

Matthew 23:1-39  
The solution to hypocrisy

Hypocrisy is the act of hiding your interior wickedness under the appearance of virtue.

Hypocrisy is right actions from wrong motivations.

A hypocrite is a pretender; someone who uses religious practices and good deeds to cover up his or her true spiritual condition.

3 Ways Hypocrisy Robs You:

1. Hypocrisy robs you of real comfort
2. Hypocrisy robs you of real joy
3. Hypocrisy robs you of real relationships with God and others

Two Truths:

1. Hypocrisy impacts others
2. Hypocrisy is self-deceptive and justifies sin.

The solution to hypocrisy is to love God with all that you are and love everyone else as much as you love yourself.

Jesus is the glorious, gracious, and life giving way to the Father.

We leave today to do three things:

1. We leave to love God with all that we are and all that we have.
2. We leave to love others in the same way that we love ourselves.
3. We leave to live sent by God to take the gospel to the people closest to us and farthest from us.