

Dressed For Action

- I. The Parable
 - A. Luke 12:35-38
 - B. A master has gone to a wedding feast.
 - C. The servants who wait for him to return are blessed.
 - D. The master will actually serve them.

- II. The Thief
 - A. Luke 12:39-40
 - B. Jesus continues by pointing out that if we knew a thief was coming we would be ready.
 - C. There are many who think they know when the master will come.
 - D. Jesus makes it clear. No one knows.

- III. Stay Dressed
 - A. The encouragement from Jesus is for us to be ready.
 - B. What does he want to find his servants doing?
 - C. John 15:1-5 – Bear Fruit
 - D. Matthew 28:18-20 – Go, Make, Teach

- IV. Served
 - A. 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18 – Always be with the Lord.
 - B. Revelation 21:3-4 – Death and Pain will be no more.
 - C. Revelation 21:22-27 – Life with God will be light and peace.
 - D. We have a hope and a future to be ready for it's coming.

- V. Conclusion
 - A. What are we doing while the Master is away?
 - B. Are we dressed for action?
 - C. We have no idea when he will come.
 - D. Will he find us ready?