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Text: Matthew 7:15-27

Title: Who Are You?

Intro: Americans are busy people. In all of our activity (our “hustle and bustle”) did you ever think about what that occupation says about you?

Outline:

- I. Actions identify teachers of lies – 15-20
  1. Liars are like wolves in sheep’s clothing
  2. Liars are like trees bearing bad fruit
  - \* The lesson: disobedience to God can be seen in a teacher’s actions. What does that mean for you as a teacher? What does it mean to you as a student?
  
- II. Actions identify our allegiances – 21-23
  1. Words are cheap.
  2. Works are shallow.
  - \* The lesson: obedience to the will of the Father is the key to eternal success. Do you walk your talk? Do you speak truth?
  
- III. Actions identify wisdom and folly – 24-27
  1. Those who do as Jesus teaches – wise
  2. Those who do not as Jesus teaches – foolish
  - \* The lesson: obedience to the teaching of Christ is the mark of wisdom. When the storms of life start raging, are you ok? Emotional extremes can be indicators of where you are in the seas of obedience or disobedience.

Conclusion:

Commit your days to living your faith, obeying our Lord, and following biblical theology. Your works will speak for themselves, if you keep Christ always in view.