

The High Cost and Great Gain of Following Jesus

John 12:20-26

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Genesis 12:3

Genesis 18:18

Genesis 22:18

Genesis 26:4

Genesis 28:14

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Isaiah 45:22

Acts 13:44-48

Acts 10:28; 34-35; 43

Acts 11:1-3

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Galatians 3:28

Romans 1:16

Romans 2:9-11

Romans 3:29-30

Romans 10:12-13

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John 10:16

Psalm 117:1

Psalm 86:9

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“Son of Man”

Daniel 7:13-14

Romans 9:23-24

John 17:1-5

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“Whoever... and whoever” J

Matthew 16:24-27

Luke 14:27-30

Luke 14:33

2 Corinthians 5:14-15

“eternal life”

John 6:47

v26

“he must follow me”

Galatians 2:19-20