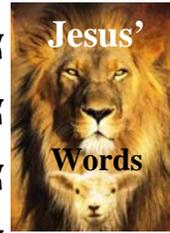


2. Is _____ Christ our _____?
Luke 9:59-60

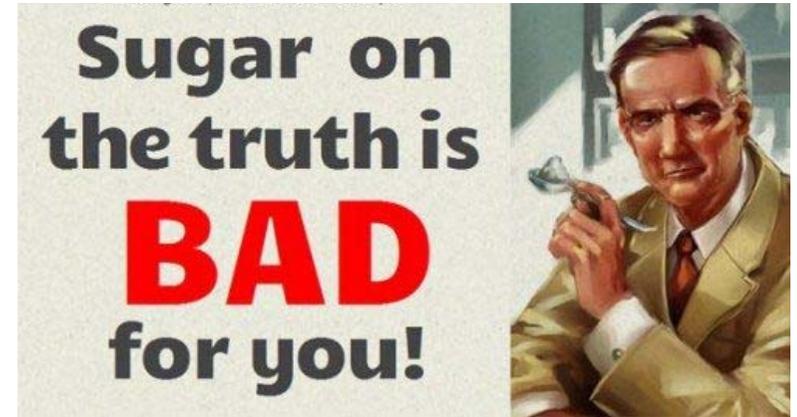


3. Will we _____ alone? Luke 9:61-62
(Mark 12:29-30) "Jesus answered him, "The first of all the commandments is: 'Hear, O Israel, the LORD our God, the LORD is one. {30} 'And you shall love the LORD your God with all your heart, with all your soul, with all your mind, and with all your strength.' This is the first commandment."
(Exodus 20:3) ""You shall have no other gods before Me."



Challenging Words

As the Lord interacts with 3 would-be disciples, we need to ask ourselves 3 progressively challenging questions:



1. Have we _____ the _____? Luke 9:57-58, 59, 61, 12:51-53

(Matthew 13:5-6) ""Some fell on stony places, where they did not have much earth; and they immediately sprang up because they had no depth of earth. {6} "But when the sun was up they were scorched, and because they had no root they withered away."

(Matthew 13:20-21) "".. he who received the seed on stony places, this is he who hears the word and immediately receives it with joy; {21} "yet he has no root in himself, but endures only for a while. For when tribulation or persecution arises because of the word, immediately he stumbles."

(Daniel 7:13) "".. behold, One like the Son of Man, Coming with the clouds of heaven! He came to the Ancient of Days, And they brought Him near before Him."

(Hebrews 10:32-35) "But recall the former days in which, after you were illuminated, you endured a great struggle with sufferings: {33} partly while you were made a spectacle both by reproaches and tribulations, and partly while you became companions of those who were so treated; {34} for you had compassion on me in my chains, and joyfully accepted the plundering of your goods, knowing that you have a better and an enduring possession for yourselves in heaven. {35} Therefore do not cast away your confidence, which has great reward."

