



Part 5: Inside-Out Love

FAMILY 2.0

“You have heard that it was said, ‘Love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ But I tell you, love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Father in heaven.

He causes his sun to rise on the evil and the good, and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous. - Matthew 5:43-45 (NIV)

Outside-In Love...

Loves those who **LOVE YOU**

If you love those who love you, what reward will you get? Are not even the tax collectors doing that? - Matthew 5:46 (NIV)

Loves those who are **LIKE YOU**

And if you greet only your own people, what are you doing more than others? Do not even pagans do that? - Matthew 5:47 (NIV)

Be perfect, therefore, as your heavenly Father is perfect. - Matthew 5:48 (NIV)

Perfect = _____ COMPLETE _____

Big Idea:

Perfect love comes from the inside-out

Loving Inside-Out:

 EMBRACE **God’s love for you**

God’s love has been poured out into our hearts through the Holy Spirit, who has been given to us. You see, at just the right time, when we were still powerless, Christ died for the ungodly. - Romans 5:5-6 (NIV)

 EXTINGUISH **your love for the world**

Do not love the world or the things in the world. If you love the world, the love of the Father is not in you. - 1 John 2:15 (NCV)

 EXTEND **God’s love to your Oikos**

The Father has loved us so much that we are called children of God. And we really are his children. The reason the people in the world do not know us is that they have not known him. - 1 John 3:1 (NCV)

WHAT’S NEXT?

My decision today

- I received Christ for the first time
- I recommitted my life to Christ

Next step

- I would like to be baptized
- I would like to join Starting Point
- I would like to join a LifeGroup
- I would like to talk to a pastor

Get involved

- I want to help in setup ministry
- I want to help in kid’s ministry
- I want to help in tech ministry
- I want to help with break-down

Prayer Requests / Questions