

What Shall I Do to Inherit Eternal Life?

Part Four: Who Then Can Be Saved

Matthew 19:23 – 30

²³ Jesus said to his disciples, “Truly I tell you, it will be hard for a rich person to enter the kingdom of heaven. ²⁴ Again I tell you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich person to enter the kingdom of God.” ²⁵ When the disciples heard this, they were utterly astonished and asked, “Then who can be saved?” ²⁶ Jesus looked at them and said, “With man this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.” ²⁷ Then Peter responded to him, “See, we have left everything and followed you. So what will there be for us?” ²⁸ Jesus said to them, “Truly I tell you, in the renewal of all things, when the Son of Man sits on his glorious throne, you who have followed me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. ²⁹ And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or fields because of my name will receive a hundred times more and will inherit eternal life. ³⁰ But many who are first will be last, and the last first.”

#1. Wealth, riches, or perceived blessings are not evidence of eternal life (Vv.23-24)

- Deuteronomy 26–28
- Proverbs 11:28
- Matthew 6:24
- 1 Timothy 6:17-19

What evidence do you have of eternal life?

#2. Who can be saved? (V.25)

- Philippians 4:10-13
- John 16:33
- 2 Timothy 3:12-13

Who or what are you living for to save you?

#3. With God all things are possible (V.26)

- John 3:16-18
- Ephesians 2:8-9
- Romans 8:31-39

Do you have eternal life?