

**“WHATEVER YOU DID NOT DO FOR ONE OF THE LEAST OF THESE,
YOU DID NOT DO FOR ME”**

(“He Said What?” Shocking Statements of Jesus- Part 6)
October 21, 2018

Matthew 25:31-46

CONTEXT/BACKGROUND:

Mt 23:23; 25:1-13; 14-30; Ga 6:10

GOD’S _____ FOR THE “THE LEAST OF THESE”:

Dt 10:18-19; Ps 72:12; 140:12; Pr 19:17; Is 14:30;
Jer 22:16; Lk 14:13-14; 3:11

When it comes to "the least of these," God expects us to...

Mt 22:37-39; Ja 2:14-17; Eph 2:8-10

... REALIGN OUR _____

We serve him by _____

... RE-ADJUST OUR _____

See as God sees; _____

... ACTUALLY _____ TO HELP THEM

Each one can do _____

"Salvation is by faith alone, but true faith never remains alone."
Martin Luther

"God's preferred love language is acts of service."
Dan Meyer

Fill-ins: HEART; THINKING; serving others; VISION & HEART; feel as God feels; DO SOMETHING; something

(For further study/reflection, check out Richard Stearn's *The Hole in Our Gospel*.)

Life Group Questions for the week of October 21, 2018

1. Looking back at your notes from this Sunday's message, was there anything that particularly caught your attention, challenged or confused you?
2. Read Proverbs 11:18. In your life or someone else's, have you seen the false promises of wealth being exposed for what they are? How?
3. Read Proverbs 22:9. It says the generous will themselves be blessed. Of what does this blessing consisted? How have you seen the blessing of generosity illustrated?
4. Do you think there's any significance that the parable of the sheep and goats is near the end of Jesus' earthly ministry?
5. What is the difference between a sin of omission and a sin of commission?
6. What adjustments in your life do you need to make to be ready to fully live out Matthew 25?
7. What are some ways you can make sure your heart is breaking with the things that breaks the heart of God?
8. How can you better use your time? Talents? Treasure?
9. What relationships in your community do you feel God calling you to build?
10. How do you think our church could be more involved in your community?