

Scripture

These Bible selections are from the old and new Testaments, and at times the Bible translation used will be noted.

What does God expect of us? We are to love God; we are to love our neighbors [Matt. 22:34-40], and we are to go and make disciples of others who will do the same [Matt 28:16-20].

Then the King will say, "I am telling you the solemn truth: Whenever you did one of these things to someone who is overlooked or ignored, that was me – you did it to me." -- Matthew 25:40 MSG

"Let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven." – Matthew 5:16

"There will always be poor people in the land. Therefore I command you to be openhanded toward your brothers and toward the poor and needy in your land". - Deuteronomy 15:11

Treat one another justly. Love your neighbors. Be compassionate with each other. – Zechariah 7:9 (The Message)

He who is kind to the poor lends to the Lord, and He will reward him for what he has done. – Proverbs 19:17

"He defended the cause of the poor and needy, and so all went well. Is that not what it means to know me?" declares the Lord. – Jeremiah 22:16

But someone will say, "You have faith; I have deeds." Show me your faith without deeds, and I will show you my faith by what I do. – James 2:18

For it is by grace that you have been saved, through faith – and this not from yourself, it is a gift from God –not by works, so that no one can boast. For we are God's workmanship, created in Christ Jesus to do good works, which God prepared us in advance to do. -- Eph.2:8-10

You are the salt of the earth. But if the salt loses its saltiness, how can it be made salty again? It is no longer good for anything, except to be thrown out and trampled by men. "You are the light of the world. A city on a hill cannot be hidden. Neither do people light a lamp and put it under a bowl. Instead they put it on its stand, and it gives light to everyone in the house. In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven. – Matthew 5:13-16

"For where your treasure is," He said, "There your heart will also be." – Luke 12:34

Be ye doers of the word, not just hearers only, deceiving your own selves. – James 1:22 KJV

We are therefore Christ's ambassadors, as though God were making His appeal through us. – 2 Corinthians 5:20