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## Scriptures, Questions, & Assignment

1. What did you learn from your study of Matthew 25:31-46, Mark 12:28-34, and Luke 10:25-37?
2. What is Jesus telling you in Luke 14:33? How will you answer Him?

**Luke 14:25-30 (NLT):** *"If you want to be my disciple, you must, by comparison, hate everyone else – your father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters – yes, even your own life. Otherwise, you cannot be my disciple. And if you do not carry your own cross and follow me, you cannot be my disciple.*

*"But don't begin until you count the cost. For who would begin construction of a building without first calculating the cost to see if there is enough money to finish it? Otherwise, you might complete only the foundation before running out of money, and then everyone would laugh at you. They would say, 'There's the person who started that building and couldn't afford to finish it!'" (Luke 14:25-30, NLT)*

**Luke 14:33 (NLT):** *"So you cannot become my disciple without giving up everything you own."*  
(Luke 14:33, NLT)

**Luke 14:33 (NKJV):** *"So likewise, whoever of you does not forsake all that he has cannot be My disciple."* (Luke 14:33, NKJV)

**Luke 14:33 (CSB):** *“In the same way, therefore, every one of you who does not renounce all his possessions cannot be my disciple.” (Luke 14:33, CSB)*

**Luke 14:33 (the Voice):** *“In the same way, if you want to be My disciple, it will cost you everything. Don’t underestimate that cost!” (Luke 14:33, the Voice)*

**3. What is standing in the way of making a complete commitment to Jesus? Why?**

**John 13:34-35 (NLT):** *“... Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples.” (John 13:34-35, NLT)*

**John 15:16-17 (NLT):** *“You didn’t choose me. I chose you. I appointed you to go and produce lasting fruit, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask for, using my name. This is my command: Love each other.” (John 15:16-17, NLT)*

**Matthew 19:18-22 (NLT):** *“You must not murder. You must not commit adultery. You must not steal. You must not testify falsely. Honor your father and mother. Love your neighbor as yourself.”*

*“I’ve obeyed all these commandments,” the young man replied. “What else must I do?”*

*Jesus told him, “If you want to be perfect, go and sell all your possessions and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me.”*

*But when the young man heard this, he went away sad, for he had many possessions.*

**(Matthew 19:18-22, NLT)**

**Luke 14:33 (NLT):** *“So you cannot become my disciple without giving up everything you own.” (Luke 14:33, NLT)*

**Matthew 19:23-26 (NLT):** *“I tell you the truth, it is very hard for a rich person to enter the Kingdom of Heaven. I’ll say it again – it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the Kingdom of God!”*

*The disciples were astounded. “Then who in the world can be saved?” they asked.*

*Jesus looked at them intently and said, “Humanly speaking, it is impossible. But with God everything is possible.” (Matthew 19:23-26, NLT)*

**Ezekiel 36:25-27 (NLT):** *“Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean. Your filth will be washed away, and you will no longer worship idols. And I will give you a new heart, and I will put a new spirit in you. I will take out your stony, stubborn heart and give you a tender, responsive heart. And I will put my Spirit in you so that you will follow my decrees and be careful to obey my regulations.” (Ezekiel 36:25-27, NLT)*

## Assignment

Spend a bit of time this week considering the events and teachings of the Last Supper. These are found in [Matthew 26:17-30](#), [Mark 14:12-26](#), [Luke 22:7-38](#), [John 13 - 17](#), and [1 Corinthians 11:17-34](#).

- This week, read [Matthew 26:17-30](#), [Mark 14:12-26](#), [Luke 22:7-38](#), [John 13 - 17](#), and [1 Corinthians 11:17-34](#) through.
- What do you find comforting in these passages?
- Is there anything about these passages that make you uncomfortable? Why do you think that is?
- What does the Lord's Supper mean to you? Why?
- How do you keep the Lord's Supper meaningful and not just a ceremony you take part in every once in a while?
- What is the most important message you see?
- How will what you have learned affect the way you live your life? Why?

## Communion Sabbath, Nov. 21, 2020



We will be having a Communion Service next Sabbath. To participate from home you may pick up some communion cups from the church found in the Operation Christmas Child drop-off box outside the west lobby entrance (side facing the school building). Take as many as you need for your family to use. These have a communion wafer when you peel away the first layer of the top,

and then you peel the second layer for the grape juice.

If you can't get by the church you may pick up some unleavened crackers from the grocery store and some grape juice. Triscuits, most Water Crackers, and Wasa Crackers are all unleavened as are many of the gluten free crackers. You don't need to skimp on these as the supply of Jesus' grace is abundant. Hope you can participate with us next Sabbath!

