

# The Good Samaritan



Read Luke 10 v 25-37

This parable was told to a person who thought he was righteous. Jesus showed him that salvation is not a matter of being clever or keeping rules.

**The traveller:** 1) What happened to him on this lonely road? .....

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2) What did he need most after the attack? .....

**The priest:** 3) What did he do for the man? .....

4) As a religious leader, what was his opinion of himself, do you think?

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**The Levite:** 5) Did he do more than the priest? .....

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6) Was he any help to the man in his need? .....

**The Samaritan:** 7) What was the Jews' opinion of Samaritans? .....

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8) What did he have that the others did not have? (v33) .....

9) He helped the poor victim. Could he have done any more for the man? .....

10) Was it the sort of help the man needed? .....

11) Did it cost him anything? .....



## WHAT DO WE LEARN FROM THE PARABLE ... APART FROM HOW TO TREAT ONE ANOTHER?



1) **The traveller:** Life is a journey. Who does the traveller in the parable represent? .....

What have we been attacked by? .....

How does Romans 5 v 10 describe people before conversion? .....

2) **The religious people, including the Lawyer who asked the question:**

What was their big problem? .....

What does this parable show them about their supposed 'goodness'? .....

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Do you think of yourself as 'good'? Beware! The Bible says we are all sinners. Our 'goodness' is not acceptable to God. So He sent Someone else who was perfect to rescue us.

3) **The Samaritan:** Who does this man represent in the journey of our life? .....

How much did it cost Him to put us right with God? .....

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Have you ever come to Jesus to be put right? Thank Him if you have!

