

He Is Our Righteousness

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Luke 10:30–35

Read Luke 10:30-35.

1. Try to imagine yourself in the lawyer's place. How would you expect the story to answer your question? (Because we know the parable so well, we usually don't take the time to ask about what the *lawyer* would have been expecting and how *he* might have heard it.)

2. What do you know about priests and Levites? How would you characterize them? How do you think Jesus' original hearers would have characterized them?	
	4. List the things that the Samaritan does for the wounded man. Why is the Samaritan so caring?
3. What do you know about Samaritans? How would you characterize them? How do you think Jesus' original hearers would have characterized them?	
	Looking Ahead
	Are you beginning to think differently about this parable? What questions do you have about what was covered in this session? What questions do you still have about this parable?

