

Remnant Life Church
November 17, 2013
“What Truly Matters?”
Mark 10:17-27

- Rich young man and his 4 mistakes
 - He did not recognize Jesus for who He was
 - CS Lewis – Jesus was either a liar, lunatic or the Son of God
 - He did not realize his own faults
 - He did not understand what was lacking – knowing God
 - He did not understand the grace of God
 - He focused on what He had not done not what God had
 - He gave up and went away
 - We are always the ones to turn our backs on God
- A very personal account relating to a situation occurring right now in our family

What God has been speaking to my heart over these last 2 days

1. We are promised nothing beyond this moment
 - **Rom. 11:34** - *“Who has known the mind of the Lord? Or who has been his counselor?”*
 - We fail to understand and appreciate how fragile life is and how quickly it can change
 - 11/22/63; 1/28/86; 9/11/01
2. Only two choices in our entire lives will secure our eternity
 - a. Accept Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior
 - i. John 14:6 – “I am the way...”
 - b. Reject Him
 - i. Both heaven and hell are real places despite all those who deny it
 - ii. **Matt. 10:28** - *Do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. Rather, be afraid of the One who can destroy both soul and body in hell*
3. There are those in your life right now that God has you praying for
 - a. Don't give up
 - b. Increase your efforts
 - c. This is about nothing less than eternity
4. Expect breakthrough
 - a. This house has been prophesied over as a house of breakthrough
 - i. Cindy
 - ii. Ruthie praying for Mom yesterday
 - b. We are already beginning to see it
 - i. Dottie and Steve
 - ii. Michelle Davis
 - iii. Me and Dad
 - c. What are you believing God for in your life that needs a breakthrough?

- i.* The words of Jesus are recorded in Matthew, Mark and Luke that what is impossible for man is possible for God because to Him nothing is impossible
- ii.* Healing for your marriage; restoration of finances; healing for your body; salvation for loved ones or friends; healing for our nation