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Anthropology Of The Bible

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(What is Man?)

Man composed of:
- 200 bones
- 500 muscles
- 1000 ligaments
- 10,000 nerves
- 100,000 glands
- 2,000,000 pores.


INTRO: Dr. A. T. Pierson's book, "God's Living Oracles" says 11 elements of man are identical with dust. En. 12.9.


I. THE WORTH OF A MAN DEPENDS ON THE STANDARD YOU GO BY.

A. WHAT ARE YOU WORTH PHYSICALLY?

Average man of 150 lb.

   - Carbon for 2,350 lead pencils.
   - Sugar for 60 ordinary lumps. Average 150 lb. man.
   - Fats for a 15 lb. candle. Others more.
   - Poison to kill 500 people. 800,000 matches show.
   - Iron for one 10-penny nail.
   - 20 teaspoons of salt.
   - Lime to make out home plate at ball park.

Conclusion: Commercially $8.50; otherwise worthless.

Yet, must agree with David. Psalms 139:14.

B. WHAT ARE YOU WORTH MENTALLY?

1. Intellect element that places man above beast.
3. Painting worth $400,000. Canvas-$1.00.
   - $397,999.99 worth of brains.
4. Estimate value of Edison, Bell, Ford, Luther, Huss.

Conclusion: Worth more to self and world when use mind.

C. WHAT ARE YOU WORTH SPIRITUALLY?

1. Man's soul places him nearest to the Almighty.
4. Man an heir of heaven. Title good for 1900 years.
5. One Spiritual soul worth more than all materials.


Sinner: Losing soul for worthless things.

Err. Chr. Exchanging soul for independence etc.

John 8:31-32.