

HOW TO TREAT PEOPLE RIGHT: May 19, 2019

James 2:1-13

"If you really keep the royal law found in Scripture, 'Love your neighbor as yourself,' you are doing right," (vs. 8)

I. THE PRINCIPLE: _____ (vs. 1)

"My brothers, as believers in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ, don't show favoritism."

_____ DEF: "Favoritism"

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Illustration (vs. 2-4)

Areas of Discrimination

II. THE PROBLEM

1. FAVORITISM IS _____ (vs. 1)

"For God does not show favoritism." Rom.2:11

Acts 10:34, Ephesians 6:9, Col. 3:25

"Man looks at the outward appearance, but the Lord looks at the heart." 1Sam.16:7

2. FAVORITISM IS _____ (vs. 5-7)

"... Has not God chosen those who are poor ... to be rich in faith ... and inherit the kingdom ...?"

"Is it not the rich who are exploiting you ...?"

SERMON NOTES

3. FAVORITISM IS _____ (vs. 8-9)

"Anyone who does not love his brother, whom he has seen, cannot love God, whom he has not seen" 1 John 4:20

The seriousness of it (vs. 10-13)

III. THE PRESCRIPTION: HOW TO TREAT PEOPLE RIGHT

(And How To Make BGCC A Loving Church)

1. _____ Rom. 15:7

"Accept one another just as Christ accepted you ..."

2. _____ Phil. 2:3-5

"Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others better than yourselves. Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also the interests of others."

3. _____ 1 Thess. 5:11

"Encourage one another and build each other up ..."

Date: _____ Speaker: _____

Text: _____

Title: _____

Notes: _____

What I Learned:
