

## **Bridging the Gap**

"It Has to Come From the Heart"

Matthew 25:31-46



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***"When the Son of Man comes in his glory, and all the angels with him, then he will sit on his glorious throne. Before him will be gathered all the nations, and he will separate people one from another as a shepherd separates the sheep from the goats." (vv. 31-32)***

### **WHO DO WE SERVE?**

***And the King will answer them, 'Truly, I say to you, as you did it to one of the least of these my brothers, you did it to me.'* (v. 40)**

***So then, as we have opportunity, let us do good to everyone, and especially to those who are of the household of faith. (Gal. 6:10)***

### **WHY DO WE SERVE THEM?**

***... If you pour yourself out for the hungry and satisfy the desire of the afflicted, then shall your light rise in the darkness and your gloom be as the noonday. (Isaiah 58:10)***

### **WHAT ARE THE STAKES?**

***Then the King will say to those on his right, 'Come, you who are blessed by my Father, inherit the kingdom prepared for you from the foundation of the world.'* (v. 34)**

***"Then he will say to those on his left, 'Depart from me, you cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels...'" (v. 41)***

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