***The Restful One***

Matthew 11:28-30 (page 865)

*Where is your refuge?*

**Colossians 3:17 (CSB)**

These are a shadow of what was to come; the substance is Christ.

**Hebrews 4:11 (CSB)**
Let us then make every effort to enter that rest, so that no one will fall into the same pattern of disobedience.

**Jesus invites me: “I am** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**.”**

**Matthew 12:18-21 (CSB)**
18 Here is my servant whom I have chosen,

my beloved in whom I delight;

I will put my Spirit on him,

and he will proclaim justice to the nations.
19 He will not argue or shout,

and no one will hear his voice in the streets.
20 He will not break a bruised reed,

and he will not put out a smoldering wick,

until he has led justice to victory.
21 The nations will put their hope in his name.

**What is My Response to Jesus?**

* Choice #1: I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

*He who has pride as his mother*

*cannot have God as his Father.*

**Matthew 23:4 (CSB)**
They tie up heavy loads that are hard to carry and put them on people's shoulders, but they themselves aren't willing to lift a finger to move them.

**1 Peter 5:5b (CSB)**
All of you clothe yourselves with humility toward one another, because *God resists the proud but gives grace to the humble.*

(Also James 4:6; quoting from Proverbs 6:16-17.)

* Choice #2: I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

*You have made us for yourself, O Lord,*

*and our heart is restless until it rests in you.*

Augustine, *Confessions*

* *Come*: I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.
* *Take*: I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

**1 John 5:3 (CSB)**
For this is what love for God is: to keep his commands. And his commands are not a burden.

* *Learn*: I am \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.