

I Am Jesus: The Sermon On The Mount (Part 3) Matthew 6:14-34

VV.14-15: Jesus is not referring to salvation but rather our regular need for _____ and _____ from sin.

Forgiving other people is not what _____ you but forgiving other people is what _____ people do.

"Mercy triumphs over judgement" – James 2:13

VV.16-18: Jesus expects and assumes that His _____ will _____.

Believers fast for *direction* (e.g. Ezra, Nehemiah, Jesus, the Book of Acts) and *freedom*. For more info on fasting, see mynewhope.ca/blog/how-to-fast

VV.19-21: 2 Realities Relating to Wealth:

- 1) We are going to spend eternity in _____.
- 2) We are made to love the things we _____.

VV.22-23: *Parallels Luke 11:34-36 (also see 1 Timothy 6:17)*

V.24: *"mammon"* = wealth, riches (in Aramaic)

The believer must guard against being _____ by his _____.

See Matthew 16:26, Luke 16:11, & Hebrews 13:5.

VV.25-34: *Parallels Luke 12:22-34*

V.25: *"do not worry"* is a direct _____ from the Lord Jesus.

"Worry is the trickle of fear that soon cuts a crevasse so deep that it drains all other thoughts away." - Unknown

V.26: If we will focus on fulfilling our God-ordained _____ (bringing glory to Him), God will take care of all our _____.

See 1 Peter 5:7 & Philippians 4:6-7

V.30: Worry and stress about the future is a _____ issue.

"Where anxiety begins, faith ends. Where faith begins, anxiety ends." – George Mueller

V.33 is the Christian life summed up in a _____ and a _____.

V.34: We _____ for the future but we don't _____ on the future. We depend on Jesus.

Worry, anxiety, and stress about the future is _____.