

**...following his heart**

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**JESUS**

OUR GREAT EXAMPLE

“Live a life filled with love, **following the example of Christ**. He loved us and offered himself as a sacrifice for us, a pleasing aroma to God.”

*(Ephesians 5:2, NLT)*



**What Would Jesus Do**

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what **Jesus cared** about...

- **the CROWDS**



“When he saw the **crowds**, he had **compassion** on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd.”

*(Matthew 9:36, NIV)*

# How do I develop a heart like Jesus?

1) **Care** about  
what **Jesus cared** about...

- the crowds
- **the CHURCH**

“...Christ loved the **church** and gave himself up for her.”

*(Ephesians 5:25b, NIV)*

## How do I **develop a heart** like **Jesus**?

1) **Care** about  
what **Jesus cared** about...

2) **Be indifferent** about  
what **Jesus was indifferent to**

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2) **Be indifferent** about  
what **Jesus** was **indifferent to**

- **political power**
- **impressing others**
- **getting rich**

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- **bad religion**

Jesus to religious leaders: "...you crush people with **unbearable religious demands**, and you never lift a finger to ease the burden." *(Luke 11:46b, NIV)*



## How do I develop a heart like Jesus?

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what **Jesus** got **angry about**

- bad religion
- **mistreated children**

“The people brought children to Jesus, hoping he might touch them. The disciples shooed them off. But Jesus was **irate** and let them know it: “Don’t push these children away. Don’t ever get between them and me...”

*(Mark 10:13-14, TM)*

“Whoever causes one of these little ones who believe to stumble, it would be better for him if, with a heavy millstone hung around his neck, he had been cast into the sea.” *(Mark 9:42, NASB)*

## How do I develop a heart like Jesus?

3) **Get angry** about  
what **Jesus** got **angry about**

- bad religion
- mistreated children
- **injustice**

Jesus: “Woe to you Pharisees,  
because... you neglect **justice** and the  
**love** of God.” *(Luke 11:46b, NIV)*

How do I **develop a heart** like **Jesus**?

4) **Sacrifice** for  
what **Jesus sacrificed for**

Jesus: “If you try to keep your life for yourself, you will lose it. But if you give up your life for my sake and for the sake of the Good News, you will find **true life.**” *(Mark 8:35, NLT)*

## Ever feel like this?

- I feel **dry and blah** spiritually
- I feel **spiritually underfed**
- I long for **greater depth**
- I feel like I'm **going through the motions**
- I want to be **closer to God**