



Missed Reward

The Rich Young Man (Mark 10:17-31)

What can be gained from this account?

A lesson about how to get eternal life:

We cannot trust in ourselves, in our own goodness, in our own sufficiency, etc

We must rely on God.

“No one is good—except God alone”

“One thing you lack...follow me”

“how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God!”

“With man this is impossible, but not with God; all things are possible with God.”

A lesson about how someone can miss out on life and hold on to something less

A lesson about how following Jesus is rewarded

When Jesus asks us to give something up, He asks for our good: We can trust Him.

When we trust Him, He gives us greater than what we gave up, including eternal life

If we will trust and follow Jesus it will be worth it!

Luke 12:32-34 “Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. ...