

**EXCEPT YOUR RIGHTEOUSNESS
EXCEEDS.....**

Matthew 5:20

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- Jesus makes reference to the scribes and Pharisees in Matthew 5. This sets up the middle section of the Sermon on the Mount.
- Although he doesn't call them by name, the use of his favorite identification for them as "hypocrites" in Matthew 6 helps us understand who he is speaking about in the chapter.
- Matthew 23:13, 15 etc.

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- Matthew 5:16-48 gives us what the Scribes and Pharisees taught that needed to be taught better.
- Matthew 6:1-21 gives us what the Scribes and Pharisees did that needed to be done better.
- Matthew 6:22-7:29 gives us what the Scribes and Pharisees believed they understood that they needed to understand better.

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- *What Jesus wants us to understand is that it is....*

**NOT AS MUCH ABOUT THE
APTITUDE AS IT IS ABOUT THE
ATTITUDE**

Matthew 6:1-4

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- *What Jesus wants us to understand is that it is....*

**NOT AS MUCH ABOUT THE
FREQUENCY AS IT IS ABOUT
THE FERVENCY**

Matthew 6:5-9

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- *What Jesus wants us to understand is that it is....*

**NOT AS MUCH ABOUT THE
APPEARANCE FOR MEN AS IT
IS ABOUT THE APPEALING TO
GOD**

Matthew 6:16-18