
❖SERMON NOTES❖

Sunday, January 31, 2010

“LOVING LIKE JESUS LOVES ME”

(John 13:31-35)

The last two Sundays we have defined love and shared the importance of love as the Bible teaches it. If we are to really understand what it means to love, we need a great example. Jesus shows us the way.

“A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another” (John 13:34, NIV).

“I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you” (John 13:15, NIV).

1. I must _____ others the way Jesus _____ me.

“Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you” (Romans 15:7, NIV).

2. I must _____ others the way Jesus _____ me.

“For we are God’s workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared in advance for us to do.” Ephesians 2:10, NIV).

“He [God] paid for you with the precious life blood of Christ, the sinless, spotless Lamb of God” (1 Peter 1:19, NLT).

3. I must _____ others like Jesus _____ me.

“I, am he who blots out your transgressions, for my own sake, and remembers your sins no more” (Isaiah 43:25, NIV).

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1. I must accept others the way Jesus accepts me.

“Everything and everyone that the Father has given me will come to me, and I won't turn any of them away” (John 6:37, CEV).

“Jesus treated us much better than we deserve. He made us acceptable. He made us acceptable to God and he gave us the hope of eternal life” (Titus 3:7, CEV).

“Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you” (Romans 15:7, NIV).

2. I must value others the way Jesus values me.

“Are not five sparrows sold for two pennies? Yet not one of them is forgotten by God. The very hairs of your head are all numbered! Don't be afraid; you are worth more than many sparrows” (Luke 12:6-7, NIV).

“Everything God created is good and nothing is to be rejected if it's received with thanksgiving” (1 Timothy 4:4, NIV).

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“Jesus looked at him and loved him” (Mark 10:21, NIV).

3. I must forgive others like Jesus forgives me.

“I, am he who blots out your transgressions, for my own sake, and remembers your sins no more” (Isaiah 43:25, NIV).

“There is therefore now no condemnation for those who are in Christ Jesus” (Romans 8:1, NIV).

“This is the blood of my covenant which is poured out for many for the forgiveness of sin” (Matthew 26:28, NIV).

“You must make allowance for each other’s faults and forgive the person who offends you. Remember, the Lord forgave you, so you must forgive others” (Colossians 3:13, NLT).

“Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven” (Luke 6:37, NIV).