

Evening Lesson

LIVING MY LIFE LIKE I'VE GOT SOMETHING BETTER TO DO

John 10:10

INTRO:

1. So many of us rush and worry our lives away.
2. This life is what I have and I need to enjoy it.
3. How I live it determines where I live in eternity.

I. CHRIST PROMISES THE ABUNDANT LIFE.

John 10:10...

- A. "...One in full possession of his intelligence cannot seriously suppose that God would have created man with a constitution that would enable him to be happier in the service of the devil than in the service of God. The abundant life is not with the evil one but with Jesus Christ our Lord."
- B. It is fun to be a Christian. "For fun, I get up in the morning without having to worry or feel guilty about the night before."

II. LIFE OUTSIDE CHRIST IS NOT FULFILLING.

- A. "...in life, as in arithmetic, there is a minus as sure as a plus; and that certain experiences do not add to, but subtract from, what we had and were before, each new indulgence in forbidden things leaving us poorer, leaner, emptier, and at length beggared."
- B. Christ has all spiritual blessings so outside Him there are None. **Eph. 1:3**

CONC:

1. Johann Wolfgang von Goethe... There are nine prerequisites for contented living...
2. All of these can be found in Christian living.
3. Remember that how I live her determines where I live in the hereafter.
4. Let's make up our minds to live and be happy!
5. After all, can you think of anything better to do?