

## Unknowing Recognition

### Description

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Luke 12:1-12

How do you acknowledge Christ? and never say anything?

Sarah encountered this question when her daughter recalled a childhood memory. It happened when we stopped to get a newspaper out of a vending machine. It was one of those where you insert your coin, then open the drop down door, and take your paper off the stack inside. Well, this guy in front of us got his paper and then indicated you could take a free paper. But you wouldn't do it. You let the door shut and used your own coin. You'd always talked about being honest but that showed me you meant it.

Sarah vaguely remembered the incident, and realized that it was an automatic response. She knew that she always tried to acknowledge Christ's presence in her life, but in this case a small incident impressed an important witness.

We acknowledge Christ with our words but also with our actions as we reflect His influence in our lives. After all, it's easy to speak words but when we back up the words with actions, especially before a skeptical world, then people watch and remember.

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