



THE
KINGDOM
OF GOD IS NEAR

LEARNING KINGDOM VALUES

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- No one attains, earns, or works for their place in God's Kingdom—
—we are **born** into it.
- God's Kingdom doesn't **operate** in the ways that worldly kingdoms do.

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- The **values** of God's Kingdom are radically different.
- The Kingdom of God is the true context for **discipleship**.

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- In His absence, Jesus expects us to **demonstrate** and **explain** God's Kingdom today.
- In our enthusiasm over God's forgiveness and mercy, we have **overlooked** His purposes and plans.

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- When we are focused on God's Kingdom, we find ourselves immersed in **His priorities**.
- We must **learn** the **ways** of God's Kingdom.

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- We are trying to live our lives by the **values** of the world's kingdom.
- As children of the kingdom, we have an **inheritance** from God.

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- Notice the difference between “dominion of **darkness**” and the “kingdom of **light**.”
- Wouldn't it be awful to have a grand inheritance of children of the light, but still **choose** to live life as though we were in darkness?

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- The task of discipleship is the work of learning a new way to live, turning Kingdom values into practical **actions**.
- They will see the light if we live like we are **in** the light!