**The Death of a Conscience and the Silencing of a Servant**

**Mark 6:14-29**

**Herod’s Family Tree**

**·         Herod Antipas** is the son of **Herod the Great**.

·          **Aristobolus** is the half-brother of **Herod Antipas** and **Herod Philip**.

·         **Herod Antipas**, married the daughter of **Aretas I**,

·         **Herod Philip** married **Herodias**

·         **Herod Antipas** and **Herodias** had an affair and left their spouses and married one another.

**Overview of the Sermon**

* How we ought to respond to the Word of God –
* How we ought to deliver the word of God,

or

* How we ought to receive the message that God sends us.
* How we ought to be as messengers of God's message,
1. **Herod – Death of a Conscience –**
2. **Herod’s Confusion – verse 20**

1. **Herod’s Crime-verses 22-29**

1. **Herod’s Conscience—verse 16**

1. **John the Baptist – Silencing of a Servant**
2. **John the Shining Light – Matthew 11:7-11 ; John 5:35**
3. **John the Separated One—Mark 1:4-6**
4. **John the Sin Hater—verse 18**
5. **John the silenced one –Mark 6:29**