

Message:

What Was Meant to Defeat Us, Can Deliver Us!

PART THREE - Devalue & Division

Scripture Text:

Matthew 13 & Romans 12 +



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Announcements: Tent Set Up, One Hope, Motorfest 2024 & Sat/Setup, Yard Sale

Introduction: We Delegitimize, Demoralize, Devalue, Divide, Demonize and use Double Standards. **This should not be!**

- Part One:

1. Delegitimization: What is legitimate? People Are All Legit!

WE SHOULD: Find Our Legitimacy in Christ & Help others find their Legitimacy

Jeremiah 42:10 Matthew 5:1-20, 1 John 4:1-21

Love Legitimizes: What will you DO with what you have been given?

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- Part Two:

2. Demoralization: What is moral? What God Says Is Moral!

The Questions is what is or isn't moral. People are OFFENDED when morality is defined!

WE SHOULD: Turn to God & lead others to Hope in Christ!

We must repent of our evil ways and turn to God!

2 Timothy 3:1-17 (17). - 1 Thessalonians 5:16-18

WE SHOULD: Test all Things (according to the WORD) Hold to what is good! **THIS GIVES US HOPE!**

Hebrews 11:1, Ephesians 2:12, 1 Thessalonians 4:13, Romans 15:13, Colossians 1:27, Romans 15:4, Romans 8:24-25, Jeremiah 29:11, 1 Corinthians 13:13, 1 Corinthians 15:19, Proverbs 13:12, 1 Peter 3:15, Romans 12:12, 1 Peter 1:3, 1 Thessalonians 5:8, 1 Thessalonians 1:3, Ephesians 1:18, Romans 8:24, Romans 5:5, 1 Peter 1:13, Hebrews 10:23, Psalm 39:7, 1 John 3:3, Philippians 3:13-14, Proverbs 24:14, Psalm 71:14, Psalm 42:11

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3. Devalue: Where do you find your value? Who Do You Value?

- Humanity has value through creation and eternal life?

- JESUS valued us greater than the passion of the Cross/becoming sin. Put on Christ!

WE SHOULD: Know the Value of Life. Yours and Others and Never Devalue it!

Proverbs 8:10-11, Matthew 13:44-52, Romans 12:1-21

*** Gold is found in dirt and rock! MORE DIRT THAN GOLD, MORE ROCK THAN DIAMONDS! What are You digging for?**

VALUE Def. : the monetary worth of something : **MARKET PRICE**

: a fair return or equivalent in goods, services, or money for something/one

: something (such as a principle or quality) intrinsically **valuable** or desirable

Philippians 2:1-11, Genesis 1:27, Psalm 139:13-14 ,Jeremiah 1:5, Luke 12:7, 1 Corinthians 6:19-20, Ephesians 2:10, 1 Peter 2:9, Luke 6:31, Romans 12:10, Matthew 25:40, John 15:9-13, Luke 10:27

4. Division: Are You a Divider or a Unifier?

God brings people together unto truth. God does not change truth to bring people together.

WE SHOULD: Be Unifiers In Truth and Not Dividers!

DEF. the act or process of dividing : the state of being divided

: one of the parts or groupings into which a whole is divided or is divisible

: the condition or an instance of being divided in opinion or interest :

DISAGREEMENT, DISUNITY

: something that divides, separates, or marks off

: the act, process, or an instance of separating or keeping apart : SEPARATION

Proverbs 6:17-19, Romans 16:17-20

Coming Up In This Series: (PART 3 Coming Soon Aug 25)

3. Devalue: Where do you find your value? Who Do You Value? 4. Division: Are You a divider or a unifier?

5. Demonization: What is good and what is evil? 6. Double Standards: What standards do you choose to live by?

7. How Do We Defeat the Big D's and Find Deliverance. DO WE HAVE A RIGHT TO JUDGE OR AN OBLIGATION TO?

What did I LEARN most? _____

How will I LIVE out what I Learned? _____

How can I GIVE it, or help someone else with what I have learned? _____

I Choose to be a Life-Giver, This Week In This Way? _____