

Nov. 25, 2018
“Elvis And The King”
(John 18:33-37)

Adam Sadler’s comparison of Jesus and Elvis:

“Jesus said: ‘Love thy _____’ ...Elvis said: ‘Don’t be _____.’ Jesus is part of the _____; Elvis’ first band was a _____. Jesus is the Lord’s _____; Elvis dated _____ Sheppard.”

Whether through word or _____, impersonators or sprinklers, Elvis fans proudly proclaim the _____ of the king.

The simple question for today is: “Who is the _____ of your life?”

A couple of points:

#1. – Everybody _____ something or somebody.

If it is not _____, it is something or someone less _____.

It might be our appearance or our _____ account; it might be our allegiance to our _____, or other important concerns.

It might be something as benign as the _____ of your peers.

Some of us get along by _____ along with the _____ of our friends.

Studies show that far more people are willing to die for their _____ than they are for their _____.

Who is your _____? What do you _____?

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#2. – Biblical faith insists that _____ alone is worthy of our _____.

Such faith may demand extraordinary _____.

A powerful thought: “If Jesus is _____ and if we should _____ him, what are the implications of that experience?”

Dr. Martin Luther King: “If Christ is ruler over our lives, then my Nobel Peace Prize is less important than my trying to feed the hungry. If Christ is King, then my invitations to the White House are less important than that I visited those in prison. If Christ is Lord, then my being *TIME* magazine’s ‘Man of the Year’ is less important than that I tried to love extravagantly, dangerously, with all my being.”

We can face the future confidently..._____.....if Christ is King!

Adolph Menzel’s painting in the Berlin art gallery, is full of _____ but no king!

That’s a metaphor for how many people are living their lives...with no _____!

Everybody worships something or somebody. Ultimately, if we do not worship _____, we worship _____!

The only problem with that is that we _____ save ourselves.

Is Christ King of your life?

If so, does it show?