

Sermon on the Mount XIX

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RIGHTEOUS	TEN	PRESERVE	TASTED
EIGHT	LAODICEA	HOLY	GOOD
WORD	LIGHT	LIFE	TEACH
EXCELLENCIES	SPEAK	GLORY	CITY
ON A HILL	LAMP	SHINES	EATEN

SOLOMON SAYS

When the wicked are increased, transgression increaseth; But the righteous shall look upon their fall.

Correct thy son, and he will give thee rest; Yea, he will give delight unto thy soul.

Where there is no vision, the people cast off restraint; But he that keepeth the law, happy is he.

Proverbs 29:16-18

Our society is dealing with civil unrest due to a lack of vision. Vision in the text is not “having a clear perception of the future,” but rather a lack of “keeping the law,” and “casting off restraint.”

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Welcome

It is a pleasure to have you with us this hour. Our endeavor is to worship God in Spirit and in Truth by adhering to the scriptures in all that we do and teach.

If you desire to have a private Bible Study at your convenience, let us know.

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Development of a Juvenile Delinquent

There are certain articles that do not get old. Not only due to the material therein but also to the condition of the nation that, though it seems to be beyond repair, has not changed all that much. Well, in certain areas.

The first time I read this article from which these points are arranged was in the 70's. What's interesting about the information is the livingness of the points: time changes, but society remains.

This article was released by the Houston, Texas Police Department. Enjoy the look into the mirror and the reflection of a society's development of a Juvenile Delinquent.

1. Begin with infancy to give the child everything he wants. In this way he will grow up to believe the world owes him a living.
2. When he picks up bad words, laugh at him. This will make him think he's cute. It will also encourage him to pick up cuter phrases that will blow off the top of your head later.
3. Never give him any spiritual training. Wait until he is 21 and then let him decide for himself. (Continued on Pg. 2)

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4. Avoid use of the word “wrong.” He may develop a guilt complex. This will condition him to believe later, when he is arrested for stealing a car, that society is against him and he is being persecuted.
5. Pick up everything he leaves lying around—books, shoes, and clothing. Do everything for him so he will be experienced in throwing all responsibility onto others.
6. Let him read any printed matter he can get his hands on. Be careful that the silverware and drinking glasses are sterilized but let his mind feast on garbage.
7. Quarrel frequently in the presence of your children. In this way they will not be shocked when the home is broken up later.
8. Give a child all the spending money he wants. Never let him earn his own. Why should he have things as tough as you had them?
9. Satisfy his every craving for food, drink and comfort. See that every sensual desire is gratified. Denial may lead to harmful frustrations.
10. Take his part against neighbors, teachers, and policemen. They are all prejudiced against your child.
11. When he gets into real trouble, apologize for yourself by saying, “I never could do anything with him.”
12. Prepare for a life of grief. You will be apt to have it.

It is no surprise that society has a blight: such is the result of the path of the natural man.

The apostle Paul addressed this condition on many occasions. Namely, Romans 10:3, saying, “For being ignorant of God’s righteousness, and seeking to establish their own, they did not subject themselves to the righteousness of God.”

When God’s righteousness, i.e., standard, is rejected, the result always leaves a scar: young parents ignorant of God’s standard establish their own to the ruin of home and nation.

As the nation faces numerous uprisings, protests and walk outs, the following link (which can be found on www.jonescoc.org) reveals the dangers of undisciplined youth: [Violence in Schools](#)

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Matt. 5:1—8:1

Christian’s Relationship to the World

I. 5:13 – Salt of the Earth:

- A. Job 6:6-7 - Can that which hath no savor be eaten without salt?
- B. Gen. 18:16-32 - The sins of Sodom and Gomorrah grieved God, and the presence of ten righteous would have preserved it.
 1. Gen. 18:16-32 – Ten would preserve.
 2. 2 Pet. 2:5 – Eight were preserved.
- C. Salt makes the world more palatable to ... God.
- D. Sons of God can lose their savor:
 1. Rev. 3:15-16 – Laodicea
 2. 2 Pet. 2:20-22 – Turn back from the holy
 3. Heb. 6:4-6 – Tasted the good word then turned away

II. 5:14 – Light of the World:

- A. Jesus is the true light:
 1. Jn. 1:4-5 – Is the light of men
 2. Jn. 8:12 – Will give the light of life
 3. Eph. 5:8-9 – Teach how to walk as children of light
- B. Phil. 2:14-15 – You will be seen as lights in the world.
- C. As lights:
 1. 1 Pet. 2:9 – Show the excellencies of him who called you.
 2. Titus 2:10 – Adorn the doctrine of God.
 3. 1 Pet. 2:12 – None can speak against you.
- D. 1 Cor. 10:31 – Do all to the glory of God.
- E. Vs. 14 - A city set on a hill
- F. Vs. 15 – A lamp that shines to all
- G. Vs. 16 – Even so, let your light shine.