

**Sermon Notes**  
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**“THE KINGDOM OF GOD”**  
**(Mark 4:30-32)**

**Introduction:** Our text is a **{PARABLE}**. Jesus uses an object from nature to explain **{SPIRITUAL}** truth.

**I. THE **{POWER}** OF THE GOSPEL**

\*Mark 4:30-32      \*Romans 1:16      \*I Corinthians 1:18      \*Matthew 17:20  
\*John 15:4-5      \*John 8:30-32      \*II Peter 3:18

**Note:** This mustard seed refers to your **{FAITH}**!

1. The seed must be **{PLANTED/SOWN}**.
2. The seed must be **{NURTURED/GROWN}**.

**II. THE **{POTENTIAL}** OF THE GOSPEL**

\*Matthew 13:31-32      \*II Corinthians 5:17      \*Philippians 1:6      \*Luke 9:2  
\*Matthew 16:18      \*John 12:24      \*Luke 13:29      \*Revelation 7:9  
\*Isaiah 54:19      \*Isaiah 11:9

**Note:** This mustard seed also refers to the **{CHURCH}**.

1. This seed grows **{QUICKLY}**.
2. This seed grows **{ANNUALLY}**.

**Conclusion:** Are you part of the Kingdom of **{GOD}** (John 3:3)? Are you part of His **{CHURCH}** (Acts 2:41)?