

**A.L.I.V.E. Bible Study**  
**Date: October 28, 2018**  
**Mark 12:35-44**

1. What does Jesus ask the people whom he is teaching, in verse 35? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. Do you know why people said this (See 2 Samuel 7:12-16, 1 Kings 9:4-5)? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
3. Why, according to verse 36-37, does Jesus suggest that this might not be appropriate?  
\_\_\_\_\_
4. What does this mean? \_\_\_\_\_
5. What did Jesus tell those who listened to his teaching in verse 38-40?
  - a. Watch out for the teachers of the law.
  - b. The teachers of the law like to walk around in flowing robes and be greeted with respect in the marketplaces.
  - c. The teachers of the law have the most important seats in the synagogues and the places of honor at banquets.
  - d. The teachers of the law devour widows' houses.
  - e. The teachers of the law make lengthy prayers for show.
  - f. People like this will be punished most severely.
6. Do you think that Jesus was really warning people about what the teachers of the law will do to them or warning people against being like them? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
7. Do we in the church ever behave like the teachers of the law? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
What types of things have you seen done in the church that would be like this? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
What types of things have done that might look like this? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
8. What did Jesus do in verse 41?
  - a. Avoided looking at giving receipts because people would criticize him for just wanting their money.
  - b. Sat down opposite the place where the offerings were put.
  - c. Watched the crowd putting their money into the temple treasury.
9. What did Jesus see as was watching, according to verses 41-42? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
10. What did Jesus tell his disciples about what he saw? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
11. Which giver do you most resemble? \_\_\_\_\_  
In what way? \_\_\_\_\_