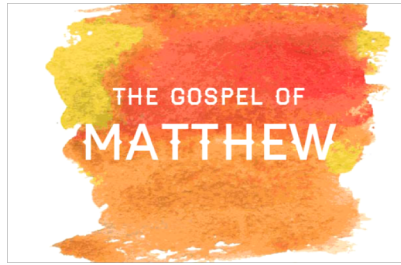


Disciple's Quest

If you continue in My word, then you are truly disciples of Mine.

John 8:31



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How to Care for a Straying Christian

Matthew 18:10-14

Main Idea:

All of God's "little children" (believers) are precious to Him. He highly values each one, even those who stray, and rejoices at their rescue. Since their restoration so matters to Him, it must be a priority for the leaders and believers who compose His church.

Outline:

1. The Premise

God's love for His believers is vast.

2. The Parable

- Danger
- Action
- Reward

3. The Principle

Our God is a reconciling God who delights in the rescue and restoration of those who stray from His fold.

4. The Prescription

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