

Overflow

Learning From Jesus

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Loving Like Jesus

Living Like Jesus



Authority Why Do We Learn From Jesus?

Authority is having power, right or delegated influence in others life

The Sermon on the Mount is not...

- >Not suggestions from a respected religious leader
- >Not some moral actions to help you be a better person
- >Not a list of self-improvement options
- >Not a buffet of religious activities to choose from



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The Sermon on the Mount is....

- >Ground rules and expectations for a follower of Jesus
- >God's message to us through His Son of what a disciples life should be like by power of Holy Spirit
- >A set of expectations to be lived out, not options to be selected from
- >Not a list of things to know, a person to become

Goal Understand What It Means To Learn From Jesus

Jesus doesn't just want us to know what mercy is, He expects us to become a merciful person!

3 Step Process

Content: Hear my words +

Conformity: Put them into practice =

Character Changed: Become like Jesus



Attitude

Jesus Came to *Elevate* the OT, Not *Eliminate* It!

- · Actions are important, but we can't stop there
- · The Pharisees had actions right, but not attitude
- · God expects the actions to come from the heart
- You have heard it said...but I say:
 Jesus elevates...not eliminates the OT



Reality

Overflowing Life Doesn't Exempt Us From Life, It Empowers Us to Overcome!

- Both of built
- · Both used same materials
- Both experienced same trials and tribulations
- · One had resources the other did not



Questions For Today

- · Is the foundation of your life built on Jesus?
- · Are you "hearing his words" regularly?
- · Are your actions coming from the heart?



Opportunities For Today Join us for Next after the service:

- Read through the NT in a year guide
 - Ministry Opportunity Guide
 - New Small Group Information

