

LUKE 1-6:

Overall Context:

Luke's Address

(1:1-4)

- **A careful, orderly, eyewitness account**

I. Jesus and John

(1:5 – 2:52)

- **The Foretelling of John's birth/
The Foretelling of Jesus' birth**
- **John's birth and circumcision/
Jesus' birth and circumcision
(6-4 B.C.)**
- **Jesus in the Temple**

II. John's ministry of "baptism"

(3:1-20)

III. Jesus' Ministry (beginning)

(3:21 – 4:44)

- **Jesus' baptism
(28/29 A.D.)**
- **His genealogy**
- **Tempted**
- **Return to Galilee**
 - **Rejected in Nazareth/
Established in Capernaum**
 - **Healing ministry**
 - **Calling disciples**

IV. Jesus' identity amid conflict

(5:12 – 6:49)

- **The leper**
- **The paralytic**
- **Calling Levi**
- **Fasting**
- **Lord of Sabbath**
- **Calling twelve**
- **Sermon on the plain**

Passage Outline:

Vs. 27-36

However, Jesus said

- **Love enemies**
 - **treat well haters**
 - **bless cursers**
 - **pray for slanderers**
 - **turn the cheek**
 - **give garment and tunic**
 - **do unto others**
 - **if you love ... what benefit?**
 - **if you treat well ... what benefit?**
 - **if you loan ... what benefit?**
- **But love**
 - **your reward will be great in Heaven**
 - **you will be like the Most High/ Father**

Vs. 37-38

- **Do not judge/ condemn**
- **release/ give/ measure**

Vs. 39-42

He spoke parable(s)

- **blind leading blind**
- **disciple and teacher**
- **why do you see ... not see?**

Key words/ thoughts: **enemy** (ἐχθρός); **curse** (ἐπιηρεάζω); **garment** (ἱμάτιον); **tunic/ undergarment** (χιτῶν);
what (ποῖος); **kind** (χρηστός); **love** (ἀγαπάω);
enemy (ἐχθρός); **measure** (μέτρον); **pit** (βόθυνος)
speck (κάρφος); **beam/ log** (δοκός)

Questions: Have you ever been hated? If so, how do you understand Jesus' words? If not, how do you understand His words?

From this passage, are you encouraged or discouraged? Why?