

Loving Luke 6:27-36

Discern—The Need

- **Love**—Could you define it if you needed to do so?
- **Jesus addressed the Attitude and Action of Love**

Embrace—The Word

- **Animation** (v27-30)—Love is both Pro-Active and Re-Active
 - *Love your enemies*
 - *Do good/hate you*
 - *Bless/Curse*
 - *Pray/Mistreat*
 - *Hits cheek/Offer other*
 - *Takes coat/Give shirt*
 - *Give to everyone who asks you*
 - *Takes things/Don't ask back*
- **Regulation** (v31)—“The Golden Rule”
- **Validation** (vv32-34)—True love goes beyond the normal exchanges of life
 - *Love/Do Good/Lend*
 - Limiting Love/Goodness/Generosity by what's done to you is Selfish
 - Go one notch above
- **Compensation** (vv35-36)— We do gain a reward
 - *Love/Enemies*
 - *Reward/Great*
 - When you love in this way you show exactly whose ‘kid’ you are

Engage—The Truth

- **Love others**