

Mark 9:42-10:31

1. Review

9:42-50

1. We see this shift from outward (v. 38-42) to now inward (v.43-48).
2. Are verses 42-47 meant to be taken literally?
3. What is Jesus getting at here?
4. What will the salt and fire do?
 - a. 1 Cor. 3:11-15

10:1-12

1. Jesus is probably on his way to Jerusalem.
2. Who is asking Jesus this question?
3. Malachi 2:13-16; Deuteronomy 24:1-4
4. Why did Moses write about divorce?
5. We see an extension of the 6th commandment.

13-16

1. This brings us back to 9:38-42

2. What was Jesus' reaction to this?
3. What does it mean to "enter the kingdom of God like a child"?
4. Infant baptism and these verses.

17-31

1. This brings us back to 9:43-47.
2. Why does Jesus say "No one is good except God alone"?
3. How does Jesus look at man?
4. What invitation does Jesus extend to the man?
5. Where does the man put his faith?
6. Rich people can more easily fall into the trap of thinking they don't need to depend on God.
7. Verse 27 is critical in understanding this section along with 9:43-47. It seems impossible because it is impossible for it was up to us, but salvation is not dependent on us but on God!
8. Does Jesus rebuke Peter's statement (v.28)?
9. Jesus speaks this reversal that we've been seeing in these last few sections (v.31).