## **Fulfilled: The Gospel According to Matthew**

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For many people in Jesus' day, He didn't do what they expected. People's expectations – then and now – are often the result of some form of misorientation. Today, let's consider our propensity to drift off-track and hear Jesus' invitation to reorient our lives.

## **Woes to Those Who Won't Come to Jesus**

Knowing about God but refusing to come to Jesus (23:37)

## **Adventures in Misorientation**

Finances and Politics (22:15-22)

Theology (22:23-33)

## **The Great Reorientation** (22:36-40)

- Heart (Central Core)
  Is my heart growing softer or harder towards God and others?
- Soul (Relationship with God)
  How am I prioritizing my relationship with God, and how is my communion with God shaping me to be more loving?
- Mind (Intellect)
  How am I growing in the knowledge of God? What does my mind dwell on?
- Love Others
  Are my affections and commitment growing for God and others? How am I known by my neighbors?

The Great Question (22:41-46)