

Loving Like Jesus Loves (Luke 7:36-50)  
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I. Luke 7:36-50

A. The Pharisee and the Prostitute (36-43)

1. Simon's prestigious invitation
2. The woman's unfortunate situation
3. The woman's act
4. The Pharisee's response

**\*\*Jesus accepts others, not because of status, but because He loves them. If we love like Jesus, we will accept others like Jesus.**

B. The evaluation of the Pharisee and the Prostitute (44-47)

1. Simon did the basics of hospitality
2. Woman went above and beyond with what she had at her disposal.
3. The amount of sin in your life is inconsequential. It is whether or not you are aware of it.

**\*\*Jesus values others, not because of what they do, but because He loves them. If we love like Jesus, we will value like Jesus.**

C. The result of the Pharisee and the prostitute (48-50)

1. "Your sins are forgiven." "Faith has saved you."
2. How do we know her sins were forgiven? Jesus told her so. How do we know our sins are forgiven? God tells us so in His Word.

**\*\*Jesus forgives others, not because they deserve it, but because He loves them. If we love like Jesus, we will forgive like Jesus.**

II. Challenge

- A. If we love like Jesus, then we will accept, value and forgive like Jesus.
- B. "Who is this, who even forgives sins?"
- C. Cup of cold water