


SERMON
ON THE
MOUNT

Matthew 5-7


THE KINGDOM:

- ▶ Character of the “Blessed”
 - ▶ Influence of the light/salt
 - ▶ Unless your righteousness...
 - ▶ Be holy as I am holy...
 - ▶ Alms, prayer, fasting
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The 2 Ways – 6:19-34

- ▶ **Next section focus...no gray areas**
 - ▶ **Life is choices... our heart's war**
 - ▶ **What is our destiny/destination?**
 - ▶ **Ambition, priorities = integrity & trust**
 - ▶ **From the private, to the priorities**

Look at the picture:

- ▶ **Moth & rust, thieves...**
 - ▶ **If these can effect it, not eternal!**
 - ▶ **What is of value today?**
 - ▶ **What is at risk of being “lost”?**
 - ▶ **“for yourselves...”**
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The 2 Treasures

- ▶ **Earthly/heavenly...**
- ▶ **Materialism, power, possessions?**
- ▶ **Not saving, good stewardship...**
- ▶ **Hording, accumulating, hard-hearted**
- ▶ **Luke 12:15-21; 2 Peter 2:1-3, 12-15**

The 2 Visions

- ▶ Eye problems anyone?
- ▶ Lamp of the body?
- ▶ Controls our passions, priorities, plans
- ▶ Easily tricked, deceived
- ▶ Single, clear – one thing at a time...

Looking with light

- **Eyes of your heart –**
 - **Num 15:39; Eph 1:18; 1 Cor 2:9**
 - **Much to allure, distract, dazzle**
 - **Heavenlies view – Eph 1:18-23; 2:5-10**
 - **Focus determines destination**