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Title: Defiled

Text: Mark 7:1-23

Introduction

Get down to the depth of our problem to receive the solution.

I. The Complaint

Your followers are unclean, defiled!

II. The Rebuke

You're hypocrites!

III. The Problem

What's inside defiles us.

“And there is salvation in no one else, for there is no other name under heaven given among men by which we must be saved.” (Acts 4:12)

Conclusion

Is there a solution?

- What's the Pharisees' complaint? Are there similar parallels to our thinking?
- Why does Jesus push back so strongly? What's his point?
- Does anyone keep the law? How might failure impact our character and attitude?
- What is our problem? Is anyone not defiled, and if not, why not?