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Rewards and Costs to Following and Serving Jesus

- The Encounter with the Rich Ruler

Success but..... A Messed Up Value System

- The Price of Everything but the Value of _____
- Valuing Things and Using People

Mark 10:28-31

Then Peter....What Do We Get?

- Legitimate Question Mt 6:19-20
- Clarifying Rewards: God Doesn't Owe Us or Need Us
- 1 Cor 3:12-15 A Surprising and Sobering Day

The Cost and Reward..... A 100 Fold

- The Apostles as an Example
- Payback Beyond Any Sacrifice 1 Cor 2:9
- The 1st and the Last..... Coming Later but Are Coming

Mark 10: 32-37

Final Journey to Jerusalem

- Amazed and Afraid? The Pace, His Face and Opposition
- 4th Prediction of His Death with More Detail
- Lk 18:34 Selective Hearing

James' and John's Request

- Self Promotion to VP's in the Kingdom
- Playing the Family Card.... Mt 20:20 Salome- Mary's Sister

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Mark 10: 38-40

The Cup and The Baptism

- The Cup Isa 51:17 Our Cup of Wrath
- The Baptism, A Symbol of Death- Immersed in Our Sin

They Will Drink and Be Baptized

- James 1st Martyr, Beheaded Acts 12:1-2
- John’s Martyrdom, A Long Life, Boiled and Banished

God Offers You a Cup

- Our Second Decision and Life’s Greatest Reward

Mark 10:41-45

The Ten Are Mad?

- Lk 22:24 The Last Apostolic Debate....Who is the _____?
- Acting Like Romans, Emulating the Wrong Model
- Why This Generation is So Skeptical

The Remedy.... A Servant and a Slave

- Servant: (Diakonos) Table Waiter, Temporary Employee
- Slave: (Doulous) Bond Slave for Life
- Our Ransom : Our Release from Being Kidnapped