

Sermon Quotes
November 12th, 2006
Study of Hebrews- Expressing Faith By Our Lives

Quote by Spurgeon about laying down burdens, read during worship time

“You are meddling with Christ's business, and neglecting your own when you fret about your lot and circumstances. You have been trying “providing” work and forgetting that it is yours to obey. Be wise and attend to the obeying, and let Christ manage the providing. Come and survey your Father's storehouse, and ask whether he will let you starve while he has laid up so great an abundance in his garner? Look at his heart of mercy; see if that can ever prove unkind! Look at his inscrutable wisdom; see if that will ever be at fault. Above all, look up to Jesus Christ your Intercessor, and ask yourself, while he pleads, can your Father deal ungraciously with you? If he remembers even sparrows, will he forget one of the least of his poor children? “Cast thy burden upon the Lord, and he will sustain thee. He will never suffer the righteous to be moved.”

—Charles Spurgeon

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John 13:35 “By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another.”

1 John 4:11-12 “Beloved, if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another. (12) No one has ever seen God; if we love one another, God abides in us and his love is perfected in us.”

Then a few verses later...with even more emphasis:

1 John 4:20-21 “...He who does not love his brother whom he has seen cannot love God whom he has not seen. (21) And this commandment we have from him: whoever loves God must also love his brother.”

1 Peter 4:8-9 “Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins. (9) **Show hospitality** to one another **without grumbling.**”

Hospitality – “Welcoming strangers into your home and treating them as special guests.”

1 Corinthians 12:24-26 “...But God has so composed the body, giving greater honor to the part that lacked it, (25) that there may be no division in the body, but that the members may have the same care for one another. (26) **If one member suffers, all suffer together**; if one member is honored, all rejoice together.”

Ephesians 5:2-3, 5-6 “And walk in love, as Christ loved us and gave himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God. (3) But sexual immorality and all impurity or covetousness must not even be named among you, as is proper among saints...(5) For you may be sure of this, that everyone who is sexually immoral or impure, or who is covetous (that is, an idolater), has no inheritance in the kingdom of Christ and God. (6) Let no one deceive you with empty words, for because of these things the wrath of God comes upon the sons of disobedience.”

1 Timothy 6:9-10 “But those who desire to be rich fall into temptation, into a snare, into many senseless and harmful desires that plunge people into ruin and destruction. (10) For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evils. It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith and pierced themselves with many pangs.”

“When the service is over, I know who will go away with dancing feet and sparkling eyes, to sleep sweetly through the night, and wake tomorrow morning fresh as a lark with a song on his tongue. It is that poor, simple Christian who really believes his God, and says, ‘Yes, he will never leave me, nor forsake me.’ Though he has scarcely a shoe to his foot, though he has scarcely a penny in his pocket, and though he is brought very low...yet if he has **grasped the promise**, he has such a wellspring of delight within him that his soul shall be satisfied in time of drought, and in days of famine he shall be filled to the full. Oh, to be full of that blessed folly that treats God as He ought to be treated, and believes what He says, and acts on His promises and finds them to be true.”

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