Serve the King Diligently Luke 19:11-27

I. The King, His Servants, and Life until He Returns (vv. 11-14)

- A. Two False Views of Christ's Kingdom: Now and Worldly Glory
- B. The Nobleman and His Servants: Christ and His Disciples
- C. The Pound, the Accounting, and the Trial

II. Three Responses to the Kingdom of Jesus Christ (vv. 15-27)

- A. The Citizens: Be Ruled by Christ or Ruined by Him
- B. The First and Second Servants: Increase but Unequal Blessing
- C. Another Servant: Laziness and Loss

III. Service That Will be Rewarded and Expanded

- A. Expect Christ's Return and Kingdom Fullness
- B. Use and Multiply His Word
- C. Serve Diligently in Light of His Coming
- D. Know Christ's Grace, Otherwise Horror Coming
- E. Be Patient unto the Coming of the Lord (James 5:7-8)

From Today's AM Sermon

- 1. Why did our Lord speak this parable?
- 2. What was he teaching by giving one pound to all?
- 3. What is the period between Christ's ascension and return?
- 4. What hints are we given about the duration of this period?
- 5. How are the first and second servants different?
- 6. What were the problems with the "other" servant?
- 7. Why should we want to serve Christ diligently?