

SERMON: THE PERFECT GIFT FOR EVERYONE

2nd Corinthians 9:15

Thanks be unto God for His unspeakable gift.

Introduction

You've heard it many times before: "Christmas is the time of giving." God started it when He gave us baby Jesus. John 3:16 makes it crystal clear. "For God so loved the world, that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish, but have everlasting life." The wise men reciprocated by giving Jesus gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh.

Over the centuries, gift giving became a cultural staple of the Yuletide season. Many people rack their brains, each year, trying to find the perfect Christmas gift for a family member, a friend, or a coworker. Numerous questions come to mind. Will they like it? Will it fit? Is it the right color? Will they consider it too cheap? If I get them an expensive gift and they cannot buy me a gift of equal value, will they be embarrassed? If I make them a gift using my artistic skills, will they think I am too cheap to buy one? Is a gift card too impersonal? What do you get the person who has everything? "Nothing" is not the correct answer!

Jesus is the perfect gift for everyone. Let me say that again: Jesus is the perfect gift for everyone. Let's see why.

Exposition

1. This Gift Is Unique In All Aspects.

2. This Gift Is Sorely Needed.

3. This Gift Is Very Expensive.

Closing Thoughts

This gift came wrapped in swaddling clothes. No assembly is necessary. Batteries were not included because none are needed. All one has to do is to accept Jesus as your personal Savior. The process is simple, but it must be sincere. To unwrap this perfect gift, you must believe that Jesus is God in sinless flesh, that He died for your sins, that He rose on the third day, and His blood will wash away all of you past, present, and

future sins. You must really believe this with your whole heart and confess it with your mouth. Getting saved is much easier than assembling a piece of furniture from Ikea or preparing for a performance in Carnegie Hall. So, if you are uncommitted, what are you waiting for? Give God Glory! Give God All The Glory!

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