

STUDY QUESTIONS CONT'D

9. Hebrews 12:1-2 says to fix our eyes on Jesus. Why should we fix our eyes on Jesus?

10. Who is your god today?

WHAT IS THE GOSPEL?

The word “gospel” means “good news.” The Gospel, or good news, of Jesus Christ is that He did what no one could ever do. You see, God loves us, but ever since Adam and Eve sinned against God, every human being has sinned and therefore cannot come into God’s presence because He is holy and perfect. As much as we try, we cannot bridge the gap to God because of our sinful nature. We can never be good enough to reach God. Good works, religion, philosophy and morality all fall short of God’s perfection.

God loves us so much that He sent His Own Son, Jesus Christ, to bridge the gap (John 3:16). Jesus did what no one else could ever do, because He is both God and human, born to Mary. He took upon Himself the punishment we deserve, dying on the cross in our place. Now, through a relationship with Jesus Christ, we can come before a holy God. That is the good news! We enter a relationship with Jesus by placing our faith and trust in Him and Him alone for our salvation. Do you have a relationship with Jesus Christ?

The good news doesn’t end there. Not only can we have eternal life through Jesus, but we also now can live without being condemned because of sin. Jesus paid the price for our sins, and He lives within those who have placed their trust in Him. In Christ, not only have we secured our future in eternity with God, but we have the Holy Spirit living in us to help us today to live for Christ. For more information on how to know God, check our website at www.gbcmilescity.com.

SERMON NOTES

Who is your god?

Exodus 20:3-5a

“You shall have no other gods before me. “You shall not make for yourself an image in the form of anything in heaven above or on the earth beneath or in the waters below. You shall not bow down to them or worship them;...

What People Valued based on the Old Testament

- **Genesis 3:5-7**

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- **Exodus 14:9-20**

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- **1st Samuel 2:27-29, 3:12-13**

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SERMON NOTES

What People Valued Based on the New Testament

1. Luke 15:11-13
2. Matthew 26:69-74
3. Philippians 3:4-6

For something to be a god it requires 3 things.

1. It has our
2. It has our
3. It has our

Testing our lives for god's

1. Psalm 119:11
2. Hebrews 12:1-2

Who is the judge?

1. Hebrews 4:12-13
2. Jeremiah 17:9-10

STUDY QUESTIONS

1. What does your life revolve around?
2. If you were to compile a "Top 10" value list what would be number 1?
3. How often do you place other things in front of God?
4. What is one thing in your life that becomes a god to you?
5. What are some areas in your life that has your time, your heart, and your soul?
6. What are some great gifts but horrible gods?
7. Read Matthew 6:19-21. What are some things you try and store up here on the earth?
8. Psalm 119:11 says to hide God's word in our hearts. What does that mean?

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