

A New Year's Resolution: *Fluff or Stuff??* (Luke 12:13-21)

Introduction: *Does anyone make new year's resolutions anymore?*

I. WE ALL GET CAUGHT UP IN THE FLUFF OF LIFE

- A. We celebrate the "fluff" and the trivial
 - The game: *Trivial Pursuit*
- B. Jesus says seek God's "stuff" and He'll take care of the fluff (Matthew 6:33)

II. GOD WANTS US TO FOCUS ON THE STUFF OF LIFE

- A. Moses said it (Deut. 30:19-21)
- B. Joshua said it (Joshua 24:15)
- C. Jesus Himself said it (Luke 12:16-21)

III. JESUS CAME TO DEAL WITH THE STUFF OF LIFE

- A. He lived and taught the difference between fluff and stuff (Lk. 12:13-15; Mtt. 7:26-27; Jn. 10:10)
- B. He died and rose to give us the stuff: righteousness & eternal life (I Pt. 2:24-25)
- C. Will you believe & live God's stuff or die with your fluff? (Lk.12:20-21; Mtt. 7:26-27)

Conclusion: *What's it going to be in 2008: fluff or stuff??*