

Adult Sunday School

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What is Your LIFE?

Text: James 4:13-17; Luke 12:13-59

INTRODUCTION

- LIFE is far too undervalued with homicide, suicide and infanticide so common place.
- Without God, LIFE is vanity. (Ecclesiastes)
- Of what does a person's life truly consist?

1. LIFE is a precious gift from God. (& God Preserves Life)

Genesis 2:7 And the LORD God formed man of the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and man became a living soul.

Genesis 45:5 Now therefore be not grieved, nor angry with yourselves, that ye sold me hither: for God did send me before you to preserve life

John 11:25 Jesus said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: ←He is the Source and Our Lives belong to Him.

2. LIFE means action.

alive; moving; running; making merry; age; appetite; a breathing creature; Life; to live; quick; breathe

3. LIFE depends on food and water.

Mt 4:4 But he answered and said, It is written, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.

4. LIFE is a victory over death!

1Co 15:54 So when this corruptible shall have put on incorruption, and this mortal shall have put on immortality, then shall be brought to pass the saying that is written, Death is swallowed up in victory.

Job 14:14 If a man die, shall he live again? all the days of my appointed time will I wait, till my change come.

LIFE IS A STRUGGLE AGAINST DEATH!

5. LIFE is a choice.

Deuteronomy 30:19 I call heaven and earth to record this day against you, that I have set before you life and death, blessing and cursing: therefore choose life, that both thou and thy seed may live:

6. LIFE is being rich toward God.

Luke 12:20-21— 20 But God said unto him, Thou fool, this night thy soul shall be required of thee: then whose shall those things be, which thou hast provided? 21 So is he that layeth up treasure for himself, and is not rich toward God.

7. LIFE is an opportunity.

→Fully rely on God. (Luke 12:13-59)

v. 31 But rather seek ye the kingdom of God; and all these things shall be added unto you.