



Week 5: The False God of Comfort & Security

Matthew 6:26-34

²⁶ Look at the birds. They don't plant or harvest or store food in barns, for your heavenly Father feeds them. And aren't you far more valuable to him than they are? ²⁷ Can all your worries add a single moment to your life?

²⁸ "And why worry about your clothing? Look at the lilies of the field and how they grow. They don't work or make their clothing, ²⁹ yet Solomon in all his glory was not dressed as beautifully as they are. ³⁰ And if God cares so wonderfully for wildflowers that are here today and thrown into the fire tomorrow, he will certainly care for you. Why do you have so little faith?

³¹ "So don't worry about these things, saying, 'What will we eat? What will we drink? What will we wear?' ³² These things dominate the thoughts of unbelievers, but your heavenly Father already knows all your needs. ³³ Seek the Kingdom of God above all else, and live righteously, and he will give you everything you need.

1. We are more _____.

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2. The god of Comfort & Security is _____.

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3. The god of Comfort & Security _____.

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4. MY god of Comfort & Security reflects _____.

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5. Our Comfort & Security _____.

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6. When I focus on _____, I realize

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Table Discussion

1. What did you find most helpful, challenging, or confusing today?
2. How has the god of Comfort & Security influenced your life?
3. How hard would it be to give up this false god?
4. How can you fill up with more of God- and kill the false god of Comfort & Security?
5. Take one step to intentionally do something about it this week- share with your group what that will be.

Recommended Resources: *Counterfeit Gods* by Tim Keller and *Gods at War* by Kyle Idleman