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Sermon Title: **Parables: The Good Samaritan**

The question, "Who is my neighbor?" was an insincere question, and insincerity subverts justice. It makes us miss the whole point." – **Matt Rosenberg**

**Luke 10:30** *Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him and departed, leaving him half dead.*

**1. The Story: Luke 10:25-37**

**Luke 10:25-26** *And behold, a lawyer stood up to put him to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the Law? How do you read it?"*

**2. The Lesson: Luke 10:25-37**

**Luke 10:29** *But he wanted to justify himself, so he asked Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?"*

**1 John 4:1** *Beloved, do not believe every spirit, but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world.*

**1 Peter 3:15** *but in your hearts honor Christ the Lord as holy, always being prepared to make a defense to anyone who asks you for a reason for the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and respect,*

**Leviticus 19:18** *You shall not take vengeance or bear a grudge against the sons of your own people, but you shall love your neighbor as yourself: I am the LORD.*

**John 21:17** *He said to him the third time, "Simon, son of John, do you love me?" Peter was grieved because he said to him the third time, "Do you love me?" and he said to him, "Lord, you know everything; you know that I love you." Jesus said to him, "Feed my sheep.*

**3. The Application:**

**Galatians 6:2** *Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ.*

**John 15:12** *This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you.*

**Hebrews 13:16** *Do not neglect to do good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.*