

“No Little People” Luke 19:1-10

I. The Swindler

Proverbs 20:17 ; Ecclesiastes 6:2-3

II. The Stymied

A) Wrestling ‘Success’

“You have made us for yourself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in you.” St. Augustine, Confessions.

Mark 8:36 *What good is it for a man to gain the whole world, yet forfeit his soul?*

B) An Unlikely Means

III. The Surprised

A) The Man who didn’t ask ...

1) Jesus came after Z. while he was in the midst _____.

2) Jesus didn’t beg, He _____.

3) Jesus knew his _____.

... Parable of the Pearl; Mt 13:45-46

B) The friend of sinners ...

IV. The Saved

A) Tangible Change

2 Cor 5:17 *Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation. The old has passed away; behold, the new has come.*

Matthew 7:21-23

B) Mission impossible

Matthew 1:21