



Lesson 13: Make it stop

Yesterday, we discussed the ways that God's hand is active in our lives. Some of the ways we see His hand are subtle, and some are obvious. Look back on yesterday's notes and recall what ways you have seen God act powerfully in your life.

Is it evident by your actions that you know God has acted powerfully in your life? How do you act when things get tough that show that you remember that God is powerfully acting in your life and that He is in control?

Read Matthew 13:44-45. In both of these short parables, what was the person willing to do when they found what was precious to them? Both of these show where your treasure is, there your heart will also be. What we prize above all else, we will be willing to sacrifice everything we have to claim that prize.

Consider what you truly prize most. What would you be willing to sacrifice everything to have? Money? Status? Importance? A spouse? Children? What is most important in your life?

If Christ is not the most important thing in your life, talk to Him about that today. Ask Him to give you the strength to tear down the idols that you have placed before Him. Ask Him to show you how to place serving Him as the number one priority in your life. Ask Him to show you how to live to show that eternity is the most important thing in your life.