

PLEASANT VIEW PROCLAIMER

December 26, 2021

The Greatest Gift (Romans 5:6-11)

What is the greatest gift anyone has ever given you? What made it special? Obviously, a lot of thought, time, energy, and money is directed toward the giving of gifts during this time of year, but **what determines the true value of a gift?**

In answering this question, we will be looking at the crucifixion of Christ, and discussing the reasons why this single action is the greatest gift ever given to mankind.

What things determine the true value of a gift?

1. M _____ - **The Level of Sacrifice**
(Luke 21:1-4; Phil 2:5-8; Isa 53:3-12)

How much of what Jesus had to give was part of His gift to us?

2. M _____ - **The Worthiness of the Recipient**

Did we deserve the sacrifice of Christ? Christ died for us while we were:

- a. W _____ (Rom 5:6a)
- b. W _____ (Rom 5:6b)
- c. W _____ (Rom 5:7-8)
- d. W _____ (Rom 5:10)

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May the new year bring us:
Enough happiness
to keep us sweet
Enough trials
to keep us strong
Enough sorrow
to keep us human
Enough hope
to keep us happy
Enough failure
to keep us humble
Enough success
to keep us eager
Enough friends
to give us comfort
Enough wealth
to meet our needs
Enough enthusiasm
to make us look forward
to tomorrow
Enough determination
to make each day better
than the day before

3. M _____ - **The Reason for the Gift** PRAYER LIST
(Rom 5:8; John 3:16)

Why did God give His Son to us on the cross?

4. M _____ - **The Significance of the Benefit to Your Life**

Ultimately, how does the gift benefit us? What is the meaning or significance of it for our life?

- a. P _____ (Rom 5:9a)
- b. P _____ (Rom 5:9b)
- c. P _____ (Rom 5:10a)
- d. P _____ (Rom 5:10b)
- e. P _____ (Rom 5:11)

*Note: In order for His sacrifice to truly be a **gift**, we have to accept it.*

- **Freddie Brown** is recovering at home after an ICU visit last week
- **Pat Agee**, Tim's father, has started therapy
- Jearmie's aunt **Louise Tinsley** is on hospice at home
- **Isabel Johnson**, 16-year-old friend of the Agees, will have a stem cell transplant next week
- **Jim Sims** and **Tonda Jones** continue to deal with cancer
- Continue to remember **Kristine Garrett, Faye Waller, John Hayes, and Ann Reed**

SERVING TODAY (December 26, 2021)

SUNDAY SCHOOL

Read: J. Buchanan
Prayer: J. Gupton

WORSHIP

Read: R. Mayo
Wait On Table: D. Billingsley
Serve: D. Demonbreun, E. Walker
Prayer: M. Reed