
*Now We See in a Mirror Dimly
Mark 8:22–30
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Introduction

- I. A demonstration of earnest intercession. Mark 8:22

- II. A gradual, two-step healing of a blind man. Mark 8:23–26

- III. Opinions about Jesus abound. Mark 8:27–28

- IV. A breakthrough of spiritual sight. Mark 8:29–30

Questions for reflection:

- *How does this passage encourage us to intercede in prayer on behalf of others? Who are the people for whom God is calling you to intercede?*
- *How does the gradual healing of the blind man serve as an object lesson?*
- *Where is our sight dim? How can we spiritually see more clearly?*
- *The Jewish people had multiple opinions concerning the identity of Jesus. What are the most common opinions concerning Jesus today?*
- *What does Peter mean when he declares Jesus to be the 'Christ'? Why is this confession so important?*