

II. **Is Jesus worth it? (Yes, he is)**

Revelation 5:12

¹² ...saying with a loud voice,
"Worthy is the Lamb who was slain,
to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might
and honor and glory and blessing!"

Matthew 5:11-12

¹¹ "Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you
falsely on my account. ¹² Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven, for so they
persecuted the prophets who were before you.

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2019 NSCC Member Mission

I will greet, befriend, and invite five people into greater relationship, with the prayer of "making
strangers into neighbors and neighbors into the family of God."

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"Radically ordinary hospitality is this: using your Christian home in a daily way that seeks to make
strangers neighbors, and neighbors family of God. It brings glory to God, serves others, and lives out the
gospel in word and deed. The purpose of radically ordinary hospitality is to build, focus, deepen, and
strengthen the family of God, pointing others to the Bible-believing local church, and being earthly and
spiritual good to everyone we know." Rosaria Butterfield, *The Gospel Comes with a House Key*

“The Cross before me, the world behind me”

Matthew 10:34-42

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³⁴ “Do not think that I have come to bring peace to the earth. I have not come to bring peace, but a sword. ³⁵ For I have come to set a man against his father, and a daughter against her mother, and a daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law. ³⁶ And a person’s enemies will be those of his own household. ³⁷ Whoever loves father or mother more than me is not worthy of me, and whoever loves son or daughter more than me is not worthy of me. ³⁸ And whoever does not take his cross and follow me is not worthy of me. ³⁹ Whoever finds his life will lose it, and whoever loses his life for my sake will find it.

⁴⁰ “Whoever receives you receives me, and whoever receives me receives him who sent me. ⁴¹ The one who receives a prophet because he is a prophet will receive a prophet’s reward, and the one who receives a righteous person because he is a righteous person will receive a righteous person’s reward. ⁴² And whoever gives one of these little ones even a cup of cold water because he is a disciple, truly, I say to you, he will by no means lose his reward.”

I. Is Jesus a liar? (No, he is not)

Micah 7:6

⁶ ...for the son treats the father with contempt,
the daughter rises up against her mother,
the daughter-in-law against her mother-in-law;
a man’s enemies are the men of his own house.

⁷ But as for me, I will look to the LORD;
I will wait for the God of my salvation;
my God will hear me.

⁸ Rejoice not over me, O my enemy;
when I fall, I shall rise;
when I sit in darkness,
the LORD will be a light to me.

2 Corinthians 2:16

¹⁶ ...to one a fragrance from death to death, to the other a fragrance from life to life.

Matthew 5:43-45

⁴³ “You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ ⁴⁴ But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, ⁴⁵ so that you may be sons of your Father who is in heaven.