



# Choosing The GOOD Part

*Luke 10:38-42*



# WHAT IS 'THAT GOOD PART'?

- **THAT WHICH COMES FROM GOD**      **Luke 10:39, 42; Josh. 24:15**
- **HIS WORD**      **1<sup>st</sup> Sam. 12:23; Psa. 96:2; 1<sup>st</sup> Jn. 2:5**
- **GODLY THINGS**      **Titus 2:11, 12**
- **A LOVING ATTITUDE**      **John 15:12; Lk. 10:25-37; Eph. 5:2**



# WHAT IS 'THAT **GOOD** PART'?

- THAT WHICH IMPROVES THE SPIRITUAL

- SITTING AT THE FEET OF JESUS

**Jas. 4:10; Eph. 5:24**

- HEARING AND DOING GOD'S WORD

**Mt. 7:21-27; Jn. 12:47, 48**

- MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE PHYSICAL

**John 18:36; 1<sup>st</sup> Peter 1:3, 4**



# CHOOSING THE 'GOOD PART'

- A CHOICE GIVEN TO US

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- JESUS DID NOT COERCE

Mark 16:15, 16

- WE HAVE FREEDOM TO REJECT

Jer. 6:16; Hos. 8:2, 3

- UNDERSTANDING CONSEQUENCES

Mark 16:16; Jer. 6:19; Hos. 8:3



# CHOOSING THE 'GOOD PART'

- ...MEANS SEEKING GOD FIRST

- HIM BEFORE THE WORLDLY THINGS

**Luke 14:16-20, 33**

- HIM BEFORE OTHERS

**Luke 14:26**

- HIS WILL BEFORE OUR WILL

**Prov. 30:12**



# HOW MAY WE BE 'DISTRACTED'?

- **CONFUSING PRIORITIES**

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- **IMPORTANCE ON WRONG AREAS**

**Matt. 23:23**

- **WRONG EMPHASIS ON GOD'S WORD**

**1<sup>st</sup> Tim. 5:8**



# HOW MAY WE BE 'DISTRACTED'?

- **NEGLECT**
- **NO TIME LEFT FOR GOD**
- **DRIFTING**

**Acts 24:25**

**Heb. 2:1**



# HOW MAY WE BE 'DISTRACTED'?

- THE RESULT:

- NO KNOWLEDGE OF GOD

*Jdgs. 2:10-12 ; Hos. 4:6*

- NO KNOWLEDGE OF OUR TRUE SPIRITUAL CONDITION

*John 5:39, 40*



