



GUIDED BIBLE STUDY

The Love of Jesus

Speaker: Pastor Tony Orihuela

Highlighted Scripture

John 15:13–14 (KJV)

Greater love hath no man than this, that a man lay down his life for his friends.

Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you.

Hebrews 13:2 (KJV)

Be not forgetful to entertain strangers: for thereby some have entertained angels unawares.

Discussion Questions

- 1. Jesus said the greatest love is laying down one's life for friends. How does Tony broaden that idea beyond dramatic sacrifice to everyday acts of love?**
- 2. The message emphasizes that sharing the love of Christ doesn't always mean preaching—it can mean meeting a simple need. Why do we sometimes underestimate the power of small acts of kindness?**
- 3. Tony shared examples of engaging with homeless individuals through prayer and conversation. What fears or hesitations might prevent us from stepping into moments like these?**
- 4. Jesus calls us His friends if we obey Him. How does obedience connect to demonstrating Christlike love toward others?**

5. Who might God be placing in your path right now—not by accident, but by purpose—for you to reflect the love of Jesus?

Reflection Challenge

This week, intentionally look for opportunities to stand in the gap for someone else.

Ask yourself daily:

- **Am I willing to be interrupted for love?**
- **Am I listening for the Holy Spirit's prompting?**
- **How can I reflect Jesus through simple, sincere actions?**

Remember:

- ✨ **Love is action, not intention**
- ✨ **Small acts can carry eternal impact**
- ✨ **Jesus meets people through willing hearts**

Prayer

Lord Jesus,

Thank You for showing us the greatest love by laying down Your life for us.

Teach us how to reflect that love in simple, faithful ways each day.

Help us see people as You see them and respond with compassion and courage.

Lead us by Your Holy Spirit to stand in the gap when You call us to act.

May this year be marked by love in motion and hearts changed through Your grace.

In Your mighty name, Amen.

