

SERMON NOTES
Mt.10.24-31 - "Refuse to be Silent"
Matthew Series: 'THE KING IS COMING' #151
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I. EMULATE the EXAMPLE [A Disciple is Like Jesus] vv.24-25

II. REFUSE to be SILENT [A DISCIPLE DOES NOT FEAR THE WORLD] vv.26–31

🚩 Our culture has produced an unacceptable “S_____” among evangelicals.

FEAR, REALIZE, & BELIEVE – GOD VINDICATES, VENERATES & VALUES

1. F_____ THE HEAVENLY JUDGE MORE THAN EARTHLY PROSECUTORS [GOD VINDICATES] vv.26–27

➤ Believers should never be afraid of the world because they know God will one day V_____ them.

The world is highly successful at I_____ & D_____.

Why should we worry about U_____ in this life when...

The disciple's perspective should be God's perspective.

In God's eternal view He already sees the final outcome of every life.

There are to be no S_____ in Christianity.

What the Lord has made known to us, we are to make K_____ to others.

The world will invariably be offended because it will stand A_____.

Unbelievers are offended when told they are S_____ under God's J_____ & destined for hell.

2. R_____ GOD KNOWS ABOUT YOUR SUFFERING [GOD VENERATES] v.28

Fear is used here in two senses.

- The first has to do with F_____ & terror, while
- the second has to do with A_____ & veneration.

Satan himself cannot touch the **soul**, the E_____ person.

The lost will not cease to E_____, but in their resurrected bodies (Mt.25.46).

A believer is N_____ in D_____ of having his soul & body cast into hell - his eternal destiny is heaven.

Reverence of God in His S_____ majesty is a powerful motivation for Christians ...

Believers R_____ God more than they feared man during the most intense persecutions.

“They feared man so little because they feared God so much.”

3. B_____ THAT GOD CARES ABOUT YOUR SUFFERING [GOD VALUES] vv.29–31

Jesus assures the twelve, & all believers that they are D_____ to their heavenly Father.

🚩 How can we be anxious and fearful, knowing of such care & protection by our heavenly Father?