SCRIPTURE APPENDIX · LESSON 19

Ugly Warts and the Fear of Man

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Below are the scriptures used in this teaching.

25 The fear of man brings a snare, But whoever trusts in the Lord shall be safe.

Proverbs 29:25 NKJV

19 Confidence in an unfaithful man in time of trouble Is like a bad tooth and a foot out of joint.

Proverbs 25:19 NKJV

1 And Abraham journeyed from there to the South, and dwelt between Kadesh and Shur, and
stayed in Gerar. 2 Now Abraham said of Sarah his wife, “She is my sister.” And Abimelech king
of Gerar sent and took Sarah. 3 But God came to Abimelech in a dream by night, and said to him,
“Indeed you are a dead man because of the woman whom you have taken, for she is a man’s
wife.” 4 But Abimelech had not come near her; and he said, “Lord, will You slay a righteous
nation also? 5 Did he not say to me, ‘She is my sister’? And she, even she herself said, ‘He is my
brother.’ In the integrity of my heart and innocence of my hands I have done this.” 6 And God said
to him in a dream, “Yes, I know that you did this in the integrity of your heart. For I also withheld
you from sinning against Me; therefore I did not let you touch her. 7 Now therefore, restore the
man’s wife; for he is a prophet, and he will pray for you and you shall live. But if you do not
restore her, know that you shall surely die, you and all who are yours.”

Genesis 20:1–7 NKJV

6 So Isaac dwelt in Gerar. 7 And the men of the place asked about his wife. And he said, “She is
my sister”; for he was afraid to say, “She is my wife,” because he thought, “lest the men of the
place kill me for Rebekah, because she is beautiful to behold.” 8 Now it came to pass, when he had
been there a long time, that Abimelech king of the Philistines looked through a window, and saw,
and there was Isaac, showing endearment to Rebekah his wife. 9 Then Abimelech called Isaac and
said, “Quite obviously she is your wife; so how could you say, ‘She is my sister’?” Isaac said to
him, “Because I said, ‘Lest I die on account of her.’ ” 10 And Abimelech said, “What is this you
have done to us? One of the people might soon have lain with your wife, and you would have
brought guilt on us.” 11 So Abimelech charged all his people, saying, “He who touches this man or
his wife shall surely be put to death.”

Genesis 26:6–11 NKJV

1 Now when the people saw that Moses delayed coming down from the mountain, the people
gathered together to Aaron, and said to him, “Come, make us gods that shall go before us; for as
for this Moses, the man who brought us up out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has
become of him.” 2 And Aaron said to them, “Break off the golden earrings which are in the ears of
your wives, your sons, and your daughters, and bring them to me.” 3 So all the people broke off

the golden earrings which were in their ears, and brought them to Aaron. 4 And he received the gold from their hand, and he fashioned it with an engraving tool, and made a molded calf. Then they said, “This is your god, O Israel, that brought you out of the land of Egypt!” 5 So when Aaron saw it, he built an altar before it. And Aaron made a proclamation and said, “Tomorrow is a feast to the Lord.”

Exodus 32:1–5 NKJV

21 And Moses said to Aaron, “What did this people do to you that you have brought so great a sin upon them?” 22 So Aaron said, “Do not let the anger of my lord become hot. You know the people, that they are set on evil. 23 For they said to me, ‘Make us gods that shall go before us; as for this Moses, the man who brought us out of the land of Egypt, we do not know what has become of him.’ 24 And I said to them, ‘Whoever has any gold, let them break it off.’ So they gave it to me, and I cast it into the fire, and this calf came out.”

Exodus 32:21–24 NKJV

24 Then Saul said to Samuel, “I have sinned, for I have transgressed the commandment of the Lord and your words, because I feared the people and obeyed their voice. 25 Now therefore, please pardon my sin, and return with me, that I may worship the Lord.” 26 But Samuel said to Saul, “I will not return with you, for you have rejected the word of the Lord, and the Lord has rejected you from being king over Israel.” 27 And as Samuel turned around to go away, Saul seized the edge of his robe, and it tore. 28 So Samuel said to him, “The Lord has torn the kingdom of Israel from you today, and has given it to a neighbor of yours, who is better than you.

