

Central Truth: My Focus **Matters!**

Mark 13:37 - Colossians 3:1-17

1- I Can **Learn** and **Grow**: Mk. 13:28-31

Philippians 3:12-15

-God Calls Me to **Understanding**: Vv. 28

Psalms 19:7-11

-I Need to See God's **Work**: Vv. 28-29

Cause and Effect – Progression and Purpose Ephesians 2:1-10 and 1 Peter 2:1-10

-I Need to **Trust**: Vv. 30-31

Jesus: Vv. 30

His **Word**: vv. 31

No Matter the **Circumstances**: Vv. 31

2- I Must **Guard** my Focus: Mk. 13:32-37

-Knowing **Jesus** is the Key: Vv. 32

Not Knowing is a Blessing if We Now Him!

-I Need to: Vv. 33

Guard my Heart, **Look** for His Return, and **Depend** on Him!

-I Must Focus on How I – Use His **Authority**, Serve His **Mission**, and What I **Value**:

Vv. 32-36

Questions:

Am I His?

Am I Learning and Growing?

Where Is My Focus?

How Does My Focus Need Adjustment?