



Biblical Hospitality Seminar Session 2

1. If we compare the Bible to Church History, we see that the LORD is a Welcoming God. But we struggle to be _____.
2. We are called to be Christ's ambassadors (2 Corinthians 5:20). Missiologist Lesslie Newbigin writes that Christian churches should be _____ of God's kingdom. What is the big challenge?
3. How should we live as sons of Abraham and daughters of Sarah?
4. What is the First Distortion of Biblical Hospitality? While Cultural Hospitality can serve the needs and the reputation of the _____, Biblical Hospitality will serve the _____.
5. How does Biblical Hospitality respond to God's sovereignty above this world's political or social upheavals? For your further thought: Who might be some "modern Samaritans"?
6. How did the Jewish lawyer try to justify himself with Jesus? Jesus' Parable of the "Good Samaritan" teaches that you cannot _____ a Neighbor, you can only _____ a good neighbor.
7. Who has the most compassion for outsiders? How does the gospel motivate our hearts to love aliens, foreigners, and newcomers?
8. What is a Second Distortion of Biblical Hospitality?
9. List some examples of Church Failings and Christian Faithfulness in the practice of Christian hospitality?
10. What are some losses to local church life when the practice of Christian Hospitality is handed over to the "Hospitality business"?