



THE KING'S CONFIRMATION

Luke Chapters 20-22

READ

- Luke's gospel from 21:1-4 focuses on the offerings given in the temple treasury.
- Read Luke 21:1-4 and consider what lesson the Holy Spirit intends us to learn.

EXAMINE

- How does this passage compare with Luke 20:19-26?
- This scripture begins with Jesus comparing the gifts of the rich with the gift of the widow. What are the characteristics of each of these people?
- Vs. 2-3: The gifts of the rich were surely more valuable than the two small coins given by the widow, yet Jesus commented that she had put in more. Why?
- Compare this passage with James 1:27. Thoughts?

APPLY

- Examine yourself. Have you given financially or served at the church with the heart of the rich in this passage of scripture? Have you given out of an abundance without any sacrifice? Have you possibly given financially or even served out of a heart of pride?
- Or...can you think of a time when you gave financially to the church to the point that it was truly a sacrifice? When is the last time you served others or the church sacrificially?

PRAY

Take time to pray and truly examine ourselves. Ask God to give us the widow's heart to serve Him sacrificially and trust that He will provide as we obey Him.

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