



His Luminous Communication

Jesus: The Incomparable Leader - Part 7 of 7
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Big Idea: As the most effective communicator ever, we can learn from how Jesus shared with all kinds of different people.

Text: Luke 6:17-49

I. HE CHOSE THE _____.

He went down with them and stood on a level place. A large crowd of his disciples was there...
- Luke 6:17a

Now when he saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him. - Matthew 5:1

Such large crowds gathered around him that he got into a boat and sat in it, while all the people stood on the shore. - Matthew 13:2

On the first day of the week we came together to break bread. Paul spoke to the people and, because he intended to leave the next day, kept on talking until midnight. There were many lamps in the upstairs room where we were meeting. Seated in a window was a young man named Eutychus, who was sinking into a deep sleep as Paul talked on and on. When he was sound asleep, he fell to the ground from the third story and was picked up dead. - Acts 20:7-9

II. HE _____ HIS AUDIENCE'S NEEDS.

He went down with them and stood on a level place. A large crowd of his disciples was there and a great number of people from all over Judea, from Jerusalem, and from the coast of Tyre and Sidon, who had come to hear him and to be healed of their diseases. - Luke 6:17-18a

Those troubled by evil spirits were cured, and the people all tried to touch him, because power was coming from him and healing them all. - Luke 6:18b-19

"Blessed are you who are poor, for yours is the kingdom of God." - Luke 6:20b

"Blessed are you who hunger now, for you will be satisfied." - Luke 6:21a

"Blessed are you who weep now, for you will laugh." - Luke 6:21b

“Blessed are you when men hate you, when they exclude you and insult you and reject your name as evil, because of the Son of Man. Rejoice in that day and leap for joy, because great is your reward in heaven. For that is how their fathers treated the prophets.” – Luke 6:22-23

“But woe to you who are rich, for you have already received your comfort.” – Luke 6:24

“Woe to you who are well fed now, for you will go hungry.” – Luke 6:25a

“Woe to you who laugh now, for you will mourn and weep.” – Luke 6:25b

“Woe to you when all men speak well of you, for that is how their fathers treated the false prophets.” – Luke 6:26

III. HE GAVE HIS LISTENERS MORE _____ THAN _____.

“But I tell you who hear me: Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you.” – Luke 6:27

“Bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you.” – Luke 6:28

“If someone strikes you on one cheek, turn to him the other also. If someone takes your cloak, do not stop him from taking your tunic. Give to everyone who asks you, and if anyone takes what belongs to you, do not demand it back.” – Luke 6:29-30

“Do to others as you would have them do to you.” – Luke 6:31

“If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? Even ‘sinners’ love those who love them.” – Luke 6:32

“And if you do good to those who are good to you, what credit is that to you? Even ‘sinners’ do that. And if you lend to those from whom you expect repayment, what credit is that to you? Even ‘sinners’ lend to ‘sinners,’ expecting to be repaid in full. But love your enemies, do good to them, and lend to them without expecting to get anything back. Then your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, because he is kind to the ungrateful and wicked.” – Luke 6:33-35

“Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful. Do not judge, and you will not be judged. Do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven. Give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together and running over, will be poured into your lap. For with the measure you use, it will be measured to you.” – Luke 6:36-38

IV. HE _____ WITH HUMOR AND ILLUSTRATIONS.

“He also told them this parable: “Can a blind man lead a blind man? Will they not both fall into a pit?”

– Luke 6:39

“Why do you look at the speck of sawdust in your brother’s eye and pay no attention to the plank in your own eye? How can you say to your brother, ‘Brother, let me take the speck out of your eye,’ when you yourself fail to see the plank in your own eye? You hypocrite, first take the plank out of your eye, and then you will see clearly to remove the speck from your brother’s eye.” – Luke 6:41-42

“Why do you call me, ‘Lord, Lord,’ and do not do what I say? I will show you what he is like who comes to me and hears my words and puts them into practice. He is like a man building a house, who dug down deep and laid the foundation on rock. When a flood came, the torrent struck that house but could not shake it, because it was well built. But the one who hears my words and does not put them into practice is like a man who built a house on the ground without a foundation. The moment the torrent struck that house, it collapsed and its destruction was complete.” – Luke 6:46-49

MEMORY VERSES

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