

Sermon Notes

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Title: Eavesdropping on the Trinity

Main Text: Mat 11:25-30

Sermon Description: This prayer recorded in Matthew shines like an other-worldly jewel normally reserved for beholding in heavenly glory! The curtain of our finite world is pulled back to hear the worship of heaven. Themes celebrated by the Godhead are here proclaimed in doxological beauty. This summary of John 17 underscores Christ's priesthood bringing together themes of worship, kindness, and severity. Its literary context reminds the disciple that even in the decay of imploding culture, there remains a remnant sheltered on the island of redemption in a sea of fearful reckoning.

HEADING: CONVERSTAION TOPICS WORTHY OF THE GODHEAD:

1. THE JUDGEMENTS AND MERCY OF SOVERIEGN REVELATION Mat 11:25

- a. Context
- b. Contrast of circumstances
- c. Kindness and severity worthy of praise

2. THE WAYS AND MEANS OF REDEMPTION Mat 11:26-27

- a. Foundation of salvation
- b. Redemptive roles
- c. Union with Christ

3. THE PANORAMIC PARABLE OF DIVINE PRAYER Mat 121: 28-30

- a. The laboring and heavy laden
- b. Yoke, teaching, and rest
- c. Rendered easy and light

Conclusion: Consider the awe-striking reality of listening through the keyhole of God's throne room to the conversations of the Trinity... Let this reality bring the exaltation of heaven's chorus to your own prayers and worship!

FAMILY WORSHIP SCHEDULE:

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Theme: wise judgements	Theme: something greater	Theme: sovereign revelation	Theme: ways and means	Theme: burden light	Theme: calvary prayer
Verses: Mat 11:20-24	Verses: Mat 12:6,41,42	Verses: Mat 11:25-26	Verses: Mat 11:26-27	Verses: Mat 11:28-30	Verses: Mat 26:39-42