Matt. 25:31 "But when the Son of Man comes in His glory, and all the angels with Him, then He will sit on His glorious throne.

<sup>32</sup> "All the nations will be gathered before Him; and He will separate them from one another, as the shepherd separates the sheep from the goats;
<sup>33</sup> and He will put the sheep on His right, and the goats on the left.

<sup>46</sup> "These will go away into eternal punishment, but the righteous into eternal life."



## Which Side Will You Fall?

#### Matthew 25:31-46



#### MATTHEW 25:31-45

- 1. How We Treat Brethren (Mt. 25:40a, 45a)
- Is a key factor of whether I go to heaven or hell.
- Our personal interactions with each other.
- Is this a scary thought for you?

# What Is The Line





#### MATTHEW 25:31-45

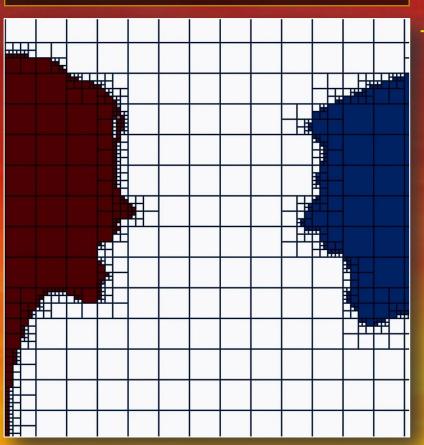
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- 2. How We Treat Jesus (vv. 40b, 45b)
- There's a way we can minister to Christ!
- So, how have you been treating Him?



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We must be sincere & active in

- Our words
- Our sentiments
- Our sympathies
- Etc.

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Are we ignoring <u>serving</u>?

- Looking for opportunities
- Engaging in opportunities
- Taking every opportunity

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1John 4:20 If someone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for the one who does not love his brother whom he has seen, cannot love God whom he has not seen. <sup>21</sup> And this commandment we have from Him, that the one who loves God should love his brother also.

A lack of love & care for brethren reveals a darker truth... A lack of love & care for Jesus!



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