

## Lesson 74: John 11:18-27

1. Chapter 11 Theme: \_\_\_\_\_

2. v18-27: \_\_\_\_\_ Instead of \_\_\_\_\_:

- a. It is obvious from verses 21 and 32 that Mary and Martha's first impulse was to \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord for not coming \_\_\_\_\_ instead of \_\_\_\_\_ Him for coming at \_\_\_\_\_.
- b. What happens when we respond to tribulation this way?
  - 1) It demonstrates a \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ on our part. Since \_\_\_\_\_ is the key that unlocks the \_\_\_\_\_ of God, then \_\_\_\_\_ God can only \_\_\_\_\_ our ability to insert and turn the key to the unlocked position.
  - 2) It also brings Him \_\_\_\_\_ in place of the \_\_\_\_\_ He desires and deserves.
- c. The example of Paul and Silas:
  - 1) The Work: *Read Acts 16:16-18.*
  - 2) The Gratitude for The Work: *Read Acts 16:19-21.*
    - a) v19: "And when her masters saw that \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ was gone..."
    - b) v21: "And teach \_\_\_\_\_, which are \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ for us to receive..."
  - 3) The People's Choice: *Read Acts 16:22-24.*
    - a) Paul and Silas are \_\_\_\_\_ and then \_\_\_\_\_ with rods.
    - b) Cast into the inner most part of the \_\_\_\_\_ with their feet fastened in \_\_\_\_\_.
    - c) All this without a \_\_\_\_\_ or even a chance to legally \_\_\_\_\_ themselves.
  - 4) Paul and Silas' Choice: They had two choices to choose from:
    - a) Choice 1: Claim \_\_\_\_\_ and start \_\_\_\_\_ God

- b) Choice 2: Claim \_\_\_\_\_ and start \_\_\_\_\_ God - *Read Acts 16:25.*
- 1] What is their attitude?
  - 2] How do they have this attitude?
    - a] 2 Tim 1:12 - (The promises of Heb 13:5 and Rom 8:28).
    - b] They understood and lived by Phil 4:13.
    - c] They practiced Eph 5:20.
    - d] They understood the powerful biblical truth of 2 Cor 12:8-10.
  - 3] What are the results of this attitude?
    - a] It unlocks the \_\_\_\_\_ power of God: *Read Acts 16:26.*
    - b] It provides us with our best opportunities to \_\_\_\_\_ to others:
      - 1- Through our \_\_\_\_\_: *Read Acts 16:27-29.*  
*Read Matt 5:44*
      - 2- Through our \_\_\_\_\_: *Read Acts 16:30-32.*
    - c] It unlocks the \_\_\_\_\_ power of God: *Read Acts 16: 33-34.*
    - d] It prepares us to be able to \_\_\_\_\_ others: *Read Acts 16:40.*
- d. What spiritual lesson is Jesus about to teach Mary and Martha?
- 1) When we \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord instead of \_\_\_\_\_ Him,
  - 2) and claim \_\_\_\_\_ in lieu of \_\_\_\_\_,
  - 3) and refuse to \_\_\_\_\_ in our \_\_\_\_\_,
  - 4) we can \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of God,
  - 5) and bring great \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ to His name.
- 3. Homework:** Study Mark 5:21-24, 35-42 and determine the spiritual lesson that Jesus is trying to teach us through this miracle.