

“ICONIC: The Life of Christ in the Gospel of John”

Inner Motivations

John 12:1-12

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I. _____ to Jesus

John 12:3

Then Mary took about a pint of pure nard, an expensive perfume; she poured it on Jesus' feet and wiped his feet with her hair. And the house was filled with the fragrance of the perfume.

A. _____

B. Nothing is _____ my _____

II Samuel 6

C. Full _____

II. The world will say that _____ and _____ to Jesus are a _____

John 12:4-5

But one of his disciples, Judas Iscariot, who was later to betray him, objected, “Why wasn’t this perfume sold and the money given to the poor? It was worth a year’s wages.”

III. Mary is recognizing _____

John 12:7

“Leave her alone,” Jesus replied. “It was intended that she should save this perfume for the day of my burial. “

A. If you think _____ you don’t understand. We can never achieve salvation.

B. If you think you are _____ you don’t have to be. He is.

IV. People came to see if Jesus really was _____

John 12:9

Meanwhile a large crowd of Jews found out that Jesus was there and came, not only because of him but also to see Lazarus, whom he had raised from the dead.

Next Steps:

1. Consider how much you think about Jesus; how much attention you give him.
2. Don’t let the world’s attitude discourage you from adoring Jesus.
3. Commit to regular attendance at our weekend services.