Series: "LONG STORY SHORT"
Part 9: "THE PRICE IS RIGHT"
Crossroads Community Church
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The Parables:

44 "The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field. When a man found it, he hid it again, and then in his joy went and sold all he had and bought that field. Matthew 13:44 (NIV)

45 "Again, the kingdom of heaven is like a merchant looking for fine pearls. 46 When he found one of great value, he went away and sold everything he had and bought it. Matthew 13:45-46 (NIV)

The Principles:

1. **When it comes to salvation, what you _____ can't compare to what you _____**

   3 Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! In his great mercy he has given us new birth into a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, 4 and into an inheritance that can never perish, spoil or fade. This inheritance is kept in heaven for you, 1 Peter 1:3-4 (NIV)

2. **Spiritual truth is often _____**

   9 The true light that gives light to everyone was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him. 11 He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him.
   John 1:9-11 (NIV)

3. **Salvation should always yield _____**

   11 I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete. John 15:11 (NIV)

   12 Restore to me the joy of your salvation and grant me a willing spirit, to sustain me. Psalm 51:12 (NIV)

4. **Jesus _____ but people are saved in _____ ways**

5. **Salvation is _____ and _____**

   1 "Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost. Isaiah 55:1 (NIV)

   39 Whoever finds their life will lose it, and whoever loses their life for my sake will find it. Matthew 10:39 (NIV)

Sermon Notes:

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