

Message Notes

Practical Love: 2. A Cup of Cold Water – Matthew 10.37-42

1. Create a hierarchy of love.
2. Your cross is God's will.
3. Love God more than you love your life.
4. Extend hospitality.
5. Care for newer believers.

LifeConnect Group Discussion Questions

- If you look at the people you love and the way you love them now, what does your list look like? How do you think it should be altered?
- Have you ever thought of your care for others within the family of faith as integral to how you love?
- What does the paradox in verse 39 mean to you? How can you 'lose yourself' to Christ this week?
- How can you best represent to people who are not in relationship with the Lord that the kingdom of heaven is near?
- An old rabbinical saying encourages us, "May you be caked in the dust of your rabbi." What will you do this week that demonstrates your closeness to Jesus?