



Jesus, the Lord of the Sabbath

Luke 6:1-11

- 1) Obedient Christians are watched & scrutinized (1-2)
 - a) Harmless actions often judged as sin
 - b) Ignorance of Scripture causes our criticism of others
 - c) Self-righteousness leads to sinful judgment
 - d) Corrupt people ease their consciences w/ rituals
 - e) We must not, after a feud, draw back from public worship
- 2) Believers must be able to defend their actions w/ Scripture (3-4)
 - a) Must know both contents & meaning
 - b) Ignorance is shameful for teachers
 - c) Christ came to free us from unscriptural impositions
- 3) Jesus, the Son of Man, is God (5; cf. Matt. 12:7-8)
- 4) If Jesus had enemies, so too will His followers (6-11)
- 5) General observations
 - a) God provides for His people, especially those engaged in His work
 - b) Beware of legalists who call actions unlawful that God hasn't
 - c) Stretch forth your hand to Christ in faith
 - d) Works of necessity & worship are lawful on *any* day of the week