

Answer the King: What Good Is It to Gain the World and Lose Your Soul?

Discussion Questions

Date: November 17, 2019 | Scripture: Matthew 16:24-28

- 1. Read Matthew 16:24-28. What stands out to you?
- 2. Jesus says that there is nothing in the world as valuable as your soul. If that's true, do you think you are investing your time, energy, and resources into caring for it well?
- 3. We are warned in this passage not to pursue earthly gain at the expense of our soul. What are the things in your life that you are pursuing, and how have you seen those things affect your soul?
- 4. The one who is asking us about our soul is the only one who can satisfy it. How does the gospel really satisfy our souls? How have you experienced that truth in your life?
- 5. Jesus says the way we pursue change is to deny ourselves, take up our cross, and follow him. What does it look like to deny yourself? What does it look like to pick up your cross? Where is Jesus asking you to follow him more closely in your life right now?
- 6. With Thanksgiving happening this week, it is good for us to count our blessings and connect the dots between our life and God's care for us. What are some things that you are thankful for this year?
- 7. How can we be praying for one another during this holiday season? Are there any needs we can meet as a group (food, fellowship, etc.)?

If Jesus is worth anything, then he is worth everything.