



A MAN AND HIS STORIES #5

THE GOOD SAMARITAN

LUKE 10:25-37

Call Study – Jason Park

²⁵ And a lawyer stood up and put Him to the test, saying, “Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?” ²⁶ And He said to him, “What is written in the Law? How does it read to you?” ²⁷ 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.” ²⁸ And He said to him, “You have answered correctly; do this and you will live.” ²⁹ But wishing to justify himself, he said to Jesus, “And who is my neighbor?” ³⁰ Jesus replied and said, “A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among robbers, and they stripped him and beat him, and went away leaving him half dead. ³¹ And by chance a priest was going down on that road, and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. ³² Likewise a Levite also, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. ³³ But a Samaritan, who was on a journey, came upon him; and when he saw him, he felt compassion, ³⁴ and came to him and bandaged up his wounds, pouring oil and wine on *them*; and he put him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn and took care of him. ³⁵ On the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper and said, ‘Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, when I return I will repay you.’ ³⁶ Which of these three do you think proved to be a neighbor to the man who fell into the robbers’ *hands*?” ³⁷ And he said, “The one who showed mercy toward him.” Then Jesus said to him, “Go and do the same.” **Luke 10:25-37**

LAWYER = **PROUD**

HEART, SOUL, STRENGTH, AND MIND = **EVERYTHING**

PRIEST/LEVITE = **RELIGIOUS**

NEIGHBOR = SOMEONE **IN NEED**

SAMARITAN = YOUR **NEIGHBOR**

LOVING YOUR NEIGHBOR:

ITS ABOUT **PRIORITIES**

“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**

ITS NOT **COMPLICATED**

But a Samaritan, who was on a journey, came upon him; and when he saw him, he felt compassion, **Luke 10:33**

IS GIVING WHAT **YOU HAVE** AND WHAT IS **NEEDED**

and came to him and bandaged up his wounds, pouring oil and wine on *them*; and he put him on his own beast, and brought him to an inn and took care of him. **Luke 6:34**

And do not forget to do good and to share with others, for with such sacrifices God is pleased. **Hebrews 13:16**

LOVE IS NOT ALWAYS FOR **THE LOVEABLE**

³² If you love those who love you, what credit is *that* to you? For even sinners love those who love them. ³³ If you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is *that* to you? For even sinners do the same. **Luke 6:32-33**

LOVE IS **OBEDIENT**

Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself up for her. **Eph. 5:25**

LOVE IS ABOUT **ACTIONS**

¹⁵ If a brother or sister is without clothing and in need of daily food, ¹⁶ and one of you says to them, “Go in peace, be warmed and be filled,” and yet you do not give them what is necessary for *their* body, what use is that? ¹⁷ Even so faith, if it has no works, is dead, *being* by itself. **James 2:15-17**

WE LOVE BECAUSE **HE LOVED**

¹⁹ We love, because He first loved us. ²⁰ If someone says, “I love God,” and hates his brother, he is a liar; for the one who does not love his brother whom he has seen, cannot love God whom he has not seen. ²¹ And this commandment we have from Him, that the one who loves God should love his brother also. **1 John 4:19-21**

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

Is there something specific you like about this parable?

What can we learn from the lawyer?

What can we learn from the man who showed mercy (Samaritan)?

Who in your life right now, are you struggling to love?

What's love got to do with it?

Does anyone have a prayer request?