1 Samuel 15:24–28 NKJV

22 His parents said these things because they feared the Jews, for the Jews had agreed already that if anyone confessed that He was Christ, he would be put out of the synagogue.

John 9:22 NKJV

42 Nevertheless even among the rulers many believed in Him, but because of the Pharisees they did not confess Him, lest they should be put out of the synagogue; 43 for they loved the praise of men more than the praise of God.

John 12:42–43 NKJV

32 “Therefore whoever confesses Me before men, him I will also confess before My Father who is in heaven. 33 But whoever denies Me before men, him I will also deny before My Father who is in heaven.

Matthew 10:32–33 NKJV

19 Therefore Herodias held it against him and wanted to kill him, but she could not; 20 for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a just and holy man, and he protected him. And when he heard him, he did many things, and heard him gladly.

Mark 6:19–20 NKJV

26 And the king was exceedingly sorry; yet, because of the oaths and because of those who sat

with him, he did not want to refuse her. 27 Immediately the king sent an executioner and commanded his head to be brought. And he went and beheaded him in prison, 28 brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl; and the girl gave it to her mother.

Mark 6:26–28 NKJV

11 “Assuredly, I say to you, among those born of women there has not risen one greater than John the Baptist; but he who is least in the kingdom of heaven is greater than he.

Matthew 11:11 NKJV

66 Now as Peter was below in the courtyard, one of the servant girls of the high priest came. 67 And when she saw Peter warming himself, she looked at him and said, “You also were with Jesus of Nazareth.” 68 But he denied it, saying, “I neither know nor understand what you are saying.” And he went out on the porch, and a rooster crowed. 69 And the servant girl saw him again, and began to say to those who stood by, “This is one of them.” 70 But he denied it again. And a little later those who stood by said to Peter again, “Surely you are one of them; for you are a Galilean, and your speech shows it.” 71 Then he began to curse and swear, “I do not know this Man of whom you speak!” 72 A second time the rooster crowed. Then Peter called to mind the word that Jesus had said to him, “Before the rooster crows twice, you will deny Me three times.” And when he thought about it, he wept.

Mark 14:66–72 NKJV

15 So when they had eaten breakfast, Jesus said to Simon Peter, “Simon, son of Jonah, do you love Me more than these?” He said to Him, “Yes, Lord; You know that I love You.” He said to him, “Feed My lambs.” 16 He said to him again a second time, “Simon, son of Jonah, do you love Me?” He said to Him, “Yes, Lord; You know that I love You.” He said to him, “Tend My sheep.” 17 He said to him the third time, “Simon, son of Jonah, do you love Me?” Peter was grieved because He said to him the third time, “Do you love Me?” And he said to Him, “Lord, You know all things; You know that I love You.” Jesus said to him, “Feed My sheep.

John 21:15–17 NKJV

11 But when Peter came to Antioch, I had to oppose him to his face, for what he did was very wrong. 12 When he first arrived, he ate with the Gentile believers, who were not circumcised. But afterward, when some friends of James came, Peter wouldn’t eat with the Gentiles anymore. He was afraid of criticism from these people who insisted on the necessity of circumcision. 13 As a result, other Jewish believers followed Peter’s hypocrisy, and even Barnabas was led astray by their hypocrisy.

Galatians 2:11–13 NLT

14 For He knows our frame; He remembers that we are dust.

Psalm 103:14 NKJV

8 Behold, I have made your face strong against their faces, and your forehead strong against their foreheads. 9 Like adamant stone, harder than flint, I have made your forehead; do not be afraid of them, nor be dismayed at their looks, though they are a rebellious house.”

Ezekiel 3:8–9 NKJV

24 “A disciple is not above his teacher, nor a servant above his master. 25 It is enough for a disciple
that he be like his teacher, and a servant like his master. If they have called the master of the house
Beelzebub, how much more will they call those of his household! 26 Therefore do not fear them.
For there is nothing covered that will not be revealed, and hidden that will not be known. 27
“Whatever I tell you in the dark, speak in the light; and what you hear in the ear, preach on the
housetops. 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.

Matthew 10:24–28 NKJV

22 For the Father judges no one, but has committed all judgment to the Son, 23 that all should honor
the Son just as they honor the Father. He who does not honor the Son does not honor the Father
who sent Him.

