

Christian Virtues
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Luke 22:24-27 (NIV)

⁽²⁴⁾ Also a dispute arose among them as to which of them was considered to be greatest.

⁽²⁵⁾ Jesus said to them, "The kings of the Gentiles lord it over them; and those who exercise authority over them call themselves Benefactors.

⁽²⁶⁾ But you are not to be like that. Instead, the greatest among you should be like the youngest, and the one who rules like the one who serves.

⁽²⁷⁾ For who is greater, the one who is at the table or the one who serves? Is it not the one who is at the table? But I am among you as one who serves.

John 13:34-35 (NIV)

⁽³⁴⁾ "A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.

⁽³⁵⁾ By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another."

John 15:9-12 (NIV)

⁽⁹⁾ "As the Father has loved me, so have I loved you. Now remain in my love.

⁽¹⁰⁾ If you obey my commands, you will remain in my love, just as I have obeyed

my Father's commands and remain in his love.

⁽¹¹⁾ I have told you this so that my joy may be in you and that your joy may be complete.

⁽¹²⁾ My command is this: Love each other as I have loved you.

1 Thessalonians 4:9 (NIV)

⁽⁹⁾ Now about brotherly love we do not need to write to you, for you yourselves have been taught by God to love each other.

Colossians 3:12-14 (NIV)

⁽¹²⁾ Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy and dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience.

⁽¹³⁾ Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you.

⁽¹⁴⁾ And over all these virtues put on love, which binds them all together in perfect unity.