

June 3, 2018
“Treasure Hidden In A Clay Jar”
(2 Corinthians 4:5-12)

Everybody loves a good story of a successful _____ hunt.

People don't recognize that our treasure is the most _____ of all because it is hidden in an innocuous and _____ clay jar.

What is this treasure Paul is describing? It is “the light of the _____ of God's glory displayed in the _____ of Christ.”

Jesus called it the _____ of great price.

And where does that light shine? It shines “in our _____.”

Let's break down this lesson and make it practical for our lives....

#1. – We need to note that the treasure about which Paul speaks does not lie somewhere “_____.”

Many of us are obsessed with finding _____ and _____ outside of ourselves.

As someone said, _____ is an inside job.

Wealth and fame will satisfy some of your craving, but they will not give you a feeling of contentment and _____.

#2. – If we have the treasure within that Paul speaks of, we can _____ whatever comes to us from _____.

Life can be cruel to us, but if we have this treasure, _____ cannot conquer us.

(over)

If we do not have sufficient _____ within at such a time of adversity, we are _____.

#3. – We need to understand that this treasure is not to be found by _____ “in” so much as it is in looking “_____.”

The path to inner _____ is not simply a matter of getting in touch with our _____ but getting in touch with our _____

True happiness is not a matter of “good _____” but soul searching _____!

We recognize that to have this treasure we look not _____ or outwardly.

We look to God, a Father who is always with us regardless of our circumstances or our _____!

2 Corinthians 4:7 –

“We have this treasure in jars of clay to show that this all-surpassing power is from God and not from us.”

Do you have this treasure?