

**The Road
to Jericho**

RED — Background Question

Q. The story of the Good Samaritan is considered what kind of special story:

- A. Fairy Tale
- B. Fable
- C. History
- D. Parable**

RED— Background Question

Q. Did the story of the Good Samaritan really happen?

- A. Yes, exactly as it is written.
- B. Yes, but probably changed before it was written down.
- C. No, it is a parable or story told by Jesus.**
- D. No one knows.

RED — Background Question

Q. What is the purpose of a parable?

- A. To tell people how to live their lives.
- B. To tell information in a way that people would remember it.
- C. To tell a story that went against people's expectations.
- D. All of the above.**

RED — Background Question

Q. Which of the following is NOT another parable of Jesus?

- A. The Prodigal Son.
- B. Water turned into Wine.**
- C. The Mustard Seed.
- D. The Persistent Widow.

RED — Background Question

T/F: It would have gone against Jewish law for the priest or the Levite to touch a bleeding or dead man.

False. They would have had to go through a cleaning ritual after touching the man, but the law always encouraged helping people in emergencies.

RED — Background Question

Q. The purpose of the parable of the Good Samaritan is what?

- A. To encourage us to help others.
- B. To encourage us to accept help from others.
- C. To get over our prejudices.
- D. All of the above.**

RED — Background Question

Q. Which best describes an inn in Jesus' day?

- A. Luxury hotel (Ritz Carlton)
- B. Inexpensive motel. (Motel-6)
- C. Slimy, gross, disgusting place.**
- D. Room in a private home

RED — Background Question

Q. What was the purpose of pouring oil and wine on the man?

- A. He was anointing him for burial.
- B. It foreshadows Jesus' death.
- C. It was the closest thing to Neosporin.**
- D. To clean him before he touched him.

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. The story of the Good Samaritan appears in which gospel or gospels?
A. Matthew only
B. Luke only.
C. Matthew and Luke
D. Matthew, Mark, and Luke

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. The parable of the Good Samaritan is found in which chapter of Luke?
A. 2
B. 10
C. 12
D. 20

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. Both the commandment “Love your neighbor as yourself” and most of the rules regarding touching “unclean” people come from which book of the Bible?
A. Genesis **C. Leviticus**
B. Moses D. Jonah

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. Which of the following stories does NOT appear in Luke 10?
A. Parable of the Prodigal Son
B. Parable of the Good Samaritan
C. Jesus sends out 70 followers to preach and heal.
D. Martha serves and Mary listens.

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. Fill in the blanks: Love the Lord your God with all your ____.
A. heart, soul, strength, and mind.
B. heart and soul.
C. study, treasure, and prayer.
D. being.

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. Fill in the blank. Love your ____ as yourself.
A. Enemy
B. Friend
C. Mother and Father
D. Neighbor

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. Who spoke the verse in Luke 10:27?
A. Simon Peter
B. Jesus
C. God, in a voice from heaven
D. The lawyer, answering Jesus’ questions.

ORANGE — Bible/Memory Verse
Q. Repeat the memory verse from Luke 10:27
He answered, “You shall love the Lord your God with all your hear, and with all your soul, and with all your strength and with all your mind, and your neighbor as yourself.

YELLOW— Story details

Q. Based upon the story, what do we know the robbers took from the man?

- A. His money
- B. His clothes**
- C. His donkey
- D. His food

YELLOW— Story details

Q. Why did the Samaritan help the man?

- A. He felt sorry for him.**
- B. He expected a reward.
- C. Someone had helped him when he had been in that situation.
- D. The thought the man was someone he knew.

YELLOW— Story details

Q. How much does the Samaritan give the innkeeper?

- A. Nothing. He said he'd pay when he came back.
- B. Two days wages. (2 denarii)**
- C. A year's wages.
- D. 15 year's wages (a talent)

YELLOW— Story details

Q. How would Jesus describe *neighbor*.

- A. A person living near you.
- B. Any person in your home town.
- C. All people with the same background as you.
- D. All people everywhere no matter what their background.**

YELLOW— Story details

Q. What did the priest and Levite do when they saw the man?

- A. Looked at him closely, then moved on.
- B. Glanced at him and crossed to the other side.**
- C. Never noticed him.
- D. Called an ambulance

YELLOW— Story details

Q. What question did the lawyer ask Jesus that started Jesus on this story?

- A. What must I do to inherit eternal life?
- B. Why do Jews hate Samaritans?
- C. What does it mean to love God?
- D. Who is my neighbor?**

YELLOW— Story details

Q. Which of the following did the Samaritan NOT do:

- A. bandaged the man.
- B. poured on oil and wine
- C. gave him something to drink.**
- D. carried him on his donkey.

