

JESUS – Parable of the Unrighteous Steward - Luke 16:1-18 -

Memory Verses: Matthew 17:5; 18:21-22; John 8:12; 11:25; Luke 14:26-27

Review:

1. Why did Paul tell the people gathered at the Areopagus in Athens that all men should repent? (Acts 17:30-31) _____
2. On the second occasion of cleansing, whom did Jesus send away from the temple? (Mark 11:15) _____
3. The feeling of the chief priests and scribes toward Jesus may be described as (a) love, (b) fear, (c) trust, or (d) admiration. (Mark 11:18)
4. Jesus said He and the Father are _____. (John 10:30)
5. Explain the effort that it takes to enter the narrow door (heaven), according to Jesus. (Luke 13:23-24) _____
6. Discuss the parable Jesus told when he noted the guests picking out the places of honor at the table. Whom did Jesus say you should invite to your dinner? Why? (Luke 14:7-14) _____

7. Discuss the excuses of the guests invited to the great banquet in the story told by Jesus. (Luke 14:16-20) _____
8. Whom did Jesus say a person must hate in order to be His disciple? (Luke 14:26)

9. How eager was the father to receive back the son who had been lost? (Luke 15:20-24, 32) _____

Who Is Involved?

1. Who can serve two masters? _____
2. Who were lovers of money? _____
3. Who commits adultery? _____

Text Questions:

1. In Jesus' story, why did the rich man tell the steward that he could no longer keep his job? _____
2. The steward who had lost his job sought income by (a) digging; (b) begging; or (c) devising a shrewd plan. _____

3. Jesus spoke of the steward in his story as (a) righteous; or (b) unrighteous.

4. According to Jesus, how will an individual who is faithful in a very little thing act if he has many things? _____
5. What did Jesus say about an individual trying to serve God and riches at the same time? _____
6. How long were the law and the prophets proclaimed? What was preached after them? _____
7. According to Jesus, when does a divorced person commit adultery? _____

Additional Scriptures

1. True riches are eternal – 2 Corinthians 4:18
2. Earthly possessions are not our own – 1 Chronicles 29:14
3. 'Stroke of the letter of the law' – Matthew 5:18
4. Jesus gives reason for divorce – Matthew 5:32
5. Divorce under the Law of Moses – Deuteronomy 24:1-4
6. Divorce and remarriage – Romans 7:1-3; 1 Corinthians 7:10-16, 39

According to the Dictionary

1. Steward _____

In A Few Words

Briefly state what the lesson meant to you and how you can apply it to your life.
