Message: Go sell your possession and follow me Text : Mark 10 verse 21 Bible Passage : Mark 10 verse 17- 30

17 ¶ And when he was gone forth into the way, there came one running, and kneeled to him, and asked him, Good Master, what shall I do that I may inherit eternal life? 18 And Jesus said unto him, Why callest thou me good? *there is* none good but one, *that is*, God. 19 Thou knowest the commandments, Do not commit adultery, Do not kill, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Defraud not, Honour thy father and mother. 20 And he answered and said unto him, Master, all these have I observed from my youth. 21 Then Jesus beholding him loved him, and said unto him, One thing thou lackest: go thy way, sell whatsoever thou hast, and give to the poor, and thou shalt have treasure in heaven: and come, take up the cross, and follow me. 22 And he was sad at that saying, and went away grieved: for he had

great possessions. 23 ¶ And Jesus looked round about, and saith unto his disciples, How hardly shall they that have riches enter into the kingdom of God! 24 And the disciples were astonished at his words. But Jesus answereth again, and saith unto them, Children, how hard is it for them that trust in riches to enter into the kingdom of God! 25 It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God. 26 And they were astonished out of measure, saying among themselves, Who then can be saved? 27 And Jesus looking upon them saith, With men *it is* impossible, but not with God: for with God all things are possible. 28 ¶ Then Peter began to say unto him, Lo, we have left all, and have followed thee. 29 And Jesus answered and said, Verily I say unto you, There is no man that hath left house, or brethren, or sisters, or father, or mother, or wife, or children, or lands, for my sake, and the gospel's, 30 But he shall receive an hundredfold now in this time, houses, and brethren, and sisters, and mothers, and children, and lands, with persecutions; and in the world to come eternal life.

Our Message is taking from the book of Mark 10 verse 21 and is titled "go sell your possessions and follow me" Jesus was talking with a certain rich man who asked for the requirement for eternal life, Jesus looked back at him and said after the man told him that he has always been obeying the commandment, to go sell his possessions.

Do you want the gift of eternal life, do you want God to be your supplier, do you want God to always be there when you call upon him? Do you want God to be your friend and God, then follow Jesus's instructions to go sell your possessions and follow him.

To be a follower of Christ and to benefit from his kingdom (good health, abundant supply, prosperity, increase), you must sell off or release certain things. For the benefit of this teaching we shall be looking at the possessions to give to the poor and also possessions to completely get rid of.....

To sell your possessions means to (Possessions to give to the poor)

- To bless those who the Lord has blessed Genesis 12
- To help the needy with your substance
- To impact lives, community and environments with your God's given potentials
- To be a life changer
- To release unto others
- To quench the thirst of those who are thirsty
- Supply the needs of the needy
- To comfort those that mourn
- Money
- Time

- Clothing's
- Gifts
- Payer
- Comfort
- Encouragement
- Hope
- Etc.....

What are the possessions that you must totally get rid?

To let go of things as in John 12 verse 24 " Verily , verily I say unto you except a corn of wheat fall into the ground and die, it abideth alone, but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit :-Unfriendly friends Malice

Anger Worldliness Sins of every kind etc.....

Beloved whatever you give either to the poor or completely remove from your life, the Lord will adequately reward you far more than what you are given......

Come follow me and will make you fisher of men, after given up their circular word, the Lord Jesus gave them what he promised and even something spiritual that money could not buy as seen in Mark 1 verse 16- 18 and in Acts 2 verse 41 (The Bible said about three thousands souls were worn by Apostle Peter's teaching and also in Acts 2 verse 1- 10, He led the group of them who received the Baptism of the Holy spirit

Altar call.....are you attached to your possessions and at the same time want to follow Christ, beloved it is impossible, In Acts 5 verses 1- 10, Ananians and Sapphira died for not letting go of their possessions. Right there you can ask God to help you part way with your possession.....

Prayer

- 1. Lord Jesus help me to be of help to others in the name of Jesus
- 2. Whatever is in me that will not allow me to follow Christ release me in the name of Jesus
- 3. Lord Jesus help me to give you all in the name of Jesus
- 4. I refused to be deafened to the cry of the needy in the name of Jesus
- 5. Old man in me die in the name of Jesus
- 6. My possessions shall not destroy my heaven in the name of Jesus
- 7. Partial obedience I reject you in my life in the name of Jesus
- 8. My greed and obsessions shall not destroy me in the name of Jesus
- 9. Whatever
- 10. Lord help me to release to the poor so that I can receive more from you
- 11. Thou power of no to the call of God release me and die in the name of Jesus
- 12. Agenda of the enemies to use my possession against me fail now in the name of Jesus
- 13. I refused to my eternity because of earthly possessions in the name of Jesus
- 14. Lord open my understanding to the things beyond my understanding in the name of Jesus
- 15. Father Lord, you gave me all I have, help me to give unto others without complaining in the name of Jesus
- 16. Satanic manipulation of my mind towards the things of God, fail now in the name of Jesus
- 17. My possession shall not make God to hate me in the name of Jesus

- 18. Lord open my eyes to see what you want me to see and not what I want to see in the name of Jesus
- 19. I refused to turn my back against Jesus because of material possessions in the name of Jesus
- 20. Lord I thank you for helping me in this race in the name of Jesus