

31 August 2025

Healthy love, healthy hate.

No one can be in slavery to two masters:

Either he will hate the one and love the other,
or he will be devoted to the one and despise the other.

You cannot be in slavery to both God and possessions.

Matthew 6:24

Healthy love and hate

In the Bible, love and hate have little to do with

Healthy love is to a higher place

John 3:16, For God so loved the world that He...

Love is:

Healthy hate is to a lower place

Proverbs 6:16-19, There are things the Lord hates...

Healthy love and hate in

Healthy love is serving with

1 Peter 4:10, As each of you has received...

Unhealthy love is serving with

Philippians 2:3-4, in humility consider...

Healthy love and hate in healthy

I need to from my old master

Acts 3:19-20, Repent... so that...

2 Peter 3:9, God wants everyone to...

I need to wisely my new master

Joshua 24:15, As for me...

2 Corinthians 5:21, so we could become...

I need to to my new Master

Proverbs 3:5-6, Trust in the Lord with...

My prayer priorities for this week

S 31 Moses & Sharon, Elizabeth, Ruth, Joseph

M 1 Lukas & Alina, Elyse. Hour of Power, 7pm

T 2 Stuart & Kaye

W 3 Clarence & Irene, Home group, 7:30pm

T 4 Lerida C

F 5 Robert & Dianne

S 6 Bunnings contacts

S 7 Lurline & Terry

Thought starters for personal reflection or group discussion

1. What do you think Jesus meant when He said no one can serve two masters.
2. It is relatively easy to own money. Explain how money can own a person.
3. Write a list of things, other than money, that can own a person.
4. How is it possible for a person who is owned by money etc, to convince themselves that they are the master?
5. Suggest some ways of helping a person who is owned, to see who or what is really in charge of their life.
6. We are slaves of Christ (Ephesians 6:6, Colossians 3:24, 1 Peter 2:16). Being a slave to possessions is a bad thing. So, why is being a slave of Christ a good thing?
7. How does someone move to becoming a slave of Christ, or of making Christ their Master? Why is that a smart thing to do?

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