

*To Save Your Life, Lose It*

Flip the Script – Part 4

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Q. What part of your life’s script would you want re-written?

John 12:20-26 *Now there were some Greeks among those who were going up to worship at the feast; 21 these then came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida of Galilee, and began to ask him, saying, "Sir, we wish to see Jesus." 22 Philip came and told Andrew; Andrew and Philip came and told Jesus. 23 And Jesus answered them, saying, "The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. 24 Truly, truly, I say to you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains alone; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. 25 He who loves his life loses it, and he who hates his life in this world will keep it to life eternal. 26 If anyone serves Me, he must follow Me; and where I am, there My servant will be also; if anyone serves Me, the Father will honor him.”*

How to Save Your Life by Losing It?

1. Don’t waste your life on what is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (Vs. 20-22)

Greeks interested in Jesus represented three things:

1. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ –
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ –
3. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ –

Matthew 16:25-26*, ”For whoever wishes to save his life will lose it; but whoever loses his life for My sake will find it. For what will it profit a man if he gains the whole world and forfeits his soul? Or what will a man give in exchange for his soul?”*

1. Invest your life in that which \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. (John 12:23)
2. \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your temporal life for life that lasts. (John 12:24-26)

Point:

Doggy Bag: Something to take home and chew on!

1. What am I investing my life in?
2. How much of my life, my passion, my energy, am I investing in that which is temporary?
3. How much of my life, my passion, my energy, am I investing in that which is eternal? How?
4. At my funeral what would I want people to say about the way I lived my life? When my life is over what will I have wanted it to accomplish?