

# 40 Days of Love

## Part 5 - "Won't You be my Neighbor?!"

Luke 10:25-37 (NKJV)

**Luke 10:27-28 (NIV)**

27 He answered: "Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your strength and with all your mind"; and, "Love your neighbor as yourself."

28 "You have answered correctly," Jesus replied. "Do this and you will live."

### 1. Lust: What Is Yours Is Mine

I will \_\_\_\_\_ it.

**Luke 10:30 (NIV)**

30 In reply Jesus said: "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, when he fell into the hands of robbers. They stripped him of his clothes, beat him and went away, leaving him half dead."

"When you begin to love things and use people,  
you become a thief."

### 2. Legalism: What Is Mine Is Mine

I will \_\_\_\_\_ it.

**Luke 10:31-32 (NIV)**

31 A priest happened to be going down the same road, and when he saw the man, he passed by on the other side. 32 So too, a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side.

**"We just did not want to get involved."**

A **thief** can **take** something that does not belong to him,  
or **keep** something that belongs to someone else.

**Proverbs 3:27 (Amplified)**

27 Withhold not good from those to whom it is due, when it is in the power of your hand to do it.

**James 4:17 (Message)**

17 In fact, if you know the right thing to do and don't do it, that, for you, is evil.

### 3. Love: What Is Mine Is Yours

I will \_\_\_\_\_ it.

- The question is not "Who is my neighbor?"
- The question is: "Am I a good neighbor?"

