

Insiders Outsiders

Sunday, October 26, 2014 Dave Michel Stepping Stones Community Church

Introduction:

By this everyone will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.

John 13:35 NIV

How should disciples treat _____? 1. Share the _____ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them... and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. Matthew 28:19-20 NIV 2. Win people _____

Though I am free and belong to no one, I have made myself a slave to everyone, to win as many as possible.

1 Corinthians 9:19 NIV

How should disciples treat those who don't live as _____?

It is actually reported that there is sexual immorality among you, and of a kind that even pagans do not tolerate: A man is sleeping with his father's wife. And you are proud! Shouldn't you rather have gone into mourning and have put out of your fellowship the man who has been doing this. For my part, even though I am not physically present, I am with you in spirit. As one who is present with you in this way, I have already passed judgment in the name of our Lord Jesus on the one who has been doing this. 1 Corinthians 5:1-3 NIV

. Insiders:

I wrote to you in my letter not to associate with sexually immoral people - not at all meaning the people of this world who are immoral, or the greedy and swindlers, or idolaters. In that case you would have to leave this world. But now I am writing to you that you must not associate with anyone who claims to be a brother or sister but is sexually immoral or greedy, an idolater or slanderer, a drunkard or swindler. Do not even eat with such people. What business is it of mine to judge those outside the church?

1 Corinthians 5:9-12 NIV

2. Outsiders:	
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Next Steps:
☐ Commit to take seriously my part in winning people over to Jesus
☐ I will reach out in love and help to honor their commitment to discipleship
☐ Commit to make myself like a "slave" to others so that my love in action will be genuine
☐ Re-read today's Bible verses this week