

THE SWORD OF THE SPIRIT

Who Do You Love More Than God?

Is there someone you love more than God? Jesus describes this attitude in Luke 14:26, where He says, *"If anyone comes to me and does not hate his own father and mother and wife and children and brothers and sisters, yes, and even his own life, he cannot be my disciple."* Incidentally, the definition of hate in this passage is not used in the sense we use the word today. Jesus is not telling us to despise and behave bitterly towards our family members or ourselves. Jesus is telling His disciples to learn to love Him more than father, mother, brother, sister, or self.

Jesus wants His disciples to get their priorities straight. Following Christ requires certain sacrifices. Therefore, if you wish to follow Christ you must learn to love everything and everyone else less than God. The center of your world must be focused on Him and no one else. If you are more focused on serving yourself or your family, it is impossible to serve God the way He requires. If you choose to give in to the whims of your family or your own desires, it proves that you love yourself, others, and Satan more than God. Who do you love more than God?

Service Times:

Sunday: 10 am,
10:45 am & 5 pm
Wednesday: 7 pm

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