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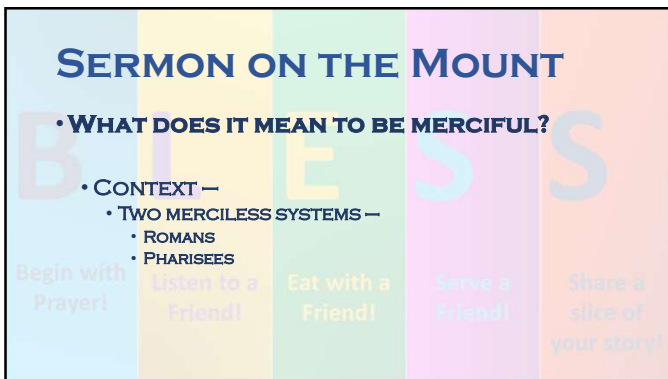
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**SERMON ON THE MOUNT**

**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

- DEFINITION — ἐλεήμων (EL-EE-MON)
- TO BE COMPASSIONATE
- TO SHOW MERCY

Begin with Prayer! Listen to a Friend! Eat with a Friend! Serve a Friend! Share a slice of your story

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**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

- DEFINITION — ἐλεήμων (EL-EE-MON)
- TO BE COMPASSIONATE OR MERCIFUL

**“The people of my kingdom aren’t takers, they are givers. The people of my kingdom aren’t condemners, they are mercy givers. The people of my kingdom don’t set themselves above others, they stoop to help others.”**

John MacArthur

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**SERMON ON THE MOUNT**

**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

- DEFINITION —

**TO BE MERCIFUL IS TO COMPASSIONATELY MOVE TOWARD THE NEEDS OF OTHERS AND MEET THOSE NEEDS, EVEN WHEN UNDERSERVED.**

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**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

- ARGUMENTATION —

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**MATTHEW 14:14**

**WHEN JESUS LANDED AND SAW A LARGE CROWD, HE HAD COMPASSION ON THEM AND HEALED THEIR SICK.**

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**MATTHEW 15:32**

**JESUS CALLED HIS DISCIPLES TO HIM AND SAID, “I HAVE COMPASSION FOR THESE PEOPLE; THEY HAVE ALREADY BEEN WITH ME THREE DAYS AND HAVE NOTHING TO EAT. I DO NOT WANT TO SEND THEM AWAY HUNGRY, OR THEY MAY COLLAPSE ON THE WAY.”**

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**MATTHEW 20:34**

**JESUS HAD COMPASSION ON THEM AND TOUCHED THEIR EYES. IMMEDIATELY THEY RECEIVED THEIR SIGHT AND FOLLOWED HIM.**

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**SERMON ON THE MOUNT**

**II CORINTHIANS 8:9**

**FOR YOU KNOW THE GRACE OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, THAT THOUGH HE WAS RICH, YET FOR YOUR SAKE HE BECAME POOR, SO THAT YOU THROUGH HIS POVERTY MIGHT BECOME RICH.**

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**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

• ILLUSTRATED –

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**ACTS 3:6-7**

**THEN PETER SAID, “SILVER OR GOLD I DO NOT HAVE, BUT WHAT I DO HAVE I GIVE YOU. IN THE NAME OF JESUS CHRIST OF NAZARETH, WALK.” TAKING HIM BY THE RIGHT HAND, HE HELPED HIM UP, AND INSTANTLY THE MAN’S FEET AND ANKLES BECAME STRONG.**

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**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

• APPLICATION –

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**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

• APPLICATION –

• MERCIFUL PEOPLE UNDERSTAND MERCY

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## LAMENTATIONS 3:22

### • KING JAMES BIBLE

**IT IS OF THE LORD'S MERCIES THAT WE ARE NOT CONSUMED, BECAUSE HIS COMPASSIONS FAIL NOT.**

### • NEW INTERNATIONAL VERSION

**BECAUSE OF THE LORD'S GREAT LOVE WE ARE NOT CONSUMED, FOR HIS COMPASSIONS NEVER FAIL.**

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### • WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?

#### • APPLICATION —

- MERCIFUL PEOPLE UNDERSTAND MERCY
- MERCY DEALS WITH SYMPTOMS (PAIN)
- GRACE DEALS WITH PROBLEMS (CAUSE)

"MERCY SAYS, 'NO HELL'; GRACE SAYS 'HEAVEN'"

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### • WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?

#### • APPLICATION —

- MERCIFUL PEOPLE UNDERSTAND MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE EXTEND MERCY

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## TITUS 3:4-5

**BUT WHEN THE KINDNESS AND LOVE OF GOD OUR SAVIOR APPEARED, HE SAVED US, NOT BECAUSE OF RIGHTEOUS THINGS WE HAD DONE, BUT BECAUSE OF HIS MERCY.**

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## EPHESIANS 2:3-5

**...LIKE THE REST, WE WERE BY NATURE DESERVING OF WRATH. BUT BECAUSE OF HIS GREAT LOVE FOR US, GOD, WHO IS RICH IN MERCY, MADE US ALIVE WITH CHRIST EVEN WHEN WE WERE DEAD IN TRANSGRESSIONS— IT IS BY GRACE YOU HAVE BEEN SAVED.**

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### • WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?

#### • APPLICATION —

- MERCIFUL PEOPLE UNDERSTAND MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE EXTEND MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE ALWAYS FORGIVE
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE ALWAYS OFFER LOVE

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**• WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE MERCIFUL?**

**• APPLICATION —**

- MERCIFUL PEOPLE UNDERSTAND MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE EXTEND MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE REJOICE IN MERCY

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## JAMES 2:12-13

**SPEAK AND ACT AS THOSE WHO ARE GOING TO BE JUDGED BY THE LAW THAT GIVES FREEDOM, BECAUSE JUDGMENT WITHOUT MERCY WILL BE SHOWN TO ANYONE WHO HAS NOT BEEN MERCIFUL.**

**MERCY TRIUMPHS OVER JUDGMENT.**

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- MERCIFUL PEOPLE EXTEND MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE REJOICE IN MERCY
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE LOVE WHEN MERCY TRUMPS JUDGEMENT
- MERCIFUL PEOPLE ARE SHOWN MERCY BY GOD — THEY ESCAPE ETERNAL JUDGMENT

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**7 BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL, FOR THEY WILL BE SHOWN MERCY.**

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