

**THE GOSPEL OF MARK - "PRESS ON"**  
**MARK-9:2-13**

1. Can you share with your community group a story of experiencing "glory" in your own life? For example, a personal accomplishment, a child or other family member's victory, or maybe an actual "sense" of the glory of God? What does your heart really yearn for?
2. What is the context of this story of the transfiguration of Christ?
3. How does the fact that Jesus "must suffer" relate to the transfiguration of Jesus? What did we learn about the sufferings of Christ from Mark 8:31-38 and the call taking up the cross and following Jesus?
4. The word for transfiguration is also used in Romans 12:2. How are we to be transformed and what does that look like?
5. Why did Jesus take with him Peter, James, and John? What can we learn from that? Why do you think Peter wanted to stay?
6. What does the transfiguration teach us about Jesus? What was briefly displayed about him?
7. How is the Trinity displayed in this? Why is Moses and Elijah present?
8. Is any hope promised to us in this story?
9. Jesus brought them down to press onward. We know they indeed did. How does Jesus want you to press on?