

The Rich Man & Lazarus

Luke 16:19-31

- **Jesus teaches us about death**
 - Death is not the end of our existence – vs.22-23
 - Genesis 1:26; c.f. John 4:24
 - 2 Corinthians 4:16
 - Death = separation
 - James 2:26
 - Genesis 2:17
 - Death is no respecter of persons – vs. 22
 - Job 21:23-26
 - Where we go at our death – vs. 22-23
 - Hades
 - Psalm 16:10; Acts 2:27
 - Luke 23:43
 - Later
 - Acts 24:15
 - Hebrews 9:27-28

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vs. 25

• Offered to all, but not universal

• 1 Timothy 2:3-4

• According to works while living

• 2 Corinthians 5:10

• Galatians 6:7

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 - What kind of man was the rich man?
 - Verse 19
 - Matthew 22:37-39
 - Luke 10:25-37
 - Uncaring simply by being rich? No.
 - 1 Timothy 6:17
 - Luke 12:13-21
 - James 1:27
 - 1 Timothy 6:17-19
 - What kind of man was Lazarus?
 - Romans 2:6
 - Psalm 73
 - 1 Corinthians 1:26-29
 - Deuteronomy 8:11-18
 - Proverbs 14:16

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- ✓ **Jesus teaches us about the reality of only two possible outcomes**
 - Hades a glimpse of heaven & hell
 - Mark 9:43-44
 - Matthew 25:34
 - Lost
 - Tormented
 - Saved
 - Comforted
 - 2 Thessalonians 1:3-10
 - No second chances
 - No purgatory
 - No vicarious baptism

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- ✓ **Jesus teaches us the value of the revealed, written truth that we already have – vs. 27-31**
 - The rich man's desire & Abraham's reply
 - John 5:46
 - "Let them hear them"
 - The rich man's answer: "No"
 - The rich man's answer is repeated in every age
 - Denial of the sufficiency and power of divine revelation in Scripture
 - Disrespect of the Word...and of God
 - Abraham's answer
 - Romans 10:17
 - Romans 1:16-17
 - Hebrews 2:2-3
 - Acts 17:2-3
 - John 20:30-31