

THE ENEMY WITHIN

Part 2: "Facing Differences"

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"If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners love those who love them. And if you do good to those who are good to you, what credit is that to you? Even sinners do that. And if you lend to those from whom you expect repayment, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, expecting to be repaid in full. But love your enemies, do good to them, and lend to them without expecting to get anything back. Then your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High, because he is kind to the ungrateful and wicked."

Luke 6:32-35 (NIV)

IF I WANT TO LOVE OTHERS THAT ARE DIFFERENT THAN ME, I NEED TO...

1	THAT BEING	DIFFERENT	IS

"So God created mankind in his own image, in the image of God he created them; male and female he created them...

...God saw all that he had made, and it was very good. And there was evening, and there was morning—the sixth day."

Genesis 1:27,31 (NIV)

"I will make you into a great nation, and I will bless you; I will make your name great, and you will be a blessing. I will bless those who bless you, and whoever curses you I will curse; and all peoples on earth will be blessed through you.

Genesis 12:2-3 (NIV)

"There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus."

Galatians 3:28 (NIV)

"And they sang a new song, saying:

'You are worthy to take the scroll
and to open its seals,
because you were slain,
and with your blood you purchased for God
persons from every tribe and language and
people and nation.
You have made them to be a kingdom and
priests to serve our God,
and they will reign on the earth."

Revelation 5:9-10 (NIX)

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2	ABOUT OTHERS'			
	• ASK			
	• LISTEN			
	• WAIT			
3		THEIR		