

Valuing Our Vision series

It's All His

Message Text: Psalm 24

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As Creator and Keeper God possesses the title deed to everything.

This is God's Planet

What exactly is everything?

Everything that fills the earth

Everyone who dwells here

Approaching Such a Magnificent King

Three prerequisites:

Clean Hands

Pure Heart

Abundant Praise

Go Deeper:

- 1) Define ownership in your own words?
- 2) Define stewardship/management in your own words?
- 3) Read Deuteronomy 8:17-18. According to that verse who is the owner who is the manager and who empowers?
- 4) What are the limitations to God's ownership? (See Psalm 24:1)
- 5) According to these limitations list all the things in your life which God owns?
- 6) What gives God the right to ownership?
- 7) Why do you think some followers of Jesus Christ struggle with God's ownership of everything?
- 8) What are the areas of your life in which you struggle to live as a manager instead of the one who is in control and calls the shots?
- 9) Why is it important to biblical stewardship to have clean hands?
- 10) Why is it important to biblical stewardship to have a pure heart?

Next Steps:

- My 'clean hands' – outward actions, have not been reflecting that God is the owner of everything in my life. This week I will surrender one action to God, confess and repent of my selfishness and pride and make any necessary changes in my actions so it is apparent that God directs the deeds of my life.
- My 'pure heart' – inward character, have not been in line with God's ownership of my life. I am living for myself, for my gain, for my comfort, and I need to surrender to God's sovereign Lordship and ask Him to purify my motives so I live to build His kingdom and direct all honor to Him.
- I do not eagerly anticipation the return of my King, Jesus. My praise is empty and lifeless, I need a fresh taste of the reality that Jesus is soon returning for His bride the church. So I will memorize Psalm 24 this week.
- Write in your own: _____