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MATTHEW

JESUS: KING OF THE JEWS

Fear Not!

Matthew 10:26–31

Matt. 10:24, “A disciple is not above his teacher, nor a servant above his master.

Matt. 10:25a, “It is enough for a disciple that he be like his teacher, and a servant like his master.”

**2 Tim. 3:12, “Yes, and all who desire to live
godly in Christ Jesus will suffer
persecution.”**

John 15:20, “Remember the word that I said to you, ‘A servant is not greater than his master.’ If they persecuted Me, they will also persecute you. If they kept My word, they will keep yours also.

John 15:21, “But all these things they will do to you for My name’s sake, because they do not know Him who sent Me.”

Matt. 10:25b, “... If they have called the master of the house Beelzebub, how much more will they call those of his household!”

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A fortiori* or *kal va chomer

“from the stronger to the lesser”

Heb. “light and heavy”

**If something is true for something greater,
then it would by inference also be true for
something lesser within the category.**

2 Kings 1:2, “Now Ahaziah fell through the lattice of his upper room in Samaria, and was injured; so he sent messengers and said to them, ‘Go, inquire of Baal-zebub, the god of Ekron, whether I shall recover from this injury’.”

***Baal-zebub* “lord of the flies”**

***Baal-zebul*: a play on words, “lord of the dung”**

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Matt. 12:25, “But Jesus knew their thoughts, and said to them: ‘Every kingdom divided against itself is brought to desolation, and every city or house divided against itself will not stand.’

Matt. 12:26, “If Satan casts out Satan, he is divided against himself. How then will his kingdom stand?

Matt. 12:27, “And if I cast out demons by Beelzebub, by whom do your sons cast them out? Therefore they shall be your judges.”

Matt. 10:26, “Therefore do not fear them. For there is nothing covered that will not be revealed, and hidden that will not be known.

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Matt. 10:28, “And do not fear those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul. But rather fear Him who is able to destroy both soul and body in hell.”

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pres pass impera 2

plur

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Matt. 10:29, “Are not two sparrows sold for a copper coin? And not one of them falls to the ground apart from your Father’s will.”

Matt. 10:30, “But the very hairs of your head are all numbered.”



Matt. 10:31, “Do not fear therefore; you are of more value than many sparrows.”

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