

The Beloved Servant

Matthew 12:15-21

(series #71)

Intro: the unpopularity of Jesus with the leaders of Israel

- the Pharisees
- the Sadducees
- the Essenes
- the Scribes
- the Herodians
- the Zealots

I. The Withdraw of Jesus the Messiah v. 15

- A. He withdrew from the opposition (v. 14)
- B. He healed the multitudes v. 15
 - 1. Matt. 4:23; 14:14; 15:30; 19:2; 21:14
 - 2. Luke 4:40; 6:17-19; 9:11

II. The Warning of Jesus the Messiah v. 16

- A. He didn't want the wrong focus (Jn. 6:22-27)
- B. He didn't want to be seen as a Zealot

III. The Way of Jesus the Messiah vv. 17-21

- A. He was not a political or military leader
- B. He was gentle, tender, and compassionate
- C. He includes Gentiles in His salvation

Conclusion: Have you trusted in this precious Savior?