

The Counterfeit Kingdom
Luke 9: 37-50

Intro: Two parallel kingdoms – Psa. 145:13, 103: 20-21
I Chron.29: 11-12, Isa. 14:12-17, Eph. 6: 10-12

The centerpiece of God's plan – the cross of Christ v-44

- 1) Why did they not understand? Matt. 16: 21-23
- 2) Why was it concealed from them? John 18: 10-11
- 3) Why were they afraid to ask Him? Matt. 17:23
John 16:22

Jesus teaches the disciples –

- A. Why they couldn't cast out the demon –Matt. 17:20,
Mark 9:28-29
- B. The lesson of humility – vs-46-48 Matt. 23:11,
Matt.18: 6, 14, I Pet.5:6, Mark 9:35
- C. The lesson of unity – vs-49-50 James 4:11,
Mark 9:39, Phil.1: 15-18