

## Love Your Enemies

### Learn from Jesus – Part 2

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*Philippians 3:18-19 (ESV) For many, of whom I have often told you and now tell you even with tears, walk as enemies of the cross of Christ. Their end is destruction, their god is their belly, and they glory in their shame, with minds set on earthly things.*

*Romans 5:10 (ESV) For if while we were enemies we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, much more, now that we are reconciled, shall we be saved by his life.*

*Matthew 13:39a (ESV) and the enemy who sowed them is the devil.*

#### 1. Do good to \_\_\_\_\_

*Luke 6:27 (ESV) “But I say to you who hear, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you,*

*Luke 6:28-29 (ESV) bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. To one who strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also, and from one who takes away your cloak do not withhold your tunic either.*

*Luke 6:30-31 (ESV) Give to everyone who begs from you, and from one who takes away your goods do not demand them back. And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them.*

#### 2. Follow the Father's \_\_\_\_\_

*Luke 6:32 (ESV) “If you love those who love you, what benefit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them.*

*Luke 6:33-34 (ESV) And if you do good to those who do good to you, what benefit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. And if you lend to those from whom you expect to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to get back the same amount.*

*Luke 6:35-36 (ESV) But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful.*

#### 3. You will \_\_\_\_\_ what you sow

*Luke 6:37 (ESV) “Judge not, and you will not be judged; condemn not, and you will not be condemned; forgive, and you will be forgiven;*

*Luke 6:38 (ESV) give, and it will be given to you. Good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap. For with the measure you use it will be measured back to you.”*

#### Weekly Healing Scripture

*Acts 14:8-10 (ESV) Now at Lystra there was a man sitting who could not use his feet. He was crippled from birth and had never walked. He listened to Paul speaking. And Paul, looking intently at him and seeing that he had faith to be made well, said in a loud voice, “Stand upright on your feet.” And he sprang up and began walking.*