

RE-EXAMINING THE MISSION OF JESUS

PART 6

“WHEN DINNER PLANS DON’T GO AS PLANNED”

“Forgiven Much: One Dinner, Two Debtors and a Story of Divine Grace”

(Luke 7:36-50)

INTRODUCTION:

“...for we are the true circumcision, who worship in the Spirit of God and glory in Christ Jesus and put no confidence in the flesh,...”

—Philippians 3:3

Worship is...

expressing our _____ for Him, (Mark 12:30)
giving our _____ to Him, (Romans 12:1)
and living our _____ for Him (1 Corinthians 10:31)
in _____ to His love in giving His _____ for us. (Philippians 3:3)

Two unnamed women and what they teach us about worship (John 4 and Luke 7)

• Last Week: Woman 1 - (John 4:21-24)

1. _____ comes looking for _____.
2. She is preoccupied with the _____ and the _____ of worship.

• This Week: Woman 2 - (Luke 7:36-40)

1. _____ comes looking for _____.
2. She is preoccupied with the _____ and the _____ of worship.

1A. THE _____ OF THE STORY: (V. 36A)

“Now one of the Pharisees was requesting Him to dine with him,...”

2A. THE _____ OF THE STORY:

- Seven Scenes or Movements with a _____ at the Center.

1B. Movement 1 parallels movement 7: The _____ of the Invited Guests, including the _____ and _____ of the Uninvited Guest.

2B. Movement 2 parallels movement 6: The _____ of the Sinner, both _____ by all and _____ by Jesus.

3B. Movement 3 parallels movement 5: The _____ with Simon, where first he judges _____ and then judges _____.

- The _____ : A shocking and intentional act of _____ is set in contrast to a shocking and intentional act of _____.

"I entered your house; you gave Me no water for My feet, but she has wet My feet with her tears and wiped them with her hair. You gave Me no kiss; but she, since the time I came in, has not ceased to kiss My feet. You did not anoint My head with oil, but she anointed My feet with perfume."

—Luke 7:44-46

3A. THE _____ OF THE STORY:

1B. The _____ of the Story: The _____

"A moneylender had two debtors: one owed five hundred denarii, and the other fifty. When they were unable to repay, he graciously forgave them both." (v. 41-42a)

1C. There are two debtors. Both are _____. Both are _____.
Both are _____.

2C. Great _____ comes from an understanding & experience
of great _____.

"Therefore I tell you, her many sins have been forgiven; that's why she loved much. But the one who is forgiven little, loves little." (v. 47 - CSB)

2B. The _____ in the Story: The _____

1C. The Heart of the _____ : _____ ... _____ by grace!

2C. The Heart of _____ : _____ ... _____ to grace!

3C. The Heart of the _____ : _____ ... _____ grace
to the one who is _____ and knows it as well as to the one who
is _____ and doesn't.

SOME CONCLUDING OBSERVATIONS ABOUT WORSHIP:

1. _____ is the _____ of worship.
2. _____ is the _____ of worship.
3. _____ is the _____ of worship.
4. _____ is the _____ of worship.
5. _____ is the _____ of worship.