He Gets Us.

Jesus Experienced Family Conflict

	Mark 3:20-35
1.	Jesus' <u>family</u> thought he was <u>crazy</u> .
2.	The <u>respected leaders</u> called Jesus <u>demonic</u> .
3.	Jesus formed a new, <u>forever family</u> and <u>invites</u> you to join.
4.	Fully commit to <u>God's family</u> (the church) and experience the richness of serving God <u>together</u> .

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MY APPLICATION

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

- 1. How would you describe your family growing up using the terms Great, Okay, or Terrible? If you feel comfortable, share the reason why you would say this.
- 2. Have you ever thought about Jesus experiencing family hurt? Read Mark 3: 20-30. What insight do you gain from this situation? Does it help you to know that Jesus understands our painful experiences?
- 3. Jesus calls the disciples his family. Read Mark 3:31-35. What does it mean to you to be a part of the church, God's family? Read Romans 8:15-17; Ephesians 2:19-22.
- 4. Are you optimistic or pessimistic about the future of the church in America? What will it take for Christians to take up their cross and follow Jesus?

Memory Verse

"Whoever does God's will is my brother and sister and mother."

Mark 3:35