

# WHY PEOPLE REJECT JESUS

MARK 11:27—12:27

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# TRANSFORMED BY THE TRUTH

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

1. To what extent has your spiritual journey been intellectual in nature? Do you think it is important to have a rational basis for your faith? Why or why not?
2. Read Mark 11:32, Mark 12:12 and Galatians 1:10. Have you ever allowed a concern about what others think to keep you from embracing the truth? If so, when? How can we overcome the temptation to be people-pleasers?
3. Read Mark 12:13-17. If your life can be compared to a house, are there any rooms that you keep God locked out of? If so, which ones? Why? What is keeping you from giving Him the key to those rooms?
4. Read Mark 12:24. On an educational scale (kindergarten-graduate school), how knowledgeable are you about the Bible? Do you find it easy or difficult to admit ignorance about Scripture? When is the last time you asked for help? What was the result?
5. Who do you know that, up to this point, has rejected Jesus? What do you believe is the real reason for their rejection of Him? How might God use you to address this issue in their life?