YELLOW— Story details

Q. What happened to the man who was helped by the Samaritan?

- A. He got better, and thanked the Samaritan.
- B. He got better, but never thanked the Samaritan.
- C. He died before the Samaritan returned.
- D. The story doesn't say.**

GREEN— People

Q. A person would be considered a Samaritan based upon what?

- A. **Their religion**
- B. Their race
- C. Their job
- D. Where they lived.

Who lived where had become much more fluid under Roman rule. Jews and Samaritans lived in both territories, it was religion that separated them.

GREEN— People

Q. Which is true of Jewish and Samaritan religions.

- A. They had nothing in common.
- B. They were almost identical.
- C. ***They had common ancestors, like Jacob, but had taken different paths.***
- D. We know nothing about the Samaritan religion

GREEN— People

Q. The person who showed mercy on the man beat and left for dead was:

- A. A religious leader
- B. **A Samaritan**
- C. A member of the military.
- D. Both B and C.

GREEN— People

Q. How many robbers beat up the man?

- A. Two
- B. Four
- C. Ten
- D. **We don't know.**

GREEN— People

Q. Who was the first person to see the man who was beaten up.

- A. A Pharisee
- B. **A Priest**
- C. A Levite
- D. A Samaritan

GREEN— People

Q. What modern profession is closest to a Levite?

- A. A pastor
 - B. A lawyer
 - C. **A college professor**
 - D. A combination of all of the above.
- Levites were basically researchers of the law. They didn't practice law the way modern lawyers do.

GREEN— People

Q. Who beat up the Samaritan?

- A. A priest.
 - B. A Levite.
 - C. robbers.
 - D. **No one.**
- (trick question. The man traveling was the one beat up!)*

GREEN— People

Q. Who asked the question that started Jesus telling this parable?

- A. Simon Peter
- B. Doubting Thomas
- C. A Pharisee
- D. **A lawyer**

BLUE — Places

Q. How far was it from Jerusalem to Jericho?

- A. 5 miles
- B. 15 miles**
- C. 50 miles
- D. 150 miles

BLUE — Places

Q. Which city is closer to the border with Samaria?

- A. Jerusalem
- B. Jericho
- C. They are both about the same.**
- D. No one knows because Jericho is not a real place.

BLUE — Places

Q. What other event happened in Jericho?

- A. Joshua's army brought down the walls.**
- B. Jesus was born there.
- C. Jesus died there.
- D. Paul went on a missionary trip there.

BLUE — Places

Q. Which of the following is NOT true of the road between Jerusalem and Jericho.

- A. It was mountainous.
- B. It was heavily traveled.
- C. There were many sentries (guards)
- D. It was too narrow for caravans.**

BLUE — Places

Q. Jericho is on what body of water?

- A. The Sea of Galilee
- B. The Dead Sea (or Salt Sea)**
- C. The Mediterranean Sea
- D. The Black Sea

BLUE — Places

Q. Where did the Samaritan take the man beaten by robbers?

- A. To the Samaritan's home
- B. To the man's home.
- C. To an inn.**
- D. The story doesn't say.

BLUE — Places

Q. Who frequently used the road between Jerusalem and Jericho.

- A. Military.
- B. Traders and Merchants.
- C. Religious pilgrims
- D. All of the above.**

BLUE — Places

Q. If you go from Jerusalem to Jericho, what direction are you going?

- A. North
- B. East
- C. Northeast**
- D. Northwest

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?
A complete stranger comes up, crying because he lost his puppy. He asks you to go help him look for it. What do you do?
[Children should never go anywhere with strangers. Tell a trusted adult who can then help the stranger.]

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

As your parents are rushing you to a soccer game, you notice Mr. McGuire at the side of the road with a flat tire. It's an important game and you don't want to be late. What do you do?

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

You are rushing to get to class and a kid knocks another girl's books and papers all over the hallway. She is struggling to pick them up. If you stop and help her, you will be late to class. What do you do?

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

You and your friends are telling jokes. One of your friends starts telling jokes that are racist. What do you do?

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

Bart the bully, who took your milk money yesterday, is having trouble understanding math problems. You are a whiz at math. What do you do?

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

You are at the amusement park and your dad just bought you and your little sister really cool helium filled balloons. Your sister accidentally lets hers go and is crying. What do you do?

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

Your church youth group is collecting money for a mission project in Zaire. A woman tells you that she thinks we need to help people in the United States first. What do you do?

PURPLE — Are You My Neighbor?

Several popular kids from your class are picking on Peter, a kind of nerdy boy, who keeps to himself. You know that if you stand up for Peter, they will turn and start picking on you. What do you do?