"Who Are You Imitating?" Ephesians 4:31 – 5:2 * November 26, 2023

Stop imitating the "put away from you" 4:31
Romans 12:2 "you must no longer walk as the Gentiles do" 4:17 "put off your old self" 4:22 "having put away falsehood" 4:25
"put away" 4:31 "smoldering resentment, a brooding grudge-filled attitude"*
"put away" 4:31 "wild rage, the passion of the moment"*
"put away anger" 4:31 "a more internal smoldering, a subtle and deep feeling"*
"put away" 4:31 "the shout or outcry of strife and reflects the public outburst that reveals loss of control"*
"put away slander" 4:31 "From Greek word blasphēmia, from which we get blasphemy) is the ongoing defamation of someone that rises from a bitter heart"*
"put away" 4:31 "the general term for evil that is the root of all vices"*
Imitate God (5:1) by
"showing" 4:32
"remaining" 4:32
" one another as God in Christ forgave you" 4:32
"walking in as Christ loved us" 5:2 "and gave Himself up for us, a fragrant offering and sacrifice to God"

Fill in the blanks: world, bitterness, wrath, clamor, malice, kindness, tenderhearted, forgiving, love

*(Definitions taken from John MacArthur Ephesians' Commentary)