

Deacon's Beacons

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But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil. Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful. Luke 6:35–36

Does God really want us to love our enemies? That sounds like a stretch. But God loves them so we really have no choice. We are called to follow in the footsteps of Christ who forgave His tormenters. People who hate or insult us are doing no real harm. So why should we decide to hold it against them? Remember that the Lord's Prayer tells us to forgive so that we can be forgiven.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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