

The Rich Young Ruler

Matthew 19:16-22

One day a rich, young ruler came to Jesus. The young man asked Jesus, "What good thing shall I do to inherit eternal life?"

Jesus told the young man if he wanted eternal life, he should keep the commandments.

"Which commandments?" he asked.

Jesus told him, not to murder, or steal, or lie. Jesus said to honor your father and mother, and love your neighbor as yourself.

The young man said he had kept all these commandments from his youth. He asked Jesus what he was still lacking.

Jesus said "Go and sell all you have and give to the poor. Then you will have treasure in heaven, and come and follow me."

When the young man heard those words, he went away very sad, because he had great riches.

Jesus was teaching that young man that if we want to live in heaven someday, we must follow Jesus and love Him more than anything else. Jesus loves us so much that He took the punishment for our sins by dying on the cross, so someday we can have a home in heaven. We should put Him first in our lives.

Search: Jesus wants us to be happy and enjoy our lives. We always should remember to put Jesus first and love him more than anything else. Find a football, a baseball, a baseball bat, a guitar, a car, a television, a dollar, a skateboard, a piece of cake, and 4 faces in the picture.



