

Veneer: Living Deeply in a Surface Society



What life do you want to live?
What life are you living?

Special video appearance

SKIT GUYS

What's coming...

- Language of Culture
- 1. Sawmill – seeing Veneer
- 2. Celebrity Me – 15 minutes of fame
- 3. Queen is Dead – consumption
- 4. Vanishing – wrestling with progress
- 5. Inverted World – understanding society
- Interlude.... Preparing for the Language of God
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inverted

- “We forget that worldly success seldom mirrors godly success....
- “...often they are opposed.”
- What do you think about the question about viewing ourselves as less of an institution and more of a family?
- Read the last two paragraphs.
- Be the Church – be the Family of God

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INTERLUDE

interlude

- “The transcendent language symbolized by the fall sunrise.”
- Transcendent footnote
- “hollow man”
- How would you describe or define the “language of God”
- What does that mean to you?

interlude

- Why are “relationships,” “love,” and “an abiding life” the items specifically mentioned?
- Comparison of “worldly desires” to a “full-life, focused on others.”
- “instead of worrying about impressing our friends” – Tent envy story!

interlude

- Sacrifice – how do you define it?
- What’s your sense of how the world sees, sacrifice?
- “Gracious Professionalism” FIRST Robotics
- “Christ is beyond us” What does that mean to you?
- What is the “prize for all humanity” to you?

interlude

- An interesting perspective that if your relationship with God is faltering our human relationships “will feel the lack.”
- 2 Corinthians 4:8-18
- What is the purpose of this ‘interlude’?
- Does it set your mind differently than the first chapters?
- To me it prepares me to leave my “self” behind

Next week...

VIDEO & CHAPTER 6