

THE PARABLE OF THE
GREAT BANQUET

Luke 14:12-24

with Elder Michael Araya

OUR VISION:

To raise up anointed disciple-makers who are empowered to change their world for Christ.

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INTRODUCTION

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Luke 14:5 (NKJV)

⁵ Now when one of those who sat at the table with Him heard these things, he said to Him, "Blessed is he who shall eat bread in the kingdom of God!"

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Isaiah 25:6-9 (NKJV)

⁶ And in this mountain The Lord of hosts will make for all people
A feast of choice pieces, A feast of wines on the lees, Of fat
things full of marrow, Of well-refined wines on the lees. ⁷ And
He will destroy on this mountain. The surface of the covering cast
over all people, And the veil that is spread over all nations.

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Isaiah 25:6-9 (NKJV)

⁸ He will swallow up death forever, And the Lord God will wipe away tears from all faces; The rebuke of His people He will take away from all the earth; For the Lord has spoken. ⁹ And it will be said in that day: "Behold, this is our God; We have waited for Him, and He will save us. This is the Lord; We have waited for Him; We will be glad and rejoice in His salvation."

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Luke 14:16 (NKJV)

¹⁶ Then He said to him, "A certain man gave a great supper and invited man...."

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Luke 14:17-18 (NKJV)

¹⁷ and sent his servant at supper time to say to those who were invited, 'Come, for all things are now ready.'¹⁸ **But they all with one accord** began to make **excuses.**

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DON'T REJECT GOD

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Luke 14:21 (NKJV)

Then the master of the house, being angry, said to his servant, 'Go out quickly into the streets and lanes of the city, and bring in here the poor and the maimed and the lame and the blind.'

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Luke 14:22-23 (NKJV)

22 And the servant said, 'Master, it is done as you commanded, and still there is room.' 23 Then the master said to the servant, 'Go out into the highways and hedges, and compel them to come in, that my house may be filled.

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THERE IS STILL ROOM!

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Luke 14:24 (NKJV)

24 For I say to you that none of those men who were invited shall taste my supper.’ ”

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CONCLUSION

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