2-14-21 In Search Of An Advantage - Judges 17:1-13

We can do a lot in His name but for our sake.

What would a person on the street say is the purpose of life?

How do people try to manipulate the world to fulfill their purpose?

Physical Power/Force, Manipulate, Superstition/Magic

Mom lost her son, hanging with the wrong crowd

Finding our way: Finding an Advantage

God as priority becomes God as an afterthought Deut vs Jdgs Micha Self-determination: Worshiping God is to get the goodies How do we see today the attitude in Micah's day?

Prov 21:2 people think their way is right, but God know the motives You can't serve two masters Luke 16:13-15

Jesus demonstrates true devotion, worship, true advantage takes a long view not short view.

Jesus did a lot in the Father's name for our sake.

John 5:33-44 I do what the Father asks, for your sake Jesus reveals God's glory so we can share His Glory

What kind of relationships do you desire? Lip service? Matt 15:3-9, Isa 29:13 You honor me with your lips Amos 5:21 I hate, I despise your sacrifices Matt 7:21-23 False prophets, false devotion I never knew you

Finding our way: Finding an Advantage John 14:6-7 I am the way Mark 8:34-38 Jesus plea

What benefit is a self-determined spiritual life?