

What if Jesus Was Serious?
Week 5 - No Masters Here
Sunday, November 15, 2020

Do you relate to Jesus like you do a spare tire?

BIG IDEA: As Jesus-followers, we're all _____ in a craft where no one ever becomes a master.

PASSAGE: Matthew 6:19-34

3 Ways in Which Jesus-Followers Stand Out in the World

1. Jesus-followers stop using treasure as a _____ and start using treasure as a _____. (6:19-24)

2. Jesus-followers live with a freedom that allows them to take a deep _____. (6:25-32)

3. Jesus-followers don't just seek the Kingdom of God; they seek the Kingdom _____. (6:33-34)

NEXT STEPS:

1. Identify the place where you feel like a beginner in terms of following Jesus.
2. Determine what treasuring Jesus looks like in that area.
3. Memorize Matthew 6:33-34 as a reminder of our practice as "apprentices."

I Made a Decision:

If you made a decision to surrender your life to Jesus today, we would love to celebrate with you! Please text the word JESUS to (928) 288-5490 and one of our team members will follow up with you.

Ask a Question:

You can text your question about today's message to (928) 288-5490 or submit it via the comment section on YouTube or Facebook. We will do our best to share your question during our Q&A time

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

—ICEBREAKER: What is something that a lot of people you know can do but you have to ask for help with?

-Looking back at your notes from this week's teaching, was there anything you heard for the first time, caught your attention, challenged or confused you?

-Read Matthew 6:19-34. Which of the mindsets or actions that Jesus describes here do you struggle with the most? Why do you think that mindset or action is a challenging area for you?

-In this message, Pastor Scott used 3 different props - a spare-tire (our relationship with Jesus), a stuffed animal (to treasure something), and a baseball diamond (to seek the Kingdom first). Did God use one of those to challenge or encourage you? If so, share with the group.

-Pastor Scott shared a chart to compare the difference between living out of worry and scarcity and living out of freedom and abundance. Where did you see yourself in that chart? What is your next step in that area?

-What were your response in completing next steps 1 and 2? How can we encourage you as you apply this message to your life?

-We've only got two weeks to go in this series. What's your biggest lesson so far from this series?