

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

Love Abnormally

Luke 10:25-37

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Intro:

Luke 10:25-37

1. A great _____.

Luke 10:25

2. A clear _____.

Luke 10:26-28

3. A challenging _____.

Luke 10:29-37

- _____ God's Love.

Romans 5:6-8

- _____ what you already _____.

James 2:14-17

- _____ life's _____.

1 Timothy 6:17-19

FURTHER STUDY

1. Jesus was clearly able to meet both the spiritual and physical needs of the people he came in contact with. Read Matthew 9:1-8 to see how Jesus met this man's needs on both levels, then answer the following questions:
 - ⇒ What difference did the paralytic's friends make?
 - ⇒ What was the paralytic's greatest need?
 - ⇒ What perspective does Isaiah 59:2 and Romans 6:23 give you on our greatest need?
 - ⇒ What message did the physical healing of the paralytic send?
 - ⇒ How can our good works help people to see the goodness and love of Almighty God?
2. Jesus told the parable of the Good Samaritan as a way to help explain the Great Commandment - loving God and loving all people (Luke 10:27). How does each of the following passages help motivate you to go beyond good intentions and love those around you in a practical way?

Matthew 22:37-40	James 1:27
James 2:14-18	1 John 3:16-18
3. Jesus gave his followers clear instruction and a great example of what it looks like to be interruptible and to meet the needs of others. Read Mark 10:46-52 as a backdrop to help you discuss the following questions:
 - ⇒ What helps you pay attention and take notice of the needs of others?
 - ⇒ What can distract you from taking notice of these needs?
 - ⇒ How can you become more interruptible so you can be better used by God?
4. Our Mission as a church is to **"Bring Glory to God by Loving Him and All People through Obedience to His Word."** How will you begin to pray and seek God's direction in your life this Spring and Summer to live out this mission?