



Daily Reflections

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Scripture

Mark 8: 11-13

The Pharisees came forward and began to argue with Jesus, seeking from him a sign from heaven to test him. He sighed from the depth of his spirit and said, "Why does this generation seek a sign? Amen, I say to you, no sign will be given to this generation." Then he left them, got into the boat again, and went off to the other shore.

Our Scripture Reflection

"He sighed from the depths of His spirit": In other words, Jesus is frustrated beyond human comprehension. Why? Because the religious leaders and teachers are demanding signs. They had received so many signs from God, in the Prophets, in the Commandments, in each book in the Holy Scriptures and most supremely in Jesus, Himself! But none of these was good enough. They were arrogant. They knew it all. Because of their lack of humility the gift of God's salvation was walking right by them. What fools!

Food for your Journey

I believe that imagination is stronger than knowledge.
That myth is more potent than history.

That dreams are more powerful than facts.

That hope always triumphs over experience.

That laughter is the only cure for grief.

And I believe that love is stronger than death.

-- Storyteller's Creed

from Robert Fulghum

A Prayer from the Heart

Dear God, Never let my ego get in the way of the revelation of Your love for me. Make me humble and open to You at all times. Amen