1. Jesus came to his hometown (πατρίς patris #3968) for the second recorded time since His ministry began. a. See [GM2: Rejected at Nazareth] for the first episode in Jesus' hometown. b. The last time He made them so angry they tried to kill Him (Luke 4:16-30).

2. Jesus teaching ministry caused astonishment. ἐκπλήσσω ekplēssō #1605.
   b. Wisdom (ἡ σοφία sophia #4678).
   c. Powers (αἱ δυνάμεις dunameis #1411).

3. His fellow Nazarenes could not overcome their subjectivity (Mt. 13:55-57; Mk. 6:3-4).
   a. The carpenter's son (Matt. 13:55) the carpenter (Mk. 6:3).
   b. Mother Mary and four brothers by name.
   c. Sisters (plural) “all with us” (Matt. 13:56) “here with us” (Mark 6:3).

4. The outcome of their subjectivity was an active unbelief.
   a. They took offense (Matt. 13:57; Mk. 6:3). Imperf.pass. σκανδαλίζω skandalizō #4624 cause to stumble, be led into sin. See Rom. 9:33; 1st Pet. 2:8 and Rom. 14:13,21; 1st Cor. 8:9,13 for “stumbling block” principles.
   b. He performed not many miracles because of their unbelief (Mt. 13:58; Mk. 6:5-6). ἀπιστία apistia #5701. See also ἀπιστέω apisteō #669 & ἄπιστος apistos #571. It is important to note that the text says both He “did not” (Matt. 13:58) and that He “could not” (Mark 6:5).