

GOD LOVERS & PEOPLE HATERS
AND OTHER THINGS THAT DON'T GO TOGETHER.

Jesus seemed to value people more than he did his own religion, customs, and traditions.

**Jesus boldly corrected the
misinterpretations of Scripture
and misunderstandings
of God that contributed to
mistreating people.**

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“All the Law and the Prophets hang on these two commandments.”

Matthew 22:37-40

At the epicenter of our faith isn't
just our relationship with God
but also our relationship
with our neighbor.

“A **new** command I give you:

John 13:34 NIV

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Love one another.**

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“A new command I give you:
Love one another. As I have
loved **you**, so you must love one
another.

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Love begins not with
loving but with being loved.

By **this** everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you **love** one another.”

John 13:35 NIV

How did Jesus love?

How did Jesus love?

He loved up close with compassion,
patience, and kindness.

When he saw the crowds, he had **compassion** on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.

Matthew 9:36 NIV

How did Jesus love?

He loved by honoring others according to their God-given dignity.

How did Jesus love?

He spoke un-compromised truth
and gave unconditional grace.

How did Jesus love?

He loved by not allowing theology
to get in the way of mercy.

How did Jesus love?

He loved from the middle.

How did Jesus love?

He loved all people, all the time,
without exceptions, exemptions,
or loopholes.

How did Jesus love?

He loved by sacrificing his
life for the good of others.

**When you're not sure
what to do, think about how
Jesus has loved you,
and love like that.**