

JESUS' BLESSING OF LITTLE CHILDREN
(Matthew 19:13-15)

- I. The _____ of the Event (Matt. 19:13-15)
- A. _____ were being _____ to Him (19:13)
1. The _____ were bringing them
 2. They were _____
 3. The children were being _____, not _____
 4. The disciples “ _____ them”
- B. Jesus _____ the _____ (19:14)
1. This was a _____
 - a. He did _____ say the Kingdom belonged to _____

 - b. They _____ those to whom the Kingdom
_____ (Mk. 10:15; Lk. 18:17; cf. Matt. 18:2-3)
 2. He was performing an _____
 - a. For the _____ to know they had _____
to Him
 - b. For the _____ to learn of His _____
for them

c. For the _____ to remember the _____
of the Kingdom

C. Jesus “_____ from there” (19:15)

1. He blessed _____ who _____

2. He did not _____ to _____

II. The _____ of the Event

A. Jesus had just finished instruction on the _____ of
_____ (Matt. 19:1-12)

1. Couples must be _____ to _____
together (19:1-12)

2. Parents must be _____ in bringing their _____
to _____ (19:13-15; cf. Deut. 6:4-9)

B. Jesus had commanded the disciples to demonstrate _____
_____ (Matt. 18:1-35)

1. One must _____ to Him in childlike _____ (18:1-4)

2. One must _____ in genuine _____ for one
another (18:5-14)

3. One must _____ a life of _____ (18:15-35)

III. The _____ of the Event

A. _____ must include _____ of _____

B. _____ life must be _____ centered

C. Participation in the _____ requires _____ faith