

WHO IS THIS MAN?

## **THE QUESTION OF QUESTIONS**

Mark 10:17-27      Jeff Schreve

*And as He was setting out on a journey, a man ran up to Him and knelt before Him, and began asking Him, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" Mark 10:17*

**What do we learn from the question of questions?**

**1. Eternal life is the critical issue of life.**

*For what shall it profit a man, if he shall gain the whole world, and lose his own soul? Mark 8:36 KJV*

**2. Eternal life is not something that can be earned or deserved.**

*"You know the commandments ...." Mark 10:19*

A. Heaven is a perfect place, and man is an imperfect creature.

*"THERE IS NONE RIGHTEOUS, NOT EVEN ONE."*

*Romans 3:10*

B. The Law cannot save you, it can only condemn you.

*Therefore the Law has become our tutor to lead us to Christ, that we may be justified by faith. Galatians 3:24*

**3. Eternal life is gained by sacrifice.**

*And looking at him, Jesus felt a love for him, and said to him, "One thing you lack: go and sell all you possess, and give to the poor, and you shall have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me." Mark 10:21*

A. You must turn from all false gods.

B. You must surrender your life to Jesus.

C. You will experience the greatest miracle of all.

*For He delivered us from the domain of darkness, and transferred us to the kingdom of His beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins. Colossians 1:13-14*

**Have you correctly responded to the question of questions?**