

Embrace our Opportunity

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Scripture

³²⁻³⁴ So they got in the boat and went off to a remote place by themselves. Someone saw them going and the word got around. From the surrounding towns people went out on foot, running, and got there ahead of them. When Jesus arrived, he saw this huge crowd. At the sight of them, his heart broke—like sheep with no shepherd they were. He went right to work teaching them. -- Mark 6:34-36 (The Message)

¹⁷ As Jesus started on his way, a man ran up to him and fell on his knees before him. “Good teacher,” he asked, “what must I do to inherit eternal life?”

¹⁸ “Why do you call me good?” Jesus answered. “No one is good—except God alone. ¹⁹ You know the commandments: ‘You shall not murder, you shall not commit adultery, you shall not steal, you shall not give false testimony, you shall not defraud, honor your father and mother.’”

²⁰ “Teacher,” he declared, “all these I have kept since I was a boy.”

²¹ Jesus looked at him and loved him. “One thing you lack,” he said. “Go, sell everything you have and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven. Then come, follow me.”

²² At this the man’s face fell. He went away sad, because he had great wealth. -- Mark 10:17-22 (NIV)

Message Takeaways

1. Words that Haunt Me
2. Please Break Our Heart
3. I Want What They Had
4. Something Good or Something Great?

Trading anonymity for community

Additional Scriptures to Study

[Mark 6:30-44](#)

[Mark 10: 17-31](#)

Call to Action

Where are you in your journey?

- Have you talked with someone you are close with about your commitment?
- Have you prayed about your commitment?
- Is your commitment one of sacrifice?
- Does your commitment require a leap of faith and trust?

Prayer Guide

Visit EmbraceLouisville.org to find prayer resources for each week of the Embrace Louisville sermon series.



Group Life @ Middletown

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