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relative of Barnabas,  
co-laborer of Paul (Col. 4:10)  
and Peter (1 Pet. 5:13)  
possibly in Mark 14:51

**ARGUMENT:** Jesus is the unexpected King

**AUDIENCE:** Rome & beyond  
Complacent  
Hurting  
Underprivileged  
Rich  
Comfortable  
Hunted

**AIM:** To comfort and/or confront the church,  
inviting her to embrace the true way of Jesus

immediately, immediately (38 of 42x's)

**G**alilean ministry on the way to

**J**erusalem 

**The IDENTITY of the King**

Jesus demonstrates that he is the Son of God

(1:1-8:21)

**The WAY of the King**

Jesus clarifies what being the Son means

(8:22-10:52)

**The WORK of the King**

Jesus performs the work of the Son of God

(11:1-16:8)

Son (1:1)  
Heaven  
torn (1:10)

**S**overeign authority  
(1:21-34; 2:1-11; 4:35-41; 6:30-44; 5:35-43)

**S**ecrecy not fanfare  
(1:25, 34, 44; 3:12; 5:43; 7:24; 36; 8:26; 30; 9:9, 30)

**S**ervanthood  
(9:33-37, 38-41; 10:41-45)

**S**uffering  
(8:31, 34-38; 9:9-10, 30-32; 10:32-34)

**R**ighteousness & judgment

Criticized  
Betrayed  
Denied  
Beaten  
Crucified

**R**esurrection 

Son (15:38)

Curtain torn (15:39) (16:7-8)

**Disciples:** Who is this? (4:41) Did not understand; hard hearts (6:52, 8:17-21)

**Disciples:** grasping the identity but not the way (8:32-33; 9:19, 32; 10:15-16)

**Disciples:** Abandoned, denied afraid, said nothing (14:50-51, 71; 16:8)