

LOVING YOUR ENEMIES & JUDGING OTHERS

LUKE 6:27-42

- Jesus didn't come to make you ____... He came to make you ____.
- Our new life in Jesus Christ produces a new ____ in us. That is, in Christ, there is a new way to ____ and to _____. But it isn't about "_____"... It's a Spirit-_____, fruit-bearing new life in Christ!

Loving Your Enemies (v.27-36)

- Because God our Father is loving, gracious and generous even to those who are His enemies, we should live the same way. We _____ the nature and character of God when we love this way.
- _____ love does not love the way the world does. It is a deeper, _____ love than can be explained by our culture. And it is only produced in us by the work of the _____.

Judging Others (v.37-42)

- Living in _____ with other Christians includes holding each other _____.

PROVERBS 27:17; GALATIANS 6:1-5; ECCLESIASTIES 4:9-12;
HEBREWS 3:12-13; ROMANS 15:1-7

- I need to _____ concentrate on my own _____ before I try to _____ someone else.

ROMANS 2:17-24

- _____ my biggest _____!
- There is a godly form of judgment that is _____ instead of _____.
- The thing that prevents us from giving godly judgment and help to our brother is the log in our own eye, the _____.

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LUKE 6:27-42

- Jesus didn't come to make you nice... He came to make you new.
- Our new life in Jesus Christ produces a new ethic in us. That is, in Christ, there is a new way to live and to love. But it isn't about "being better"... It's a Spirit-empowered, fruit-bearing new life in Christ!

Loving Your Enemies (v.27-36)

- Because God our Father is loving, gracious and generous even to those who are His enemies, we should live the same way. We reflect the nature and character of God when we love this way.
- Christ-empowered love does not love the way the world does. It is a deeper, farther-reaching love than can be explained by our culture. And it is only produced in us by the work of the Holy Spirit.

Judging Others (v.37-42)

- Living in community with other Christians includes holding each other accountable.

PROVERBS 27:17; GALATIANS 6:1-5; ECCLESIASTIES 4:9-12;
HEBREWS 3:12-13; ROMANS 15:1-7

- I need to FIRST concentrate on my own sins before I try to correct someone else.

ROMANS 2:17-24

- I'm my biggest problem!
- There is a godly form of judgment that is helpful instead of condemning.
- The thing that prevents us from giving godly judgment and help to our brother is the log in our own eye, the sin in our own life.