

He Said What? - *Extreme Affection*

*“You have heard that it was said, ‘Love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ But I tell you, **love your enemies** and pray for those who persecute you, that you may be children of your Father in heaven.”*

Matthew 5:43-45

Neighbor vs. Enemy

Jesus said that E_____ is my neighbor.

Everyone

Enemies are T_____ we O_____.

Those, Oppose

Differing P_____ views

Political

Opposite R_____ beliefs

Religious

Hurtful former F_____.

Friends

Offensive F_____ members.

Family

Pain producers for your C_____.

Children

Failed Responses

P_____ that all is W_____.

Pretend, Well

A_____ them at A_____ costs.

Avoid, All

Seek R_____ and G_____ E_____.

Revenge, Get Even

He got us out of the mess we're in and restored us to where he always wanted us to be. And he did it by means of Jesus Christ.

Romans 3:24

Hating is an E_____ S_____ to live by.

Create C_____ of people you can C_____.

Jesus D_____ the C_____.

*“He causes his sun to rise on the **evil and the good**, and sends rain on the righteous and the unrighteous.”* **Matthew 5:45**

Winning Response

S_____ kind W_____.

Through personal G_____.

Through powerful P_____.

Do K_____ A_____.

Choose to F_____.

What Do I Do Now?

Realize the F_____ of H_____.

Pick a loving A_____ S_____.

Allow the L_____ of God to make you N_____.

Easy System

Categories, Control

Destroys, Categories

Speak, Words

Greeting

Prayer

Kind Actions

Forgive

Futility, Hate

Action Step

Love, New