

## Questions for God

### *Why the Why?*

Luke 18:9-27, 35-43

**Question:** *Why Me? Why did He save me and not the other guy?*

1. Must confront the perils of *speaking for God* (Romans 11:33-36)
  - A. We can know the *who, when, where* and *what*, and so we should
  - B. Knowing the *ultimate why* is above our pay grade
2. Must take *ownership* of our contribution to the confusion
  - A. In what our questions *say about us* (Matthew 26:73)
  - B. In how we complicate the *concept of grace*
    - a. when it comes to being *justified before God* (Luke 18:9-14)
    - b. when it comes to the *nature of saving faith* (Luke 18:15-17)
    - c. when it comes to *spiritual blind spots* (Luke 18:18-26)
    - d. when it comes to *spiritual priorities* (Luke 18:35-43)