

# Caring for others just like Jesus?

Romans 15: 1-13

## **Introduction**

- Ephesians 4:32, 5:2, 5:25
- 1 John 3:2, 3:3, 3:7

Romans 15:7 *Wherefore, accept one another, **just as Christ** also accepted us to the glory of God.*

## **#1. Carry and build up the weak** <sup>1-2</sup>

**Acts 2:46** *And day by day continuing with one mind in the temple, and breaking bread from house to house, they were taking their meals together with gladness and sincerity of heart,*

**Acts 4:32** *And the congregation of those who believed were of one heart and soul; and not one of them claimed that anything belonging to him was his own; but all things were common property to them.*

**Phil. 1:27** *Only conduct yourselves in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ; so that whether I come and see you or remain absent, I may hear of you that you are standing firm in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel;*

**Phil. 2:2** *make my joy complete by being of the same mind, maintaining the same love, united in spirit, intent on one purpose.*

Luke 10:4 *Carry no purse, no bag, no shoes;*

Gal. 6:2 *Bear one another's burdens, and thus fulfill the law of Christ.*

Philippians 2: 4 *do not merely look out for your own personal interests, but also for the interests of others.* 5 *Have this attitude in yourselves which was also in Christ*

Phil 2:19 *But I hope in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you shortly,*

...20 *For I have no one else of kindred spirit who will genuinely be concerned for your welfare.*

21 *For they all seek after their own interests, not those of Christ Jesus.*

## **#2. Gain encouragement in the midst of conflict** <sup>3-12</sup>

**1st - Take the \_\_\_\_\_ just as Jesus did** <sup>3</sup>

Luke 14

Matthew 17

Luke 7:33

## 2nd - \_\_\_\_\_ the examples found in Scripture 4

Abraham & Lot

Moses Hebrews 11:25 *endure ill-treatment with the people of God than to enjoy the passing pleasures of sin; 26 considering the reproach of Christ greater riches than the treasures of Egypt; for he was looking to the reward.*

David & Jonathan

John the Baptist John 3:30 *He must increase; I must decrease.*

## 3rd. \_\_\_\_\_ on God's \_\_\_\_\_ alone 5-6

### 1-Prayer for \_\_\_\_\_

1 Cor. 1:10 *Now I exhort you, brethren, ...that you all agree, and there be no divisions among you, but you be made complete in the same mind and in the same judgment.*

1 Tim. 2:8 *Therefore I want the men in every place to pray, lifting up holy hands, without wrath and dissension.*

### 2-\_\_\_\_\_ given to God

Acts 4:24 *And when they heard this, they lifted their voices to God with one accord ... 31 And when they had prayed,...and they were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and began to speak the word of God with boldness.*

## We glorify God by...

### #1. confessing our \_\_\_\_\_

Joshua 7:19 *My son, I implore you, give glory to the Lord, the God of Israel, and give praise to Him; and tell me now what you have done. Do not hide it from me*

### #2. having unwavering \_\_\_\_\_ in God

Romans 4:20 *(Abraham) did not waver in unbelief, but grew strong in faith, giving glory to God*

### #3. producing \_\_\_\_\_

John 15:8, *By this is My Father glorified, that you bear much fruit*

### #4. through verbal \_\_\_\_\_

Psalms 50:23, *Whoso offereth praise glorifieth me (KJV).*

### #5. cultivating a \_\_\_\_\_ heart

Philippians 4:19-20 *And my God shall supply all your needs according to His riches in glory in Christ Jesus. Now to our God and Father be glory forever and ever.*

### #6. through confident \_\_\_\_\_

John 14:13 *And whatever you ask in My name, that will I do, that the Father may be glorified in the Son.*

### #7. sharing God's \_\_\_\_\_

2 Thess. 3:1 *pray for us that the word of the Lord may spread rapidly and be glorified, just as it did with you*

### #8. through \_\_\_\_\_ living

Matt. 5:16 *Let your light shine before men in such a way that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father who is in heaven*

**#9. Getting to \_\_\_\_\_ God as He is**

2 Cor. 3:18 *But we all, with unveiled face beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are being transformed into the same image from glory to glory, just as from the Lord, the Spirit*

**#10. by \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus Christ**

Phil 2:9-11 *God also hath highly exalted Him (Christ), and given Him a name which is above every name, that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow (i.e., subjecting one's self to Him as Lord), of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth, and that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God, the Father*

1 Corinthians 10:31 *Whether then, you eat or drink or whatever you do, do all to the Glory of God*

**4th-Remember how Jesus brought \_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ together in unity 7-12**

Acts 10 & 11

Circumcision

Kosher food

**#3. \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ issues 13**

***How do we live just as Jesus?***

1-Don't \_\_\_\_\_ the Holy Spirit, the sin of \_\_\_\_\_  
Eph. 4:30 *...do not grieve the Holy Spirit of God,*

2-Don't \_\_\_\_\_ the Holy Spirit, the sin of \_\_\_\_\_  
1 Thess. 5:19 *Do not quench the Spirit;*

3-Do, be \_\_\_\_\_ with the Holy Spirit.  
Ephesians 5:18 *And do not get drunk with wine, for that is dissipation, but be filled with the Spirit,*

How do we care for others - just like Jesus?

**#1-Depend upon \_\_\_\_\_ alone to live for \_\_\_\_\_.**

Galatians 2:20 *I have been crucified with Christ; and it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me, and delivered Himself up for me.*

**#2-Keep your love relationship with Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_ in order to care for others.**

1 John 4:7 *,let us love one another, for love is from God; and everyone who loves is born of God and knows God. 11...if God so loved us, we also ought to love one another*

1 John 4:19 *We love, because He first loved us.*

**#3-Follow the \_\_\_\_\_ of Jesus to know how to \_\_\_\_\_ others who are different.**

*Colossians 2:6 As you therefore have received Christ Jesus the Lord, so walk in Him*

**#4. Come to \_\_\_\_\_ alone for \_\_\_\_\_ life now and \_\_\_\_\_ life forever.**

*John 14:6 Jesus said to him, I am the way, and the truth, and the life; no one comes to the Father, but through Me.*

*John 10:10 ...I came that they might have life, and might have it abundantly.*

*2 Cor. 5:17 if any man is in Christ, he is a new creature; the old things passed away; behold, new things have come*