

They Trample That Matchless Jewel

by Thomas Brooks

The sermon emphasizes the importance of prioritizing the eternal safety and security of our souls above all else.

Scripture: Proverbs 4:23, Ecclesiastes 12:7, Matthew 10:28, Matthew 16:26, Mark 8:36, Luke 12:20, 2 Corinthians 5:10, James 1:12, 1 Peter 1:9, Revelation 20:15

Topics: "Eternal Security", "Value of the Soul"

Description

Thomas Brooks emphasizes the immense value of the soul, describing it as a precious and immortal jewel that is capable of union and communion with God. He warns that the eternal safety of one's soul is the most critical concern in life, asserting that if the soul is secure, everything else is secure. Brooks laments that many people neglect this vital aspect of their existence, treating their souls with indifference and ultimately risking their eternal fate. He cautions that a time will come when those who have disregarded their souls will realize the grave loss of God, Christ, and heaven. The sermon serves as a poignant reminder to prioritize the well-being of our souls above all else.

Transcript

The soul is that spiritual and immortal substance, which is capable of union with God, and of communion with God, and of an eternal fruition of God. There are none but bear about with them, precious and immortal souls, which are more worth than ten thousand thousand worlds. The first great work that men are to attend in this world--is the eternal safety and security of their souls.

If the soul is safe--all is safe.

If the soul is well--all is well.

If the soul is lost--all is lost.

I have read that there was a time when the Romans
wore their jewels on their shoes. Most men in this day
do worse, for they trample that matchless jewel
of their souls under feet!

Many at last will cry out, "Oh, what have I lost! I have
lost God, and Christ, and heaven; and have betrayed
my precious and immortal soul into the hands of divine
justice, and into the hands of Satan!"

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