

Dudes, pt 11

The Betrayal Dude

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What Can I Learn From Judas Iscariot?

Four Traps That Push Me Away From Christ And How To Avoid Them

Trap #1: Put My Expectations On Jesus While Refusing
To Adopt His Expectations For Me!

How To Avoid This Trap

Surrender Control. He Is In Charge
And I'm Not!

Trap #2 Fall In Love With What Jesus Offers Instead
Of Falling In Love With Jesus.

How To Avoid This Trap:

Love Jesus Period.

The One Thing:

Jesus Offers _____ After _____
To _____ My _____!

Trap #3 _____ It. Live For What _____ Think
Rather Than What _____ Thinks.

Matthew 26:14-15 ¹⁴ Then one of the Twelve—the one called Judas Iscariot—went to the chief priests ¹⁵ and asked, "What are you willing to give me if I hand him over to you?" So they counted out for him thirty silver coins.

Matthew 26:19-25 ¹⁹ So the disciples did as Jesus had directed them and prepared the Passover. ²⁰ When evening came, Jesus was reclining at the table with the Twelve. ²¹ And while they were eating, he said, "I tell you the truth, one of you will betray me." ²² They were very sad and began to say to him one after the other, "Surely not I, Lord?" ²³ Jesus replied, "The one who has dipped his hand into the bowl with me will betray me. ²⁴ The Son of Man will go just as it is written about him. But woe to that man who betrays the Son of Man! It would be better for him if he had not been born." ²⁵ Then Judas, the one who would betray him, said, "Surely not I, Rabbi?" Jesus answered, "Yes, it is you."

How To Avoid This Trap

Care _____ About What Jesus Thinks!

Trap #4 _____ My Heart When Given The
Chance To Change.

Matthew 27:1-10 ¹ Early in the morning, all the chief priests and the elders of the people came to the decision to put Jesus to death. ² They bound him, led him away and handed him over to Pilate, the governor. ³ When Judas, who had betrayed him, saw that Jesus was condemned, he was seized with remorse and returned the thirty silver coins to the chief priests and the elders. ⁴ "I have sinned," he said, "for I have betrayed innocent blood." "What is that to us?" they replied. "That's your responsibility." ⁵ So Judas threw the money into the temple and left. Then he went away and hanged himself. ⁶ The chief priests picked up the coins and said, "It is against the law to put this into the treasury, since it is blood money." ⁷ So they decided to use the money to buy the potter's field as a burial place for foreigners. ⁸ That is why it has been called the Field of Blood to this day. ⁹ Then what was spoken by Jeremiah the prophet was fulfilled: "They took the thirty silver coins, the price set on him by the people of Israel, ¹⁰ and they used them to buy the potter's field, as the Lord commanded me."

How To Avoid This Trap

_____ My Heart, _____ Around,
And _____ on Grace!