

Part 3 - Polarization

It's easy to become opinionated and even to start thinking that being right is everything. Jesus doesn't let us get away with that. He pushes us to think about something that's even more powerful!

Scripture: Luke 10:25-37

Discussion Questions

- 1. People's differing opinions on many important issues can often be polarizing. What kinds of issues do you notice this to be true? Are there issues that you are particularly opinionated about? Why does that issue matter so much to you?
- 2. Read Luke 10:25-37. How does this story reorient our religious priorities? Why do you think Jesus used a Samaritan to contrast the priest and Levite? Does that challenge the way you think about categorizing people? What does it say about how God wants us to express our love for him and others?
- 3. Jesus challenges us to go beyond religious rituals and pushes us to act out our beliefs in compassion. How can you apply this to your regular routine?