

Luke 6:39-45

Go from "survive" to "thrive"

³⁹ He also told them this parable: 'Can the blind lead the blind? Will they not both fall into a pit?' ⁴⁰ The student is not above the teacher, but everyone who is fully trained will be like their teacher.

⁴¹ 'Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother's eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye?' ⁴² How can you say to your brother, "Brother, let me take the speck out of your eye," when you yourself fail to see the plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother's eye.

⁴³ 'No good tree bears bad fruit, nor does a bad tree bear good fruit. ⁴⁴ Each tree is recognised by its own fruit. People do not pick figs from thorn-bushes, or grapes from briars.

⁴⁵ A good man brings good things out of the good stored up in his heart, and an evil man brings evil things out of the evil stored up in his heart. For the mouth speaks what the heart is full of.

Luke 6:39-45. NIV-UK

If I choose the best teacher,**I will make 6:39-40**

I need a teacher.

Psalm 119:33-37. John 14:26

I need to be a student. Ac.17:11

. is to be my attitude

. is to be my goal

. is to be my umpire

If I remove my own impediments,**I can see 6:41-42**

Change begins in

Change in myself

Galatians 6:1 '...should restore gently'

If I am well pruned,**I will bear 6:43-44**

Fruit: an outward expression of the inner nature for the benefit of another.

Fruit of the Galatians 5:22-23

Fruit that would John 15:16

Fruit keeping with Matt.3:8

G R T Eph.5:8-9

Philippians 1:9-11. John 15:1-8

If I store up good in my heart,**I will be 6:45**

Whoever drinks of the water that I give will never thirst again. Indeed, the water I give will become a spring of water, welling up to eternal life. John 4:14

My prayer priorities, 15 April 2018**This week's song selection**

My lighthouse | Open the eyes of my heart | Teach me to dance | You are the vine | Shepherd of my soul | This Kingdom's reign and this Kingdom's rule | O church arise | Revive us o Lord

Thought starters for personal reflection, or group discussion

1. If you were a castaway survivor on a tropical island would you want to get back home in a hurry?
2. Who was your favourite teacher at school? Why?
3. List the qualities of a good school teacher. Is this similar for a good Bible teacher?
4. Is it ever right to offer to take the speck out of someone else's eye? (Luke 6:42. Galatians 6:1)
5. Read Ephesians 5:8-9. The fruit of the Light has three segments. Why do we need all three?
6. Read Galatians 5:22-23. Which segment of the fruit is easiest for you to express, and which segment is hardest?

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