

FIXING THE CHURCH WITH BROKEN PEOPLE

Sermon # 6—*Kingdom Kids*

Text: Matthew 18:1-4

I. A PATHETIC (v.1)

Two things revealed here about the disciples thoughts:

- They were born to _____.
- They loved to keep _____.

The undercurrent today is fundamentally the same—we are trying to find out who is doing the best job at producing his or her own _____!

II. A PUZZLING (v.2)

- One part of “becoming like a child” the disciples had mastered— _____.

III. A PERSUASIVE (vs.3-4)

- This five, six, or seven-year-old boy was at his very core _____.
- Our passionate desire for _____ began in the Garden of Eden.
- The biggest difference between creature and Creator—God is entirely _____.
- **Adam and Eve** didn't like what **we** don't like—the _____ condition of dependence!
- Jesus Christ became the answer to our crippling _____-sufficiency.
- We must _____ ourselves.
- Three things indicate that we “get this” teaching—
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