

Malachi 3 — Discussion Questions

Theme: Refined Before Revival

1. The people asked, "Where is the God of justice?" Why do believers sometimes question God's justice when evil seems to prosper?

2. God responds by promising justice, but also refinement for His own people. Why do you think judgment begins with God's people before it falls on the wicked?

3. The refiner's fire burns but does not consume. What impurities might God be working to remove in your own life right now?

4. Malachi emphasizes purification beginning with leadership. Why is spiritual integrity in leadership so critical for revival?

5. The image of laundering suggests repeated cleansing. Why is sanctification often a process rather than a one-time event?

6. God calls His people to return by giving Him what is His. In what ways can withholding from God reveal a deeper heart issue?

7. The passage speaks about robbing God in tithes and offerings. How does generosity reflect trust and surrender?

8. The phrase "Test Me in this" is striking. What does it reveal about God's desire for His people to trust Him fully?

9. God promises to open the floodgates of blessing. How should we understand blessing beyond material wealth?

10. When God's people honor Him properly, others notice. How can faithful obedience strengthen our witness in the community?
