

# The Golden Recommendation

"And as you wish that others would do to you, do so to them." Luke 6:31, ESV

Luke 6:31 - Is this a \_\_\_\_\_, or merely a \_\_\_\_\_?

## The Danger Of Trivializing God's Rules

- A. With \_\_\_\_\_ we sometimes get away with \_\_\_\_\_ the rules. Does this \_\_\_\_\_ our attitude toward others?
- B. Can God's rules be turned into recommendations?
1. 1 Samuel 15:19-23 - Though \_\_\_\_\_ insisted that he had \_\_\_\_\_ the Lord's \_\_\_\_\_, he hadn't. It is better to \_\_\_\_\_ than to \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. 1 Kings 13:33,34 - King \_\_\_\_\_ disregarded God's commands about the \_\_\_\_\_. His house was \_\_\_\_\_ because of this.
  3. Deuteronomy 4:1,2 - They were not to \_\_\_\_\_ to or to \_\_\_\_\_ from the statutes and the \_\_\_\_\_ of God. God's commands are always to be \_\_\_\_\_.
  4. Nowhere in Scripture are we told that God gives \_\_\_\_\_.
- C. \_\_\_\_\_ words can \_\_\_\_\_ us. Do we come to them with \_\_\_\_\_ hearts?

## A Golden Perspective On Life

- A. A life that considers the needs of others:
1. Luke 6:27-31 - Is it easy to love our \_\_\_\_\_, bless those who \_\_\_\_\_ us, and to \_\_\_\_\_ the other \_\_\_\_\_? Yet these are the teachings of \_\_\_\_\_.
  2. Philippians 2:3-7 - Instead of looking out only for our own \_\_\_\_\_, we are to consider those of \_\_\_\_\_. This can be done if we have the \_\_\_\_\_ of Christ, who \_\_\_\_\_ Himself.
  3. Matthew 16:24 - Those who want to \_\_\_\_\_ Christ must first \_\_\_\_\_ themselves.
- B. John 14:15 - We will \_\_\_\_\_ Jesus' \_\_\_\_\_ if we \_\_\_\_\_ Him.
- 2 Kings 7:9 - The \_\_\_\_\_ of these four men \_\_\_\_\_ when they considered the \_\_\_\_\_ of others. Whose \_\_\_\_\_ should we be considering?

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