

LESSON 37

MARK 10-13-22

REVIEW:

In our last lesson we talked about divorce. What did Moses say about divorce? (Mark 10:4) What did Jesus say about divorce? (Mark 10:9) After Jesus had talked about divorce, He talked about children.

READ MARK 10:13-16

JESUS LOVES THE CHILDREN



- Why did the mothers and fathers bring their little children and babies to Jesus? (verse 13)
- Underline the right ending about the disciples. (verse 13)

The disciples a) helped fathers and mothers get

their children to Jesus, b) loved little children, c) thought the children were in the way and rebuked them for coming to Jesus.

- When Jesus saw the disciples send the children away, how did He feel? (verse 14)
- 4. Jesus told the disciples three things in verse 14:
 - 1)
 - 2)
 - 3)
- 5. How must we receive the kingdom of God? (verse 15)
- What will happen to us if we do not receive the kingdom of God that way? (verse 15) "We ."

7. To receive means to take as a gift. When a mother gives a little child a piece of bread, he takes it. The little child does not have to know how to make bread. He does not have to know what bread is made from. He does not have to know

how hot the oven has to be to bake bread. All the child has to do is to take the bread and eat it. He does not even ask if it good for him. The child receives and eats the bread because his mother gives it to him. It must be good for him. He takes it by faith. He believes in his mother. The child trusts his mother. This is how Jesus says we must receive the kingdom of God. Just as the little child takes bread from his mother by simple faith, trust, and belief, so we receive the kingdom of God. As we take the Lord Jesus into our hearts and lives, God causes us to be born into His kingdom. Then the kingdom of God is in us, and we are in the kingdom of God.

Read Colossians 1:13. What does it say?

- Read Luke 17:21. Where does this verse say that the kingdom of God is?
 . (The Greek word here means "in the midst.")
- 9. How do you know that Jesus loves little children? (verse 16)
 - 1) Jesus
 - 2) He
 - 3) He

READ MARK 10:17-22

THE RICH YOUR RULER

Choose the right answers and write them in the blanks.

- When Jesus was going along the road, He saw a young man (walking around, sitting by the road, running toward Jesus) (verse 17)
- When the man came to Jesus, He (fell down, kneeled down, sat down) (verse 17)
- The young man was (rich, poor, a beggar) (Luke 18:23; Mark 10:22)
- 4. The young was a (scribe, publican, ruler) (Luke 18:18)
- 5. There was something this young man did not know. He did not know (how to preach, how to get eternal life, how to find his way home) (verse 17)



- 6. The young man asked Jesus ("What must I do?" "What must I not do?" "What must I believe?") to get eternal life (verse 17)
- 7. If the young man asked you that question, what would you tell him?
- 8. The rich young ruler called Jesus (Lord, Son of God, Good Master)
- 9. Jesus asked the young man why He called Him good. Jesus said, "(There are 5 good, There are 2 good, There is only one good)"
- 10. Who did Jesus mean was good?
- 11. Jesus told the young man what the Old Testament laws said he must do. List the six commandments that Jesus told the man (verse 19):

1)		
2)		
2) 3)		
4)		
5)		
6)		

12. Had the rich young ruler tried to be good? . How many of the six commandments did he say he had kept? (verse 20) .

After keeping all those commandments, the rich young ruler still knew that he did not have eternal life. (verse 17) He wanted Jesus to tell him what else he had to do to get to heaven.

- 13. How did Jesus feel about this young man? (verse 21)
- 14. Jesus loved this young ruler so he wanted to show him that his heart needed to be made right. Jesus told him that there was something he left out. So the man would know what He meant, Jesus told him to do four things. (verse 21)

What were the four things?

- 1) 2) 3) 4)
 - and
- 15. Was that a hard thing for the young man to do? . Why was it so hard? (verse 22)
- How did the young man feel about that? (verse 22) 16.
- 17. What did he do about it? (verse 22)

Jesus showed the rich young ruler that even if he thought he was good, there was sin in his heart. He loved his riches more than he loved Jesus.

- 18. By keeping his riches for himself, what did he loses? (verse 21)
- 19. By not giving his heart to Jesus and following Jesus, what else did this young man lose? (verse17)
- 20. Jesus taught the rich young ruler 1) how to get into the kingdom God, 2) how to get eternal life, 3) how to get great reward in heaven.



Jesus showed the young ruler that He did not want him to **DO some more** things. Jesus showed him that he must **GIVE something**. Jesus told the rich young ruler to give away his riches. But Jesus knew that he would not give away his riches to Jesus. He needed to believe Jesus unless he first gave enough to give himself and all he had to Jesus.

It is good to look into our hearts to see if there is anything that we love more than

we love Jesus. Is there any sin in our lives we would rather keep than to have **treasure** in heaven and eternal life?

"If I gained the world but not the Savior,

Were my life worth living for a day?"¹

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