

Paradigm Shift

Mark 10:17-27

How is God challenging your assumptions about money? About how to be right with Him? About who He is?

MY NOTES ON THE PASSAGE

:17-22 Jesus & the Rich Young Ruler

:17 How do people you know (who don't believe in Jesus) think they can become right with God?

:19 What is God's standard for achieving eternal life?

What's the problem?

:21 Jesus' challenges to the rich young ruler:

SELL:

GIVE:

FOLLOW:

:23-27 Jesus, Riches, and Us

:23-25 Some obstacles wealth can present to trusting God.

:26-27 People I think are "impossible" to come to faith in Jesus.

APPLYING GOD'S WORD TO MY LIFE

*How has Jesus used His word - today or in the past-- to change my assumptions about:

-Who Jesus is?

-How to be right with Him?

-How to allow Him to guide me in managing my finances?

*Consider the people you already identified as being impossible for God to reach. Pray for them!

-How might God use you in their lives?

FOR NEXT WEEK: Please read Mark 10:28-34. There are many places in our world where people sacrifice everything to become a follower of Jesus. Take a look at Open Doors' World Watch List 2017, a list of the top 50 countries where being a Christian is the most difficult (ODUSA.org/WWL) Pray for believers in one of these countries.