

# MAD BAD OR GOD?

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LOOKING AT JESUS  
IN MARK'S GOSPEL

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**In fact, no-one can  
enter a strong man's  
house without first  
tying him up. Then he  
can plunder the  
strong man's house**

**MARK 3: 27**

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Do you  
believe in  
Evil?



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...think he is **MAD**

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## The teachers of the law... (v22-30)



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*A man who was merely a man and said the sort of things Jesus said would not be a great moral teacher.*

*He would either be a lunatic — on the level with the man who says he is a poached egg — or else he would be the Devil of Hell. You must make your choice.*

**– C.S. LEWIS**

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