

WORKSHEET 5-1: JESUS AND THE RICH YOUNG RULER

Pre-Reading Activity

In this lesson's reading the Lord mentions the Ten Commandments. Find the commandments in Exodus 20, and use them to complete the chart. On the **first column** write the commandment in your words. On the **second or third columns**, write a check mark to indicate whether the commandment emphasizes your relationship with God or your relationship with other people.

Commandment in your own words	Emphasizes my relationship with God.	Emphasizes my relationship with men.
1st		
2nd		
3rd		
4th		
5th		
6th		
7th		
8th		
9th		
10th		

Reading Instructions: For each section 1) do the entire reading, 2) answer as many questions as you can, and 3) check the reading again to answer the remaining questions.

Bible Reading

Jesus and the Rich Young Ruler (Matthew 19:16-22)

1. What did the man call Jesus when he first saw Him (v. 16)?

2. What question did the man ask?

3. Specifically, what did Jesus tell the man he had to do to get eternal life (vv. 16-17)?

4. List by number the commandments that the Lord specifically mentioned (vv. 18-19)?

5. List by number the commandments the Lord did not mentioned (vv. 18-19)?
6. According to the young man, how good was he at keeping the commandments (v. 20)?
7. Do you think he really kept all the commandments? Explain the reason for your answer.
8. What else did the young man needed to do in order to be perfect?
9. Why did he decide not to follow Jesus?
10. Which commandment(s) did he fail to obey by not following Jesus?

Textbook Reading

Lesson 5-11 (pp. 126-128)

1. Your book says that Jesus was a "master of personal evangelism." What is personal evangelism?
2. What does your book call "the most important question" and why is that so important?
3. What is repentance, according to the book?
4. Why did Jesus not like being called "Good Master" in Matthew 19:16-17?
5. A belief that falls short of recognizing Christ's true identity also falls short of what?
6. Why in order to have eternal life a person must recognize Christ's true identity?
7. When Jesus told the young man to give away his possession, was he teaching that doing good is the way to salvation? Why or why not?

Think about it!

Find a Bible verse that teaches that salvation is a free gift of God (reference only):