

Warning Signs

Luke 12:1-21

“Watch out! Be on your guard...” (v 15)

Introduction:

- Warning signs are_____.
- We have an amazing ability to _____the warnings.
- If we dismiss the warnings we endanger ourselves and others.
- If we heed the warnings we find _____.

Context: Luke 11:37-54

- Jesus had warned the Pharisees of the danger of _____.
- The Pharisees flagrantly _____Jesus’ warnings.

Text:

- _____ warnings signs posted for followers of Christ
 1. V. 1 “Be on your guard against..._____.”
 2. V.15 “Be on yur guard against all kinds of _____.

How to guard against hypocrisy:

1. _____what it is.
 - Hypocrisy is _____.
 - Hypocrisy begins _____but grow _____.
2. Recognize how _____it is.
 - God will judge men’s _____through Jesus Christ.

3. Consider the fundamental _____of hypocrisy.
 - _____fear.
4. Remember the _____care of God.
5. Publically _____the Christ who died for you.
6. _____ the Holy Spirit who empowers you.

How to guard against greed:

1. Understand the _____claim of greed.
 - Life consists of the _____of things. (Stuff satisfies)
2. Test your responses to the farmer’s responses in the parable.
 - How do you respond to the wealthy farmer’s _____?
 - How do I respond to the _____of the rich man?
 - How do I respond to the farmer’s _____?
 - How do I respond to the _____of the boastful farmer?

Conclusion:

1. To heed the warning against hypocrisy we must _____ Christ _____.
2. To heed the warning against Greed we must _____ toward God.