COME TO ME

Matthew 11:25–30

Key Verse: 11:28

1. What does Jesus say? (25,26) To whom might these two groups refer? (cf. 13:10–17; 18:4) What does Jesus mean by “these things”? (4–6,9–11,14,20) Why are they revealed only to “little children,” and what does this tell us about God’s way of working?
2. What else does Jesus say? (27) What does it tell us about his relationship with the Father and the special task he handed over to him?
3. Read verse 28. To whom is Jesus speaking, and what does he mean by “Come to me”? (Jn5:39,40) What does it mean to “labor” and be “heavy laden”?
4. What else does Jesus say about what it means to come to him? (29a) What is his “yoke,” and what does it mean to “take” it upon ourselves? To “learn from” him? What does he highlight about himself?
5. What is Jesus’ promise? (28b,29b) What does this “rest” mean? What else does he say about his yoke? (30) What does he mean by “easy” and “light”?