

Announcing the

SON OF GOD

from Mark's Gospel

Power On / Power Off

Mark 1:29-39

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- Seeking Jesus for success rather than surrendering to Him.

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**God touches us with
His power, so we can...**



touch others

Jesus Models for Us

“⁴²Jesus called them together and said, “You know that those who are regarded as rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and their high officials exercise authority over them. ⁴³Not so with you.

Instead, whoever wants to become great among you must be your servant, ⁴⁴and whoever wants to be first must be slave of all.

⁴⁵For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.”

Mark 10:42-45

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**What increases our
access to God's power?**



prayer

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- Prayer is powerful when I pray.
- Prayer is not about getting what I want.
- Prayer is about connecting with Jesus.

What is prayer?

- Prayer is talking and listening.

What is prayer?

- Prayer is talking and listening.
- Prayer changes us.

The patter of my
prayer life reveals...



...who I think is
in charge

Is my God...



...useful or
worthy?