

Sermon Audio Input

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Short Ver. Title: John 34
Series Title: The Gospel of John
Text: John 5:39-47
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Message Outline

Life-Preventing Failings and How to Avoid Them

John 5:39-47

- I. The Failings of the Jews' Response to Jesus
- II. How We Can Learn from Them

Please See

Pastor Kit Culver's sermon and study notes for his John 034 message, "The Healing at Bethesda - Jesus' Response to the Jews, Part Two" from 5/1/16.

Examine the Scriptures (Be Berean!)

- John's NT teaching that OT points to Christ in Whom there is life: [John 1:45; 2:22; 3:10; 5:45-46; 20:9](#)
- Jew's preference of the praise (same word translated here glory) from men over that from God: [John 12:43](#)
- The relationship between the OT and Jesus: [Mat 5:17](#)

Consider & Discuss (Be Transformed!)

- Note the failings Jesus sees in how the Jews responded to Him?
- For each failing, how can you see it potentially tripping up people today?
- What failing of the Jews' response to Jesus do you see as the greatest potential threat to your own life with God?

Memory & Meditation Verse

"You search the Scriptures because you think that in them you have eternal life; it is these that testify about Me; and you are unwilling to come to Me so that you may have life." John 5:39-40

Community Life

- Tuesdays at noon for all (BYO Lunch); Thursdays at 7:00 pm for men. Both groups on this week!

Next Sunday

7/10/2016 -- John 6:1-15, The Feeding of the Five Thousand