

Series: Wrath of the King, a study in Matthew 23

Sermon: Misleading

Primary Text: Matthew 23:13-15; Matthew 12:1-14

Discussion guide:

- Have you ever accidentally misled someone? Explain.
- When you hear “scribes and Pharisees” what do you think of?
- Read Matthew 23:13-15,
 - Why is Jesus so upset?
 - What does he mean in v. 15 by “child of hell”?
 - How are the Pharisees closing the door of heaven in people’s faces?
- Read Matthew 12:1-8,
 - What is the Pharisees beef?
 - How does Jesus respond?
 - In your own words explain v. 7...
- Read Matthew 12:9-14,
 - What is the Pharisees beef?
 - How does Jesus respond?
- Explain the difference between Jesus’ attitude toward the law and the pharisees’...
- How can we “enter ourselves” or “Be still and know that HE is God.”?
 - How will this help us not mislead people away from God?
- How can we “be sure to represent Jesus alone.”?