

HOW IMPORTANT ARE YOU TO GOD?

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Mathew 5:19

Despite what you may have heard, everybody does not hold the same value to God. Does God love everyone? Yes. However, everyone does **NOT** bring the same value to Him. This statement may be hard to accept but it is the truth that no one is discussing.

There are consequences doing things your way and ignoring what God says. When God created you, you came with a purpose. You were meant to complete a divine assignment. If you **CHOOSE NOT** to do this, why would God make you a priority?

Would you prioritize someone who isn't beneficial to you? Would you prioritize someone who neglects and ignores your interest? The answer is no. God is the same

way. God is not like a man. He is better but He is not foolish. He will **NOT** prioritize what doesn't bring Him value.

VALUABLE TREASURE

God values **OBEDIENCE**. The Kingdom of God is promoted and exalted when its people are compliant with its laws. Mathew 5:19 says, "*Whoever refuses to obey any command and teaches other people not to obey that command will be the least important in the kingdom of heaven. But whoever obeys the commands and teaches other people to obey them will be great in the kingdom of heaven.*"

People who obey the laws (commands) and teaches others to honor the laws of the Kingdom increase their importance to God. People who reject, oppose and live contrary to the Kingdom's laws of God are insignificant to Him.

Are you obeying and teaching others about the Kingdom of God or are you following the trends and social norms of this world? There are many people who are saved, yet unrighteous. I hope this is not you.

They attend church but support the homosexual agenda. They tell others to live righteous and yet they live hypocritical lives. They sing in the choir but are rebellious to the commands of God. Believing in King Jesus and **REFUSING** to **OBEY** His laws (commands) will **REDUCE** your value in the Kingdom of God.

GOD IS JUST! He will give every person what they deserve. When you bring little value to God He won't give you much. However, when you are highly valuable to God and His Kingdom He will give you an abundance.

**GOD PROVIDES YOU WITH RESOURCES THAT IS
EQUITABLE TO THE VALUE YOU BRING HIM.**

The Lord doesn't value your money, church attendance or sacrifices. He values your **OBEDIENCE!** The more obedient you are, the more value you bring to Him. It's that simple! Obedience is an act of love and honor. If you truly love the Lord you will obey Him.

1st John 5:3 says, "*Loving God means obeying his commands. And God's commands are not too hard for us*".
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