

*Valley Bible Church - Sermon Study Questions*

**Study Aid for the Sermon from October 12, 2014  
The Capitulation of John Mark  
Acts 13:13**

**Observing the text**

Where is Perga, and why were Paul and his companions there?

How did Mark end up with Paul in Perga?

Why did Mark return to Jerusalem?

What happened to Mark after he returned to Jerusalem?

Why do people start out in ministry and not finish?

**Applying the sermon**

When have you ever felt a desire to quit in your ministry to others?

What were the factors that contributed to this desire?

Compare or contrast this time with the situation that John Mark faced.

How did you respond at the time? Looking back, what do you think you could have done differently?

Take a moment to pray for your continued faithfulness to the service of Christ and for your encouragement to others who may feel tempted to quit.