

MESSAGE APPLICATION GUIDE

JUST JESUS

Suffering King

Mark 14:66-15:15

Application

When you encounter a possible inconsistency or apparent “contradiction” in the Bible, what is your natural first response? Why?

Dave talked about how sometimes we feel the Spirit leading us to defend Christ while other times the most godly thing we can do is to just be still. Share about an occasion or setting when you felt that the Holy Spirit led you to do so? And was it through boldly speaking up or through remaining silent?

Have your group list some tangible ways that could help you be more apt to live a Spirit filled life instead of walking according to the flesh? (If they struggle to get started, share one of the following to help prime the pump. i.e. reading God’s Word regularly, fasting, keeping a journal of answered prayers, joining a small group to hold you accountable)

In Mark 15 we learn that Pilate was more worried about pleasing the crowd than doing what’s right. Which “audience” tends to pull you away from Christ and tempt you to please them? (Explain your answer...)

- a. Family
- b. Boss/Co-workers
- c. Worldly Friends
- d. Fill in the blank
