

THE WORD FOR LIFE – SERMON NOTES

The Sermon on the Mount – Disciple UP! The Disciple's Concern (Matt. 6:25-34) By Louie Marsh, 8-15-2010

1) Disciples of Jesus should _____ about things.

"Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear... Matthew 6:25a (NIV)

2) I need to listen to Jesus' _____

- God's plan for my life is _____

"... Is not life more important than food, and the body more important than clothes? Matthew 6:25b (NIV)

- Worry is _____ with faith!

Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they?... "And why do you worry about clothes? See how the lilies of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith? Matthew 6:26, 28-30 (NIV)

- Worry is a Pagan Obsession – _____

So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. Matthew 6:31-32 (NIV)

- Worry is _____

Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life? Matthew 6:27 (NIV)

3) I must _____ Christian concern NOT worry!

- What is worry?

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I have no one else like him, who takes a genuine interest in your welfare. Philippians 2:20 (NIV)

DIFFERENCES BETWEEN CONCERN & WORRY

- Concern flows out of my _____
- Worry comes from a _____
- Concern focuses on _____ **worry focuses on things** _____
- Concern focuses on _____ **worry on** _____

Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own. Matthew 6:34 (NIV)

Concern is _____, worry is _____

4) I need to fix my life on _____

But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. Matthew 6:33 (NIV)

- God's Kingdom is _____
- God's Kingdom _____
- God's Kingdom is – _____

THIS HAS THREE MAJOR IMPLICATIONS:

- I allow Him to _____
- I _____
- I _____ to let Him to rule in their lives.

5) Jesus calls me to _____ as well.

- God's righteousness is a _____
Amos 1:3 (NIV)

We are Called to...

- _____ before the world.