

# NOTES

FEBRUARY 6 & 7, 2021  
**ON YOUR ETERNITY**  
MATTHEW 25:14-30

## Introduction

1. What do you believe about the Master's \_\_\_\_\_?
2. What are you \_\_\_\_\_ for the Master's \_\_\_\_\_?
3. What can you expect by way of the Master's \_\_\_\_\_?
4. What is your view of the Master's \_\_\_\_\_?

## **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS** FOR FAMILY, FRIENDS & GROUPS

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1. If someone volunteered to give \$100,000 to the charity of your choice (other than Christ Community), where would you direct the gift? Why?
2. Read Matthew 6:19-24. List all the reasons that you can find in this passage for giving generously to the Lord's work.
3. Read Matthew 25:14, 15. If our money belongs to the Master (i.e. Jesus), why do we tend to look at it as "ours" (i.e. to do with as we please)?
4. Read Malachi 3:8-10. What does God call our neglect of bringing him tithes and offerings? Why? Do you usually think about your giving as being this big a deal to God? Explain.
5. Read Matthew 25:16-23. These servants put their money to work for their master's benefit. Assuming that God could make ministry happen without our personal financial contribution, why do you think he wants our participation? When you give to Christ Community, how does that benefit (or bless) Jesus?
6. Reread Matthew 25: 21, 23. What two rewards does the master give his faithful servants? How do we experience these rewards when we give to the Lord's work? What are some here-and-now rewards that givers experience?
7. Read Matthew 25:24-30. How did the third servant view his master? How did that impact what he did with his money? How might our view of Jesus' character impact our giving?
8. As a group, come up with the top 3 reasons people have for not tithing. Then, discuss what might God's response be to each of these.