

Series: Savoring the Savior  
**“A Question of Taxes”**

Mark 12:13-17

Harmony: Mtt. 22:15-22; Lk. 20:20-26

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Introduction:

1. THE TEST: Mark 12:13-15b

- PHARISEES: Then they sent to Him some of the Pharisees and the Herodians, to catch Him in His words. (Mark 12:13)
- JESUS: Catch Me if you can! (Mark 12:13)
- PHARISEES: Teacher, we know that You are true. (Mark 12:14a)
- PHARISEES: Is it lawful to pay taxes to Caesar or not? (Mark 12:14b,15a)
- JESUS: Why do you Test Me? (Mark 12:15b)

2. THE TESTIMONY: Mark 12:15c-17

- JESUS: Bring Me a denarius that I may see it. (Mark 12:15c)
- JESUS: Who's image and description is this? (Mark 12:16)
- PHARISEES: Caesar's (Mark 12:16b)
- JESUS: Render to Caesar the things that are Caesars and to God the things that are God's (Mark 12:17a)
- PHARISEES: And they all marveled at Him. (Mark 12:17)

Moment of Decision: