ELDERS, PAY ATTENTION - PART II

Acts 20:28-38

So what else is Paul going to tell the elders?

- 1. Fulfill your **ministry** (v.18).
 - a. **Disciple** yourself first (v.18).
 - b. <u>Care</u> for the flock (v.18).
 - c. Consider the serious nature of your <u>calling</u> (v.18).
- 2. Foresee the dangers (v.29-31).
 - a. Dangers around us (v.29).
 - b. Dangers among us (v.30).
 - c. Dangers within us.
 - i. Careless elders (v.31).
 - ii. Shallow elders (v.32).
 - iii. Covetous elders (v.33).
 - iv. Less than diligent elders (v.34-35).
 - v. Selfish elders (v.35).

3. Fellowship in the **gospel** (v.36-38).

1 Peter 1:3 Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who according to His abundant mercy has begotten us again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 to an inheritance incorruptible and undefiled and that does not fade away, reserved in heaven for you, 5 who are kept by the power of God through faith for salvation ready to be revealed in the last time.

Are you sure that you have a heavenly inheritance?

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