GETTING OUR PRIORITIES RIGHT

Matthew 6:33

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I. **FIRST, NOTICE HOW THE VERSE INVITES US TO SEEK _____ PRIORITIES (Matthew 6:33a)** ***"Seek ye first the kingdom of God . . ."***

A. Priority #1--_____ the King—Get *Saved*.

B. Priority #2—_____ with King—Be a *Servant*.

II. SECONDLY, NOTE HOW THIS VERSE INSTRUCTS US TO SEEK _____ PURITY (Matthew 6:33b). ***". . . and his righteousness . . ."***

Just how do we ***. . . seek . . . his righteousness . . ."***?

A. First, we must _____ it (Matthew 5:6). ***"Blessed is they which thirst after righteousness for they shall be filled."***

B. Secondly, we must _____ or understand it (Philippians 3:9). ***"And be found in him, not having mine own righteousness, which is of the law, but that which is through the faith of Christ, the righteousness which is of God by faith."***

C. Thirdly, we must _____ or portray it.

III. THIRDLY, CONSIDER HOW THE VERSE INFORMS US TO SEE _____ PROSPERITY (Matthew 6:33c). ***". . . and all these things shall be added unto you."***

What ***"things"*** was the Lord referring to? He is talking about everything that people worry about:

A. First, people worry about _____ (6:19).

B. Secondly, people worry about _____(6:25).

C. Thirdly, people worry about _____ (6:27).

D. Fourthly, people worry about _____ (6:28).

INSERT: Two excuses that keep us trapped in mediocrity:

1. **First, it is _____-_____.**
2. **Secondly, it is the "_____ _____" excuse.**

CONCLUSION: QUESTION: ***"Are you a God-seeking person?*** **If not, where do you begin. Five suggestions:**

1. **First, _____ your need.**
2. **Secondly, _____ _____ to the Lord.**
3. **Thirdly, _____ yourself with God-seeking people.**
4. **Fourthly, _____ on the Lord.**
5. **Fifthly, _____ time in prayer and meditation.**