**How to Love Sacrificially**
Matthew 5:38-48

**I. By Conducting Yourself Better Than Expected - v39**

A. How would you react if someone hit you?

 1. Strike = \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

 2. No good has ever resulted from R\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.

B. To love sacrificially - Go \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - Romans 12:20-21.

C. Isaiah prophesied that the Lord would refuse to R\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ - Isaiah 53:7.

**II. By Giving of Your Possessions More Than is Expected - v40**

A. In a lawsuit, what did the Law of Moses protect?

 1. How would you react to this?

 2. How to love sacrificially - S\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ more than is required.

 3. This becomes an exercise of F\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_! - Luke 10:30-37

B. What is the Lord's example? - Matthew 16:24

**III. By Serving Beyond What is Demanded - v41**

A. What was the Roman Law of Impressments?

 1. How did the Romans limit this practice?

 2. What was the Bible example of them using it?
 - Matthew 27:32

B. To love sacrificially - S\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ more than is expected.

C. Why go beyond what most people would expect?

 1. Because showing kindness is L\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ your Heavenly Father - v45.

 2. Because a special heavenly R\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is implied in obedience - v46.

 3. Because gracious treatment of your E\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ sets you apart from unbelievers - v47.

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