

Sermon Review

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“Unless You Become As One of These”

Scripture: Matthew 18: 1-6

As the disciples asked Jesus about the greatest in the kingdom of heaven's, Jesus responded by pulling a child close to Him and saying, unless you become as this child you will not enter into the kingdom of heaven. Jesus was referencing the innocence that children have in their personal belief system, prior to being corrupted by the world and its sinfulness. Jesus was telling His disciples in essence that they needed to believe in Him, with genuine and pure faith with no regard for personal status or position. Jesus wants His believers and followers to maintain a childlikeness with its' growing and maturing process, with its humble and trusting hearts, rather than to be childish with its' untrusting, insincere, immature and rebellious attitudes. Our children who are our most valued treasures are indeed our future and there must be consistent care for them, as they grow. We are all God's children, and we are all need to seek a relationship with our heavenly Father that strengthens our relationship with Him and His world. We must become as one of these.

Be Blessed.

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