

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

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The Gospel of Luke: The Perils of Empty Profession
Passage: Luke 6:46–49

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1. Read **Luke 6:46**. When we confess with our mouths Jesus as Lord (**Romans 10:9**), what are some of the realities undergirding that confession? Consult **Colossians 1:15-20**; **Matthew 28:18**; **Philippians 2:9-11**; **2 Timothy 4:1, 8**. How ought these realities spur us on to more faithful obedience to Him?

2. Read **Luke 6:47-48**. What connection was Jesus making in this passage between hearing His words and doing them? How is this connection expanded upon further in other New Testament texts? Consult **2 Corinthians 5:17**; **Galatians 2:20**; **Romans 6:17-18**; **1 John 2:1-6**.

3. Read **Luke 6:49**. What is the ultimate warning Jesus was providing with these words? Consult **Matthew 7:21-23**. How would you respond to someone who maintains that Jesus was teaching a works-based form of salvation? Consult **Ephesians 2:8-10**; **James 2:14-18**.