

## THE STORIES of JESUS

Explosions of Truth

### BE ALERT

Stories of the Apocalypse

Matthew 24-25

### ALERT FOLLOWERS of JESUS

Matthew 25:1-30

*Alert followers of Jesus do not presume, they prepare.*

## PART II

### The Managers and Money

June 2, 2024

*How you prepare for Christ's return reveals whether you LOVE him at all.*

#### I. THE WEIGHT of the MATTER

*Five you placed in my hands, Five I have earned.*

*Wonderful, I will give you more. Come enjoy the party.*

25:20-21

##### A. What has He placed in YOUR HANDS?

- GLORY.
- GIFTS.
- GROANING.

##### B. What are you saying in your MIND ?

##### C. What do you want to hear him say to you on THAT DAY?

#### II. AN INVESTMENT STRATEGY

*After a long time, the master came and settled accounts. 25:19*

##### A. START EARLY

##### B. EVALUATE OFTEN

## START EARLY

Daily Core Realities

(Armor of God: Ephesians 6)

He Is . . . GOD

I Am . . . HIS

I Stand . . . SECURE

I'm Not . . . ALONE

I want . . . To Know HIM

I need . . . Truth

## EVALUATE OFTEN

Frequent "Reality Checks"

- S Be Still before the Lord
- T Listen to His Truth
- O Observe and Obey what He says
- P Praise Him