

## **Pastor Roy's Study Questions on Matthew 12:15-32** **(September 3, 2025)**

*— Below are questions to help further our understanding of Wednesday's Sermon. —*

1. How can we maintain our focus on Jesus and His mission, even when faced with opposition or challenges in our daily lives?
2. What does the story of Iván Fernández Anaya teach us about integrity and sportsmanship, and how can we apply those lessons to our spiritual walk?
3. How do our actions and attitudes reflect whether we truly know God's love, as described in 1 John 4:8 and exemplified in Leviticus 19:9-18?
4. In what ways might we unknowingly harbor attitudes similar to the Pharisees, and how can we guard against spiritual blindness?
5. How does Jesus' statement 'Whoever is not with me is against me' challenge our commitment to following Him?
6. What does it mean to blaspheme against the Holy Spirit, and why is this sin considered unforgivable?
7. How can we cultivate a heart that recognizes God's miraculous works in our lives and in the world around us?
8. In what ways does Satan try to divide God's kingdom today, and how can we stand firm against these tactics?
9. How does Jesus' compassion for the demon-oppressed man contrast with the Pharisees' attitude, and what does this teach us about true godliness?
10. How can we ensure that our religious practices and beliefs lead us closer to God's love rather than towards legalism and judgment of others?