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Living Life in the Kingdom of God

# **No Worry**

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Matthew 6:25-34

#### WHAT IS ANXIETY?

Worry and anxiety is concern about the \_\_\_\_\_ not the actual. The essence of anxiety is the desire to that which we can't control.

#### WHERE DOES ANXIETY COME FROM?

Our anxiety comes from the fact that we want the power that \_\_\_\_\_ has.

This new threat, that makes you anxious, is simply your true condition. You've *always* been out of control. You've *always* been \_\_\_\_\_. You've never been keeping your life going.

The Bible tells us we were designed to be ....

We are insecure because we want \_\_\_\_\_.

### WHAT DO WE DO ABOUT ANXIETY?

- 1. We have to deal with our wrong \_\_\_\_\_
  - Faith is a position of toward the world based on what God has said in his
  - The "birds of the air" argument has everything to do with the of God.
    - Ephesians 1:11, Romans 8:28, Acts 2:23, Genesis 50:20
  - The "grass of the field" argument has everything to do with the \_\_\_\_\_ of God.

## Matthew 6:25-34

<sup>25</sup> "Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more important than food, and the body more important than clothes? <sup>26</sup> Look at the birds of the air; they do not sow or reap or store away in barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not much more valuable than they? <sup>27</sup> Who of you by worrying can add a single hour to his life?

<sup>28</sup> "And why do you worry about clothes? See how the lilies of the field grow. They do not labor or spin. <sup>29</sup> Yet I tell you that not even Solomon in all his splendor was dressed like one of these. <sup>30</sup> If that is how God clothes the grass of the field, which is here today and tomorrow is thrown into the fire, will he not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?

<sup>31</sup> So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' <sup>32</sup> For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. <sup>33</sup> But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. <sup>34</sup> Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own."

2. We have to deal with our wrong \_\_\_\_\_\_.