



When Christ is Lifted Up!

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Text: John 12.31-36

Passage Summary: As the celebration of the triumphal entry of Jesus begins to subside, and His Divine appointment with the cross now looms near, we discover that Jesus will _____ to the occasion, not _____ from it!

180 Degree Truth #1: See how Jesus brought eternal _____ through _____ for all those who believe in His Name! (12:31-36)

"I tell you the truth, unless a kernel of wheat falls to the ground and dies, it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds."

John 12:24

Application: Recognize that when it comes to the eternal life brought about through the death of Jesus...

- Don't _____ the _____! (v.31-33)

"But I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all men to myself."

John 12:32

"Just as Moses lifted up the snake in the desert, so the Son of Man must be lifted up, that everyone who believes in him may have eternal life."

John 3:14-15

Remember: When it comes to the eternal life brought about through the death of Jesus, don't run from this moment, for as Paul stated to the Corinthians...

"For I _____ to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ and him _____."

1 Corinthians 2:2

- Don't _____ your _____! (v.34-36)

"Put your trust in the light while you have it, so that you may become sons of light."

John 12:36

"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will never walk in darkness, but will have the light of life."

John 8:12

"For he has rescued us from the dominion of darkness and brought us into the kingdom of the Son he loves, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins."

Colossians 1:13-14

Remember: When it comes to the eternal life brought about through the death of Jesus, don't run from this moment, for as Paul stated to the Galatians...

"May I never boast except in the _____ of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been _____ to me, and I to the world."

Galatians 6:14

Core Conviction to Live By: Resolutely determine to make it your aim to lift up the Name of Christ through a _____ of the gospel that is grounded in a resolve to know nothing except Jesus Christ and Him crucified (1 Corinthians 2:2), as well as through a _____ of the power of the gospel, that is to say, a life that serves as a living testimony of the hope of the crucified life of Christ in you! (Galatians 2:20)

"I have been crucified with Christ and I no longer live, but Christ lives in me. The life I live in the body, I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave himself for me."

Galatians 2:20

*"See from His head, His hands, His feet
Sorrow and love flow mingled down
Did ever such love and sorrow meet?
Or thorns compose, so rich a crown"*

Isaac Watts, When I Survey the Wondrous Cross