 13:19
Sorrow an Instructor	Jean Paul.	Mark 13:19
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Science Points to the End of the World	Dr. Kemp.	Mark 13:26
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The Fulfilments of the Kingdom of God an Evidence of the Truth of Christianity	A.F. Muir	Mark 13:30, 31
The Perpetuity of Christ's Words	F. Wagstaff.	Mark 13:31
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A Believer's Watchfulness Like that of a Soldier	W. Mason.	Mark 13:32-33
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Watchfulness, a Preparation for the Coming of Christ	J. Benson.	Mark 13:35-36
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The Interval Between Christ's Going and Coming	J. Richardson.	Mark 13:37
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