

The Real Life

Matthew 23:5-8, 23-28

Moving from religion to a relationship is getting to the "I am" level of transparency.

Two Basic Questions

There are two basic questions you need to honestly answer this side of eternity:

1. What is your _____ with Jesus Christ?
2. Who gets _____ of your life? (Rom. 8:13; Gal. 5:16)
 - The flesh doesn't mind dressing you up in religion, but it is still flesh.
 - Why is hell not breaking apart under the feet of the church today? Because we are holding onto one little corner of hell.

A Key Prerequisite to Revival

There are some prerequisites to revival; one of those is purity.

1. _____ purity
"I know ... I am saved."
2. _____ purity
"I do ..."
- Why is it that we are enduring Christianity rather than enjoying Jesus, the Author of Christianity?
- Why is Christianity a duty instead of a delight?
3. _____ purity
"I am ..."

What Is Christianity?

Christian means "little Christ." Christianity is Christ growing up in you. It's Jesus having control of your life.

Some people, however, say it's ...

K _____

A _____ (1 Cor. 8:1; John 5:39)

S _____

Our problem is that we think because we know a thing, therefore we have the thing.
(A. W. Tozer)

D _____

A _____ (Luke 10:38-42)

S _____ (Pharisees)

Real Christianity, however, is ...

B _____

A _____ (Matt. 5)

S _____

Proverbs 20:27

"The spirit of a man is like the candle of the LORD, searching the innermost parts of the belly."

Whatever is on the inside comes out when you get _____.

Circumstances don't _____ you what you are; circumstances _____ what you are.