"One Thing...."

Introduction: One thing, very simple. Don't we long for simplicity?

Genesis 30:31 (vs. 25-32)

"So he said, "What shall I give you?" And Jacob said, "You shall not give me anything. If you will do this *one* thing for me, I will again pasture *and* keep your flock:"

2 Samuel 3:13 (vs. 12-15)

"He said, "Good! I will make a covenant with you, but I demand one thing of you, namely, you shall not see my face unless you first bring Michal, Saul's daughter, when you come to see me."

I. Psalm 27:4 (vs. 5-9)

"One thing I have asked from the Lord, that I shall seek:

That I may dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life,

To behold the beauty of the Lord

And to meditate in His temple."

II. Matthew 21:24 (vs. 23-27)

"Jesus said to them, "I will also ask you one thing, which if you tell Me, I will also tell you by what authority I do these things."

III. Mark 10:21 (vs. 17-22)

"Looking at him, Jesus felt a love for him and said to him, "One thing you lack: go and sell all you possess and give to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; and come, follow Me."

IV. Luke 10:42 (vs. 38-42)

"but *only* one thing is necessary, for Mary has chosen the good part, which shall not be taken away from her."

V. John 9:25 (vs. 13-34)

"He then answered, "Whether He is a sinner, I do not know; one thing I do know, that though I was blind, now I see."

VI. Acts 19:32 (vs. 21-32)

"So then, some were shouting one thing and some another, for the assembly was in confusion and the majority did not know for what reason they had come together."

VII. Philippians 3:13 (vs. 10-15)

"Brethren, I do not regard myself as having laid hold of *it* yet; but one thing *I do:* forgetting what *lies* behind and reaching forward to what *lies* ahead,"

What is the "One thing" you need, lack, or desire?