

The Parables Of Jesus

Lesson 14

The Parable Of The Rich Man & Lazarus (Lk. 16:19-31)

Where & When:

- During *The Perea Ministry* (cp. Jn. 10:40-42)
 - The same as *The Parable Of The Unjust Steward* [see page 28]

Occasion Producing The Parable:

- The same as *The Parable Of The Unjust Steward* [see page 28]

Questions:

- 1) Do you believe this is a parable, or an account of a real event? Consider the following in your answer: **Lk. 10:30; 14:16; 15:11; 16:1.**
- 2) How are the 2 characters described? (**vv. 19-21**) *Thought question:* what would have been a "usual day" for both of them prior to v. 22?
- 3) What happened to both men? (**v. 22; Eccl. 9:2-5; Heb. 9:27**) Though very much different while they both lived, how were these 2 men similar in death? (**1 Tim. 6:7**)
- 4) What do **vv. 19-21** tell us about the "after life"...no matter how good and/or bad life on earth was?
- 5) What is implied about each man, given v. 22? What begins to be described in v. 23?
- 6) How is what the rich man does in v. 24 different than how he lived on earth?

