

NOTES: Moral of the Story | The Good Samaritan
July 17-18, 2021 | Compelled Church

Luke 10:25-29

Who is my neighbor (v. 29)?

Luke 10.30-37

1. We need more Compassion

To have compassion _____

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“Therefore they said to Him, “What shall we do, so that we may work the works of God?” Jesus answered and said to them, “This is the work of God that you believe in Him whom He has sent.”” (John 6:28–29, NASB95)

2. We need to love God more

How? *“And he answered, “YOU SHALL LOVE THE LORD YOUR GOD WITH ALL YOUR HEART, AND WITH ALL YOUR SOUL, AND WITH ALL YOUR STRENGTH, AND WITH ALL YOUR MIND; AND YOUR NEIGHBOR AS YOURSELF.””* (Luke 10:27, NASB95)

“The degree in which we love others, is the degree in which we love God.”

3. We need to Love our neighbor more

Who is our neighbor? Anyone in need, which is pretty much everyone.

What do people need?

We do what is easy and naturally neglect the love that is more difficult.

“I love God,” and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen? And this commandment we have from Him: that he who loves God must love his brother also. (1 John 4:20–21)

4. We need to love ourselves more

To love our neighbor

How can we love ourselves and have peace with who we are?

Conclusion

“And he said, “The one who showed mercy toward him.” Then Jesus said to him,

“Go and do the same.”” (Luke 10:37, NASB95)

Sermon Discussion Questions: Moral of the Story | The Good Samaritan
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For continued personal, small group, and family study.

1. Think back when you first heard about Jesus. What was your response? What did you think?

2. Read Luke 10:25-29
 - Who Challenges Jesus?
 - What did Jesus quote?
 - What question did the Lawyer ask? Why did he ask it?

4. Read the parable, Luke 10.30-37
 - What do you observe about it?
 - What did you learn about it from the message?

5. What is the most compassionate thing anyone's ever done for you?
 - How did you feel?
 - What was your response?

6. When was a time that you know you deeply felt compassion? Did this change you?

7. Because of God's compassion to us we can love deeper. How can our love for God deepen without doing more things for God?

8. Pastor said "The degree in which we love others, is the degree in which we love God."
Can we love God and dislike people? Groups? Races? Anyone not like us? People mean to us?

9. *Read aloud, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen? And this commandment we have from Him: that he who loves God must love his brother also. (1 John 4:20–21)*
 - What is this teaching us?

10. Who is our neighbor?

"And he said, "The one who showed mercy toward him." Then Jesus said to him, "Go and do the same."" (Luke 10:37, NASB95)

Go and do the same