**Series: Mark (Jesus - the Son of God)
Sermon: The Unforgivable Sin Bible Verses: Mark 3:20-35
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The people’s reaction to Jesus driving out demons was to wonder if he was the descendant of King David,
the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The people brought a man \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to Jesus. When he healed
the demon-possessed man from blindness and muteness everyone was “astonished”
– beside themselves with amazement and \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

The religious teacher claimed that the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ was using \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ power to drive out demons and heal people.

***By suggesting that Jesus’ power was from Beelzebul those teachers were purposefully \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus, attributing his amazing miracles to Satan and saying that the true God opposes him because he is possessed
and powered by a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.***

**Jesus gives three reasons he wasn’t using Satanic power:**

1. Satan wouldn’t \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ himself and oppose his own work.

2. If Jesus was using Satanic power to oppose demons the Pharisees \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_!

3. Jesus must drive out demons as \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_
 before he saves the world!

Blasphemy of the Holy Spirit is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ act.

**Blasphemy of the Holy Spirit involves:**

- Purposeful \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus as the Messiah, despite evidence.

- An absolute, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ refusal to believe that Jesus is God.

- Those actions lead to attributing an act of the Holy Spirit, that you know is an act of God, to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,
 \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ the work of God.

**Jesus sets clear \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ to know**

**if we are followers of his or not: our mouths.**