

## Session 3 - February 23, 2020

“But I say unto you, Love your enemies, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;”

Matthew 5:44

Jesus lists four ways to respond to those who've hurt us:

- 1). \_\_\_\_\_ your enemies,
- 2). \_\_\_\_\_ them that curse you,
- 3). \_\_\_\_\_ to them that hate you,
- 4). \_\_\_\_\_ for them which despitefully use you.

-Are you harboring hard feelings towards someone? Could someone be harboring hard feelings towards you?

Jesus is the ultimate example of how to love, bless, do good, and pray for those who've mistreated us!

John 13:21-27

1 Peter 2:21-24

Colossians 3:12-13

Ephesians 4:32

John 15:12

\_\_\_\_\_ are NOT each other's enemies. Who is the real enemy?

Ephesians 6:12

Instead of fighting \_\_\_\_\_ each other, we should be fighting  
\_\_\_\_\_ each other!

How can we fight for each other??

- 1). Pray for wisdom
- 2). Pray for yourself (Romans 12:18)
- 3). Pray for the "impossible people"
- 4). Pray for His will

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## Challenge Week 5

Spend a few minutes each day in prayer for these people.  
Prepare your heart to be receptive and open to the Lord as you're praying.

This week I'm praying for:

Lady from Bible study: \_\_\_\_\_

Someone who is sick: \_\_\_\_\_

Someone who is hurting: \_\_\_\_\_

Someone who has caused me hurt/pain: \_\_\_\_\_

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## Challenge Week 6

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