



Your Kingdom Come

Religion + Politics!

[Matthew 22:15-46]

- Herodians and Pharisee disciples try to _____ Jesus (Matthew 22:15-22)
- Sadducees _____ Jesus about resurrection (Matthew 22:23-33)
- Legal expert of the Pharisees _____ Jesus (Matthew 22:34-40)

“These are the greatest commandments because they go to the essence of the way God has created humans to live: giving oneself to God and to others to fulfill His purposes for us as the crown of His creation in displaying in our lives the glory of God’s Kingdom on earth.” - Michael J. Wilkins

- Jesus _____ the Pharisees (Matthew 22:41-46)



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Application

- Although the coin was an image bearer of Caesar, we are image bearers of God. Read Rom. 12:1-2 and answer the question: What belongs to God?
- The Kingdom of God operates in any political system, are you operating more for an earthly kingdom or for God’s kingdom? (Read Romans 13:1-7; 1 Peter 2:13-17)
- Vs. 33 - “astonished” = The people were astonished by the word of God, are you?
- In what ways are you growing in your love for God and for your neighbor?
- How do you explain to someone who Jesus is?

