

9. The final 8 chapters of Matthew cover about how many days?
10. Why could the disciples NOT process the information Jesus gave them in verse 21?
11. As a good teacher, Jesus did what with passing along information to His disciples?
12. Jesus waited until near the end of the first century to give the information contained in what book of the Bible?
13. What did the disciples NOT even know about when Jesus said what He said in verse 27?
14. The point Jesus was making was: “You better be willing to give up _____ that holds you back because the day is coming when what you _____ in this _____ will have _____ ramifications.”
15. The main point the disciples and the crowd would have taken from these words is that there is a what?
16. What Bible references show that salvation is by grace through faith alone and NOT by works?
17. Why did Jesus say that He will reward each according to His works?
18. When God saves someone, what happens to his/her life?
19. What phrase, used in passages like I Corinthians 6:9, ought to get our attention?
20. What is so important to understand (from I Corinthians 6:9-10)?
21. In Galatians 5:19-21, Paul uses the word “prasso” which means what?
22. What are some other words that help us understand the concept of “practice” as used in Galatians 5:19-21?
23. Those whose lives are characterized by the unrepentant practice of sin will not do what?
24. In I John 3:4-10, the Apostle John is describing what kind of sin?
25. We’ve all been cowardly, or unbelieving, or said and done things that are sinful, but the issue is what?
26. Those who genuinely receive Christ are transformed by His grace so that what doesn’t characterize their lives?
27. Salvation is more than receiving forgiveness and eternal life. It is what?
28. Believing God and Jesus Christ is an act of what?
29. True, saving faith is also what kind of faith?
30. According to James 2, how can you tell if your faith is dead?
31. True saving faith results in a what?
32. The words of Matthew 16:28 probably weren’t a shock to the disciples because they assumed that they would be what?

33. How do we resolve the problem that all of the disciples are dead and Jesus hasn't returned to establish His kingdom?

34. In Matthew 17:1-2, Jesus is giving Peter, James, and John a glimpse of what?

35. Do you believe that Jesus' second coming and kingdom are absolute certainties? Do you believe that in such a way that it makes a difference in your life today?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

»»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?

»»How can I accomplish this change?

»»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Time:

- 1) **Read Matthew 1:1-17:8—As you read, can you put together a general outline of all of what you have read (and what we've studied, thus far in our series through Matthew)?**
- 2) **In Matthew 17:1-8, can you identify three things that would have been absolutely astonishing to the three disciples who were with Jesus?**

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A DAY OF FUTURE RECKONING

Matthew 16:27-28

(Series #95)

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**A Day of Future Reckoning.**" All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. How many of the 46 Old Testament prophets spoke of events connected with the second coming of Christ?
2. How many Old Testament passages refer to the second coming?
3. Out of the 7,959 verses in the New Testament, how many refer directly to the second coming?
4. For every time the Atonement is mentioned once, how often is the second coming mentioned?
5. The Lord Himself mentioned His return how many times?
6. If you were to study "eschatology" you would be studying what?
7. How do a lot of Christians view the subject of eschatology?
8. As we come to the text for this sermon we are in what part of Jesus' ministry?

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