

WHAT IS JESUS WORTH?

Selected Scripture

- 1) To the powerful, Jesus is a means to an end.
- 2) To the transformed, Jesus is worthy of <u>extravagant</u>, <u>personal</u>, impactful worship.
- 3) To the self-absorbed, Jesus is a <u>blessing dispenser</u>.

Lessons from Jesus:

- Don't sweat the <u>opposition</u>. God will accomplish His plans.
- Don't miss the <u>opportunity</u> to express your love for Jesus. You only get one life.

MY APPLICATION

Use the following questions this week to reflect on what it would mean to align yourself with the truths taught in Scripture. Each question is meant for both personal reflection and as a catalyst for discussion with your family, friends, or small group.

- 1. Why are the powerful religious leaders trying to eliminate Jesus rather than believe in Him? (See Matt. 26:3-4; John 11:47-53) Do you know people who view believing in Jesus as a threat to their way of life?
- 2. Read the account of Mary in John 12:1-8 and compare it to Mark 14:3-6. What does each writer bring out in the story (note the reference in John 12:1 to the "six days." This refers to His initial arrival in Bethany. The dinner happened four days later on Wednesday)?
- 3. Have you ever expressed your love to Jesus in a dramatic way? What was that like?
- 4. How do you answer the question "what is Jesus worth to me?"

MEMORY VERSE

I tell you the truth, wherever the gospel is preached throughout the world, what she has done will also be told, in memory of her.

Mark 14:9