

## 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)

<sup>20</sup>"Then another servant came and said, 'Sir, here is your mina; I have kept it laid away in a piece of cloth. <sup>21</sup>I 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.'

<sup>22</sup>"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? <sup>23</sup>Why then didn't you put my money on deposit, so that when I came back, I could have collected it with interest?'

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

<sup>25</sup>" 'Sir,' they said, 'he already has ten!'

<sup>26</sup>"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. <sup>27</sup>But those enemies of mine who did not want me to be king over them—bring them here and kill them in front of me.' "