



The Parables of the Hidden Treasure and the Pearl

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What subjects or activities really capture your time and attention? Jesus said that where your heart is that is where your treasure will be (your time, energy and your money).
2. Have you ever thought of knowing Jesus is like searching for hidden treasure? Or when you have stumbled upon Jesus that you would sacrifice everything to secure him for yourself?
3. How much of our time, attention, and intentional pursuit is channeled toward Jesus? Are you aware that Jesus is present with you and in you for all phases of the day, and all stages of life?
4. Have you considered how the singular pursuit of a desired object or interest can bring on trials, sacrifice, and suffering like in the life of Bonheoffer?
5. How valuable is grace to you? Does your heart and attitude reflect deep gratitude? Does your use of time and actions demonstrate a life of following Jesus?