

Baldwin Hills Baptist Church

Sunday, June 5, 2022

Sermon Scriptures

Matt. 14:1 ¶ At that time Herod the tetrarch **heard the news about Jesus,**

Luke 9:7 ¶ Now Herod the tetrarch **heard of all that was happening;** and he was greatly perplexed, because **it was said by some that John had risen from the dead,**

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Matt. 14:2 and **said to his servants, “This is John the Baptist; he has risen from the dead,** and that is why miraculous powers are at work in him.”

Luke 9:9 Herod said, “I myself had John beheaded; but who is this man about whom I hear such things?” **And he kept trying to see Him.**

Mark 6:16 But when Herod **heard of it, he kept saying, “John, whom I beheaded, has risen!”**

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Matt. 14:3, 4 **3** ¶ For when Herod had John arrested, he bound him and **put him in prison because of Herodias, the wife of his brother Philip.**

4 For John had been saying to him, “**It is not lawful for you to have her.**”

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Matt. 14:5 Although **Herod wanted to put him to death, he feared the crowd,** because they regarded John as a prophet.

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Mark 6:19, 20 **19** Herodias had a grudge against him and wanted to **put him to death** and could not *do so*; **20** for Herod was afraid of John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and **he kept him safe.** And when he heard him, he was very perplexed; but he **used to enjoy listening to him.**

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Mark 6:21 A strategic day came when Herod on his birthday gave a **banquet** for his lords and military commanders and the leading men of Galilee;

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Matt. 14:6 ¶ But when Herod’s birthday came, **the daughter of Herodias danced before them and pleased Herod,**

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Mark 6:22 and when the daughter of Herodias herself came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his dinner guests; and the king said to the girl, “Ask me for whatever you want and I will give it to you.”

Mark 6:23 And he swore to her, “Whatever you ask of me, I will give it to you; up to half of my kingdom.”

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Mark 6:24-25 **24** And she went out and said to her mother, “What shall I ask for?” And she said, “The head of John the Baptist.” **25** Immediately she came in a hurry to the king and asked, saying, “I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.”

Mark 6:26 And although the king was very sorry, yet because of his oaths and because of his dinner guests, he was unwilling to refuse her.

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Mark 6:27, 28 **27** Immediately the king sent an executioner and commanded *him* to bring *back* his head. And he went and had him beheaded in the prison, **28** and brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl; and the girl gave it to her mother.

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Matt. 14:12 His disciples came and took away the body and buried it; and they went and reported to Jesus.

Mark 6:29 When his disciples heard *about this*, they came and took away his body and laid it in a tomb.