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**DESIRE TO FOLLOW**  
*His Story*

**Introduction:** *How can I find joy in following Christ?*

I. TREASURE THE FATHER'S \_\_\_\_\_ .

A. Solomon's temple became the home of the mercy seat. **2 Chr. 6:9-11; 26-27; 7: 12-15.**

B. Jesus Christ has become our \_\_\_\_\_. **Rom. 3:23-25; 1 Jn. 2:1-2**

II. TREASURE GOD'S \_\_\_\_\_. **Ps. 119:11**

A. God's presence filled Solomon's temple. **2 Chr. 7:1-4**

B. God's Spirit fills the temple of God, the church, through His word.

1. The church is the temple of the living God. **2 Cor. 6:16.**

2. The Spirit changes us by replacing old thoughts with new thoughts. **Rom. 12:2; John 6:63; 1 Jn 6:6; Eph. 6:17; Jn. 8:31-32**

3. Be filled with the Spirit.

<b>Eph. 5:18</b> <i>Be filled with the Spirit...</i> w/ Psalms, hymns, spiritual songs	<b>Col. 3:16</b> <i>Let the word of Christ dwell ...</i> w/ Psalms, hymns, spiritual songs
<b>Eph. 5:19</b> With Thanksgiving	<b>Col. 3:17</b> With Thanksgiving
<b>Eph. 5:22</b> Wives	<b>Col. 3:18</b> Wives
<b>Eph. 5:25</b> Husbands	<b>Col. 3:19</b> Husbands
<b>Eph. 6:1</b> Children	<b>Col. 3:20</b> Children
<b>Eph. 6:4</b> Fathers	<b>Col. 3:21</b> Fathers
<b>Eph. 6:5</b> Slaves	<b>Col. 3:22</b> Slaves
<b>Eph. 6:9</b> Masters	<b>Col. 4:1</b> Masters

III. TREASURE CHRIST'S \_\_\_\_\_. **Mt. 13:44; Heb. 10:32-34; 12:28-29.**

A. Solomon's kingdom was a shadow of Jesus' coming kingdom. **2 Chr. 9:13-28**

B. Jesus is the Son of David whose kingdom will have no end. **Mt. 9:27; Luk. 1:32-33.**