

The Golden Rule:

*Treat others the way
You want to be treated.*



Remember The Golden Rule



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REFLECTING JESUS TO OTHERS

- **Mat.7:12 is the summary of the Talk on the Hill**
- **5:2-16 Is the Call to reflect the character of Jesus**
- **5:17-20 is the Necessity of reflecting Jesus. 1st Warning**
- **5:21-48 What it looks like to reflect Jesus**
- **6:1-18 Trying to reflect Jesus in the flesh**
- **6:19-34 How walking with Jesus will change our priorities**
- **7:1-6 Don't be judgmental, be Loving**
- **7:7-11 In learning to walk IN Jesus, we will learn to be constantly in prayer with Jesus, about what is going in and around us, and how He would want to respond through us**

REFLECTING JESUS TO OTHERS

- **So, or Therefore, or in light of everything we have been saying, Love others in the way you want to be loved.**
- **This is also a summary of the OT Law and Prophets. This is the summary of the OT teachings.**
- **How did Jesus summarize the OT?**
- **Lk.10:27 - “You shall 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 your neighbor as yourself.”**

Living Self-Centered Lives

- People LOVE this saying. Why don't they keep it?
- Because of Adam's sin, we are all born with a nature to sin
- Therefore, just as sin came into the world through one man, and death through sin, and so death spread to all men because all sinned Rom.5:12
- Because of sin we became "self" centered
- Rom.3:9-20 – There is no one righteous, no one understands, no one seeks for God! No one will be justified by the works of the law
- James 4:1-10 What causes the quarrels and fights among you?

Living God-Centered Lives

- How do we begin to live the Golden Rule?**
- We start with the Gospel. We start with understanding of who God is.**
- What is The Ultimate Evil in the Universe?**
- The Gospel is about putting God where He belongs!**
- What was Jesus summary of the law?**
- What does it mean to be a disciple of Jesus? To be a Follower of Jesus?**

Living God-Centered Lives

- **What has Jesus told us so far in this Chat on the Hill?**
- **5:16; 5:20; 5:48; 6:1; 6:14-15; 6:21; 6:24; 6:33; 7:1**
- **From 7:13 to the end of the chapter, Jesus is spelling out the consequences of not being a disciple**
- **It is all about making God first in our lives.**
- **In seeing who God is we will see the sin our lives. If we mourn our sin and confess our sin and want Jesus to take the lead in our lives, we will start down the path of being a disciple and follower of Jesus, and doing to others as we would like them to do to us**