

SERMON NOTES FOR SUNDAY – JANUARY 17, 2010
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TITLE: “How God Proved His Love For us”

TEXT: Romans 5:8 and Mark 10:17-22

INTRODUCTION: The world saw this man in Mark 10 as **rich, young and powerful**. Jesus saw a great hunger in his heart. He had so much, but was not satisfied.

I: WHAT DID THE YOUNG MAN HAVE?

1. Wealth
 2. Morality
 3. Youth
 4. Social rank
 5. A form of religion
 6. He had good sense ... came at the right time
He had the right spirit ... knelt before Jesus
He came seeking the right thing ... eternal life
He came to the right place ... to Jesus
- Yet ... Jesus said, “You lack one thing!”

II: WHAT WAS HE OFFERED?

1. A Savior
2. A cross
3. A home in heaven

III: WHAT DID HE DO?

1. He rejected the Savior and forfeited eternal life
2. He walked away

CONCLUSION: What might be holding you back? You get far more in return when that is surrendered.