

Love: The Fruit of Forgiveness

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Text: Luke 7:36-50

Introduction:

The forgiveness we extend to others often has a profound effect upon them..

In this narrative, Simon and Jesus exemplified contrasting approaches to human relationships.

Simon's priority was to _____ God, while Jesus' priority was to _____ the woman.

Simon's approach was based in:

_____.

_____.

A _____ vision.

Jesus' approach was based in:

_____.

_____.

A _____ vision.

Simon saw:

The woman's _____, but not her _____.

The woman's _____, but not her _____.

The woman's _____, but not her _____.

The woman's _____, but not her _____.

Jesus' _____, but not His _____.

Jesus' _____, but not His _____.

Jesus as a _____, but not as a _____.

Jesus as a _____, but not as God's own _____.

We cannot always wait for people to _____

before we _____ them, because

_____ is often the catalyst that brings

about the _____!

Conclusion:

The greatest challenge of forgiveness is when God asks us to forgive before repentance has taken place!
