

# Parable of the Ten Minas

Luke 19:11-27



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- Jesus tells this parable following his interaction with Zacchaeus on his way to Jerusalem from Jericho and just prior to his triumphant entry.
- He took advantage of his location and the mindset of the people to tell a parable about the kingdom.
- The belief was that the kingdom was going to appear immediately.
  - What would lead them to that conclusion?



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- Today, let's analyze the specifics of this parable and discuss the application for all of us.
- The following is a list of the important features of this parable:
  - The Nobleman going into a far country to receive a kingdom and then return.
  - 10 servants given 10 minas each to do business.
  - Hateful citizens and servant reports.



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- The Nobleman going into a far country to receive a kingdom is Christ ascending to heaven and sitting at the right hand of the throne of God.
  - *“He is the radiance of the glory of God and the exact imprint of his nature, and he upholds the universe by the word of his power. After making purification for sins, he sat down at the right hand of the Majesty on high”- Heb. 1:3*



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- *“Looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God.”- Heb. 12:2*
- *“Who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers having been subjected to him.”- 1 Peter 3:22*
- *“The one who conquers, I will grant him to sit with me on my throne, as I also conquered and sat down with my Father on his throne.” - Rev. 3:21*



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- His return is the 2<sup>nd</sup> coming.
- The servants are Christians.
- The hateful citizens are the people of this world.
  - John 3:19-20
  - John 15:18



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- *The application for today. There are.....*

- **THE LOVERS**

- **Luke 19:16-19**

- **THE LOATHERS**

- **Luke 19:14, 27**

- **THE LOAFERS**

- **Luke 19:20-23**