

The Value of One Soul - Luke 12:1-9

***REGARDING THE PHARISEES**

Pharisaical Attitude Condemned - 12:1 *...Beware ye of the leaven of the Pharisees, which is hypocrisy.*

Matt. 16:12 Then understood they how that he bade them not beware of the leaven of bread, but of the doctrine of the Pharisees and of the Sadducees.

Every Issue of Life Will Be Revealed - 12:2 *For there is nothing covered, that shall not be revealed; neither hid, that shall not be known.*

Rev. 20:11-15 And I saw a great white throne, and him that sat on it, from whose face the earth and the heaven fled away; and there was found no place for them. And I saw the dead, small and great, stand before God; and the books were opened: and another book was opened, which is the book of life: and the dead were judged out of those things which were written in the books, according to their works. And the sea gave up the dead which were in it; and death and hell delivered up the dead which were in them: and they were judged every man according to their works. And death and hell were cast into the lake of fire. This is the second death. And whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire.

Every Private Word Will Be Made Known Publicly - 12:3 *Therefore whatsoever ye have spoken in darkness shall be heard in the light; and that which ye have spoken in the ear in closets shall be proclaimed upon the housetops.*

I Cor. 3:11-15 For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any man build upon this foundation gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, stubble; Every man's work shall be made manifest: for the day shall declare it, because it shall be revealed by fire; and the fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is. If any man's work abide which he hath built thereupon, he shall receive a reward.

If any man's work shall be burned, he shall suffer loss: but he himself shall be saved; yet so as by fire.

***TEACHING FOR HIS DISCIPLES**

The World System Is Limited - 12:4 *And I say unto you my friends, Be not afraid of them that kill the body, and after that have no more that they can do.*

Jer. 1:8 Be not afraid of their faces: for I am with thee to deliver thee, saith the LORD.

Your Eternal Destiny Is Far More Important Than Your Physical Destiny -12:5 But I will forewarn you whom ye shall fear: Fear him, which after he hath killed hath power to cast into hell; yea, I say unto you, Fear him.

The Lord's Omniscience Is Not Limited - 12:6 Are not five sparrows sold for two farthings, and not one of them is forgotten before God?

John 5:22 For the Father judgeth no man, but hath committed all judgment unto the Son:

John 5:27 And hath given him authority to execute judgment also, because he is the Son of man.

Every Detail of Our Lives Is Known - 12:7 But even the very hairs of your head are all numbered. Fear not therefore: ye are of more value than many sparrows.

Receive Christ and Have Everything - 12:8 Also I say unto you, Whosoever shall confess me before men, him shall the Son of man also confess before the angels of God:

1 Peter 4:13 But rejoice, inasmuch as ye are partakers of Christ's sufferings; that, when his glory shall be revealed, ye may be glad also with exceeding joy.

Deny Christ and Loss It All -12:9 But he that denieth me before men shall be denied before the angels of God

1 John 2:23 Whosoever denieth the Son, the same hath not the Father: (but) he that acknowledgeth the Son hath the Father also.

2 Peter 3:7 But the heavens and the earth, which are now, by the same word are kept in store, reserved unto fire against the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men.

BE READY FOR HIS COMING: 2 Peter 3:10-14

...But the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness, Looking for and hasting unto the coming of the day of

God, wherein the heavens being on fire shall be dissolved, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat? Nevertheless we, according to his promise, look for new heavens and a new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness. Wherefore, beloved, seeing that ye look for such things, be diligent that ye may be found of him in peace, without spot, and blameless.