

# **THE SAVIOR AND MATERIALISM**

## **JOHN 6:25-35**

### **I. THE LORD REVEALED HIS INNATE KNOWLEDGE OF WHAT WAS IMBEDDED IN THE HEART OF THE MASSES (6:26)**

- A. Their Souls Were Blind To The Spiritual Significance Of His Signs
- B. Their Comprehension Was Limited To An External Gratification

### **II. THE LORD CHALLENGED THE PREVAILING SIN (6:27-35)**

- A. He Forbids Men From Working For Nothing More Than Perishable Material Provisions (6:27a)
- B. He Insists That Men Redirect Their Focus To Things Pertaining To Eternity (6:27b)

- 1. Spiritual Food Can Only Be Found In Christ

- 2. Christ Is The Source Because The Father Certified It

- C. He Defined What He Meant By "Work" (6:28-29)

- 1. The Crowd Had Picked Up On The Lord's Word "Labour"

- 2. The "Work" Is Expressed In One Word: (Faith)

- D. He Clarified The Nature Of This Eternal Provision (6:30-35)

- 1. The Crowd Asked For A Continuance Of The Kind Of Miracle They Had Witnessed The Day Before (6:30-31)

- 2. The Clarification Came In Two Areas (6:32-35)

- a. Moses Did Not Provide Food That Gave Eternal Life

- b. Christ, As The Antitype Of The Original Manna Is The Real Bread Of God