

Come Close to God like a Child

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Luke 18:1-43

“Let the children come to me, and do not hinder them, for to such belongs the kingdom of God. Truly, I say to you, whoever does not receive the kingdom of God like a child shall not enter it.” (Luke 18:16-17, ESV)

Introduction

Jesus is glad to have anyone come close to Him like a child. Today, let's look at Luke Chapter 18 and consider how we can come close to Him.

1. Pray

A. Persistence (vv.1-8)

B. Humility (vv.9-17)

2. Follow

A. Purity (vv.18-27)

B. Singlemindedness (vv.28-30)

3. Believe

A. Teachability (vv.31-34)

B. Simpleness (vv.35-43)

For our prayers, study, discussion, and application

1. Do you pray without ceasing?
2. Are you following what Jesus said?
3. Do you believe He does miracles still now?

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