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Sermon-Based Discussion Guide

Date 9/1/24 Bryce Taylor Watch the sermon at <u>manheimbic.org/sermon</u>.



BIBLE PASSAGES - Matthew 28:18-20, 25:41-46

Matthew 28:18 Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. 19 Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, 20 and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."

Matthew 25:41 "Then he will say to those on his left, 'Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. 42 For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, 43 I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.'

44 "They also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?' **45** "He will reply, 'Truly I tell you, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.' **46** "Then they will go away to eternal punishment, but the righteous to eternal life."

Other Passages: John 5:19, Col. 3:2-10, Luke 4:1-2,14-15, Lk. 19:5-6, Mt. 8:2-3, Mt. 9:10, Lk. 7:34, Mark 6:30-32, Mark 7:6-8, Matt. 6:19-21, Romans 12:4-8

Connect:

Get to know each other. Connect, warm up to each other, and take time to fellowship.

Care:

Carry each other's burdens. Share life's challenges and practice Soul Care. Pray together.

Challenge:

- 1. Where do I invest my Time? Where do I invest my Treasures? Where do I invest my Talents?
- 2. When did you last fast and pray?
- 3. When did you last slow down enough you could invite someone over for a meal?
- 4. Will you move your life towards being more invested? And what area are you being called into action right now?
- 5. What gets your time? Which financial investment are you most excited to make each month? Who should you talk to about your talent being used to serve the Lord?

Clarify:

Does anyone need clarity on something? Are there any big God questions you are wrestling with?

Celebrate:

Celebrate life's successes and God's provision. Worship God's presence. Time to brag about God.

KEY TAKEAWAYS