Sunday AM Sermon - April 16, 2023

My Brother, Sister, and Mother

Mark 3:31-35

Who's your family? There was a time when people defined family biologically – whose blood do I share? In more recent years, people have started defining family functionally – who do I share life with? Interestingly, that's how Jesus defined it too.



- Mark the number of times you hear these words:
 Family –
 Jesus –
 Father –
- 2. Who did Solomon say was closer than your own family (Proverbs 18:24)?
- 3. What about United States culture can make building family difficult?
- 4. Lesson #1: Each of us must _____ our ____ (31-33)
- 5. What did Jesus say makes a person unfit to be His disciple?
- 6. Even when parents do everything right in spiritual training, what must still happen?
- 7. Lesson #2: _____ can ____ in the Family of God (34)
- 8. Why are so many seemingly lonely despite all our ways of connecting?
- 9. Regardless of one's background, what is true of everyone who is in Christ?
- 10. Lesson #3: The Family of God is defined as those who ____ (35)
- 11. What bound Jonathan and David so closely together?
- 12. What did Jesus say was His life purpose?
- 13. Why did Jesus' family think He's lost His mind?
- 14. What creates lasting fellowship?
- 15. As disciples of Jesus, when might a potential dividing point from our families arise in our lives?
- 16. Who will be our eternal family?

Faith Talk, Faith Walk

Spend time with family or friends (maybe over a meal or during a family devotional) discussing the following related to the sermon

Faith Talk: Who is your family? How do you define it?

Faith Walk: Be more intentional about developing family relationships within the Family of God.

If you are here and have been touched or convicted by something said or done today we would love to study the Bible with you and introduce you more fully to our Savior, Jesus Christ. Just call the church office at 795-4377 and we will set something up. God bless you!

