The Kingdom

Part 3-Who Goes There?

3 Elements of the Kingdom

We must leave our old kingdom, the new is coming but we can live in it now
Walk by the Spirit –not seek own
not my pleasure –sexuality, materially,
ecclesiastically

A People

1 Peter 2: 9-11		
Abraham was	out from his	
original people to become a new people/nation		
Picture of God calling us into a new,		
identity.		
based on the	, not earthly	
nationality		
We, like Jews of old, become	or	
nationally oriented.		
Supposed to be aliens and		
V. 11 c.f. Leviticus 19:33-34		

God	d commanded Israel to overlook	&
	treat the stranger the same.	
The	Kingdom was never supposed to be	
	or merely	
-Jes	eople of God's Focus ous' birth announced to shepherds (ous authenticates His identity as Messiah)
	Luke 7:19-22, Isaiah 61:1-2	
	the, broken, captive	
-Jesus pictures the Kingdom – Luke 14:12-24 – in		
	response to "Jewish"	
Mat	tthew 25:45 – ""	
1 Corinthians 1:26 – not many wise,,		
noble according to the flesh (
	kingdom)	
	cation Kingdom are those delivered by a new national identity not expressed by	
	or nationality	
We	the kingdom when we don's	t
	prioritize this as Our Kingdom/Kingdom/	dom

We are to be aliens &	_ in regards
to our earthly	
Jesus aimed His Kingdom at the	
outcast, dispossessed – those who alr	eady were
out on an earthly king	gdom
How do WE regard these – the	
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As His Kingdom, His People – are we, as a	church,
making, Ou	r People and
this allegiance	e to the
world?	