John 5:22–23 NKJV

10 Now am I trying to win the favor of men, or of God? Do I seek to please men? If I were still
seeking popularity with men, I should not be a bond servant of Christ (the Messiah).

Galatians 1:10 AMPC

59 Then He said to another, “Follow Me.” But he said, “Lord, let me first go and bury my father.” 60
Jesus said to him, “Let the dead bury their own dead, but you go and preach the kingdom of God.”
61 And another also said, “Lord, I will follow You, but let me first go and bid them farewell who
are at my house.” 62 But Jesus said to him, “No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking
back, is fit for the kingdom of God.”

Luke 9:59–62 NKJV

26 “If anyone comes to Me and does not hate his father and mother, wife and children, brothers
and sisters, yes, and his own life also, he cannot be My disciple. 27 And whoever does not bear his
cross and come after Me cannot be My disciple.

Luke 14:26–27 NKJV

22 Blessed are you when men hate you, And when they exclude you, And revile you, and cast out
your name as evil, For the Son of Man’s sake. 23 Rejoice in that day and leap for joy! For indeed
your reward is great in heaven, For in like manner their fathers did to the prophets.

Luke 6:22–23 NKJV

26 Woe to you when all men speak well of you, For so did their fathers to the false prophets.

Luke 6:26 NKJV

29 “Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! Because you build the tombs of the prophets
and adorn the monuments of the righteous, 30 and say, ‘If we had lived in the days of our fathers,
we would not have been partakers with them in the blood of the prophets.’ 31 “Therefore you are
witnesses against yourselves that you are sons of those who murdered the prophets.

Matthew 23:29–31 NKJV

28 And so it was, when Jesus had ended these sayings, that the people were astonished at His
teaching, 29 for He taught them as one having authority, and not as the scribes.

Matthew 7:28–29 NKJV

19 and for me, that utterance may be given to me, that I may open my mouth boldly to make
known the mystery of the gospel,

Ephesians 6:19 NKJV

5 For we have found this man a perfect pest (a real plague), an agitator and source of disturbance
to all the Jews throughout the world, and a ringleader of the [heretical, division-producing] sect of
the Nazarenes.

Acts 24:5 AMPC

1 In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

John 1:1 NKJV

14 And the Word became flesh and dwelt among us, and we beheld His glory, the glory as of the
only begotten of the Father, full of grace and truth.

John 1:14 NKJV

37 And as He spoke, a certain Pharisee asked Him to dine with him. So He went in and sat down to
eat. 38 When the Pharisee saw it, he marveled that He had not first washed before dinner. 39 Then
the Lord said to him, “Now you Pharisees make the outside of the cup and dish clean, but your
inward part is full of greed and wickedness. 40 Foolish ones! Did not He who made the outside
make the inside also? 41 But rather give alms of such things as you have; then indeed all things are
clean to you. 42 “But woe to you Pharisees! For you tithe mint and rue and all manner of herbs,
and pass by justice and the love of God. These you ought to have done, without leaving the others
undone. 43 Woe to you Pharisees! For you love the best seats in the synagogues and greetings in
the marketplaces. 44 Woe to you, scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For you are like graves which
are not seen, and the men who walk over them are not aware of them. ” 45 Then one of the lawyers
answered and said to Him, “Teacher, by saying these things You reproach us also.” 46 And He said,
“Woe to you also, lawyers! For you load men with burdens hard to bear, and you yourselves do
not touch the burdens with one of your fingers. 47 Woe to you! For you build the tombs of the
prophets, and your fathers killed them. 48 In fact, you bear witness that you approve the deeds of
your fathers; for they indeed killed them, and you build their tombs. 49 Therefore the wisdom of
God also said, ‘I will send them prophets and apostles, and some of them they will kill and
persecute,’ 50 that the blood of all the prophets which was shed from the foundation of the world
may be required of this generation, 51 from the blood of Abel to the blood of Zechariah who
perished between the altar and the temple. Yes, I say to you, it shall be required of this generation.
52 “Woe to you lawyers! For you have taken away the key of knowledge. You did not enter in
yourselves, and those who were entering in you hindered.”

Luke 11:37–52 NKJV

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