

THIS
ONE
THING

Philippians 3:13





One Thing You Lack...



Luke 18:18-30

Luke 18:18 A ruler questioned Him, saying, "Good Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?"

19 And Jesus said to him, "Why do you call Me good? No one is good except God alone. **20** You know the commandments, 'Do not commit adultery, Do not murder, Do not steal, Do not bear false witness, Honor your father and mother.'" **21** And he said, "All these things I have kept from my youth."

22 When Jesus heard this, He said to him, "One thing you still lack; sell all that



you possess and distribute it to the poor, and you shall have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me." **23** But when he had heard these things, he became very sad, for he was extremely rich. **24** And Jesus looked at him and said, "How hard it is for those who are wealthy to enter the kingdom of God! **25** "For it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." **26** They who heard it said, "Then who can be saved?"



27 But He said, "The things that are impossible with people are possible with God." **28** Peter said, "Behold, we have left our own homes and followed You." **29** And He said to them, "Truly I say to you, there is no one who has left house or wife or brothers or parents or children, for the sake of the kingdom of God, **30** who will not receive many times as much at this time and in the age to come, eternal life."



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Heaven for Earth.*



Luke 16:13 "No servant can serve two masters; for either he will hate the one and love the other, or else he will be devoted to one and despise the other. You cannot serve God and wealth." **14** Now the Pharisees, who were lovers of money, were listening to all these things and were scoffing at Him. **15** And He said to them, "You are those who justify yourselves in the sight of men, but God knows your hearts; for that which is highly esteemed among men is detestable in the sight of God."



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*It is possible to give
up Earth for Heaven -*



- but only with Christ.



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*It can be tempting for us to
choose Earth over Heaven.*



*Is there “one thing” standing
in my way?*



Is there “one thing” standing
in my way?

Fear?



Is there “one thing” standing
in my way?

Fear?

Pride?



Is there “one thing” standing
in my way?

Fear?

Pride?

*Sinful
Habit?*



Is there “one thing” standing
in my way?

Fear?

Pride?

Sinful
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Relationship?



*In Christ, we can give up
Earth to gain Heaven.*



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