

# 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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