

# "What Still Lies Beneath?"

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<u>Introduction</u>: Last time we played, "What lies beneath?" I have a bag containing items that I'm going to hide underneath a cover (candy, beads, bottle, etc.). Let's try again (Ice Breaker Game). See if you can guess these new objects. Let's make some application from this game...

#### Discussion:

### • Mark 10:17-22

Jesus had the ability to look into the man's heart.
He could look beneath the surface. We can't do that.
We only see the exterior and have to guess what's beneath.
What did Jesus see? What kept the man from following Jesus?
How did Jesus know this was keeping him back from discipleship?

## • I Corinthians 3:16-17

Many people claim to be Christians. We have to wonder what lies beneath the surface. What proof is there that a person is a Christian? What has God put inside the believer? Why does God want to see inside you?

## • I Corinthians 6:19-20

God wants us to take care of our bodies. Why? What things do people do to their bodies? Does this anger God? Why? What does it mean to be purchased by God? Do you act like your owned by God? Explain.

<u>Conclusion</u>: How do I know what objects are underneath the cover? Because I filled the bag... I put the contents under the cover... and I had an unfair advantage. You know what is in your heart. God does too. Live for Jesus. Be full of the Holy Spirit. And... remember what lies beneath!