

Living with the End in Mind: Part 2 Journey to the Cross Pastor Cliff Lea February 21, 2021

1. Avoid letting fear lead to ______ (v. 20-21)

a. Resist defending your _____ to God

b. Our concept of God always determines our _____

2. Let the Lord speak _____ to you (v. 22-23)

3. Treasure God's extravagant _____ (v. 24-26)

4. Believe God's _____ is real (v. 27)

²⁰"Then another servant came and said, 'Sir, here is your mina; I have kept it laid away in a piece of cloth. ²¹I was afraid of you, because you are a hard man. You take out what you did not put in and reap what you did not sow.'

²²"His master replied, 'I will judge you by your own words, you wicked servant! You knew, did you, that I am a hard man, taking out what I did not put in, and reaping what I did not sow? ²³Why then didn't you put my money on deposit, so that when I came back, I could have collected it with interest?'

²⁴"Then he said to those standing by, 'Take his mina away from him and give it to the one who has ten minas.'

²⁵" 'Sir,' they said, 'he already has ten!'

²⁶"He replied, 'I tell you that to everyone who has, more will be given, but as for the one who has nothing, even what he has will be taken away. ²⁷But those enemies of mine who did not want me to be king over them—bring them here and kill them in front of me.' "