

EXTRA...EXTRA / RE-VISITED

Matthew 25:1 – 13

The Lord Jesus again is sharing some very important parables towards the end of His earthy life and ministry. The Lord desires for us to have wisdom concerning the end of time...very, very important. Many are smart at the beginning but foolish at the end...Solomon was wise at the beginning of his reign but was foolish at the end...(I Kings 11).

QUESTION: What made the wise, wise and the foolish, foolish? Not their personal value but their “readiness”!

- The five wise had extra oil, they were prepared for delay!
- They were prepared for events over which they had no control!

We have no control over prophetic events God has set in His authority. Yet they are more certain, more imminent than death!

It might seem like our Lord is delayed in His return, but Perfection is never late!

SEE MATT. 24:6, 7...VS. 38

Many church people, not just people un-churched, are so caught in “doing life”, that they are not “prepared, ready” for SOON SOMING EVENTS! *It's a trick!*

Before His return, very serious disruption, dysfunction will take place and is...

Will you be wise or foolish at the end of this age?

Do you have a little EXTRA even in the natural?

How would you fair if you couldn't get to the store for two weeks, month?

The foolish wanted the benefits of preparation without preparation.

“This is good and pleases God our Savior, who wants everyone to be saved and to understand the truth.” (I Tim. 2:3, 4) NLT

The Lord loves everybody, wants everybody to be saved but unfortunately not all will HEED the GOSPEL and be ready when the Lord returns! (John 3:16)

QUESTION? Are you ready? If the Lord Jesus came right now, are you ready, or will you be saying “Lord, Lord, open to us!”

- Just being in church does not make you ready!
- READ VS. 13.

**Genuine Salvation in Christ Jesus makes us ready!
Greater than Noah’s ark, He is the “Ark of Salvation”!**