

The Returning King and His Rewards
Luke 19:11-27

1. The _____ – (vv. 11-12)

2. The _____ – (vv. 13-15)

3. The _____ – (vv. 16-25)

4. The _____ – (vv. 26-27)

To Go

1. **Love God Passionately** – Worship God this week by expressing your gratitude to Him for entrusting to you His resources to watch over and to manage wisely.
2. **Love Others Intentionally** – Make a deliberate effort to get your attention off of your things and in doing so, take note of the needs of people in your life. How is God wanting to use you to love them this week?
3. **Serve the World Sacrificially** – Take a determined amount of money (\$5, \$10, \$20 or \$100) and creatively come up with a way that you can use the money in such a way as to have the greatest kingdom impact.

At Home Study Guide

For the week of March 25, 2018

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*Bethel's Mission is described simply as **Love God – Love Others – Serve the World**. These phrases are the basis for our Vision and Values. As you consider the passage this week, look at it through the lens of our Mission/Vision/Values and allow it to clarify what you believe and guide how you live.*

This version, in comparison to the parable of the talents in Matthew 25, has a different point. Read Matthew 25:14-30 to compare. This text emphasizes a ruler who has received his kingdom, returning to collect from his servants, to whom he gave each an equal amount.

The focus in this parable is on the attitude of the servants. They all had the same task with the same ability to accomplish it. Every Christian has been given God's grace and has been called to make followers or disciples of Jesus. How does this explanation help you understand the parable better?

Are you a follower of Jesus who is learning and growing in your love for God, through repentance and faith?

How are you loving others and serving the world, using the grace God has given to you to show his grace to others?