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WEEKLY MINISTRY MEDITATIONS

Pronounced "Soul"

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The Best in Life is Free!

MATTHEW 6:21 NKJV – (21) For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

I received a phone call (1-800 #), stating that my wife and I had won a free trip to the Bahamas! All expenses PAID!

I am amazed at how many people fall for these false promises. People actually investigate these empty promises in hopes that such a thing is true. I always am reminded of a lesson I learned a long ago. If it is free, what do you want from me? And if they tell you what they expect you to do, you just paid a price! It is never free!!!!

Publishers Clearing House. It is sad how many people run after this and, in their efforts, pay for the prize that others receive – it is not free after all. The point - look at the devotion, commitment and prioritizing we establish in something we actually believe. Jesus died for us and it was free!!! Yet, it does not seem like many are devoting, committing or prioritizing themselves to this.

Therefore, what Jesus references in the above scripture is this.... *For where your treasure is* - If God is the treasure of our souls and our hearts then our affections and desires will be placed on things above. An earthly-minded man proves that his treasure is below; a heavenly-minded man shows that his treasure is above.

SCRIPTURE READING

PSALM 56:4

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

May all your days have Son-shine!