

# Display the Gospel

In the first column on the next page, write some biblical commands God gives his people in the Bible (in other words, who are God's people called to be, and how does God command us to display the gospel?). In the second column, explain how each command reflects who God is and what he does. In the third, explain how God clearly modeled the command in the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus. Then in the final column, write some of the results in the Bible as God's people both did and didn't fulfill those commands. We give you one example.



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<b>GOD'S COMMAND IN THE BIBLE</b> <small>(Who are God's people called to be and how are they/we to live?)</small>	<b>HOW DOES IT REFLECT WHO GOD IS AND WHAT GOD DOES?</b>	<b>HOW DOES THE GOSPEL CLEARLY MODEL/FULFILL THIS COMMAND?</b>	<b>BIBLICAL RESULTS OF GOD'S PEOPLE OBEYING/ DISOBEYING GOD'S COMMAND</b>
<i>Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you</i>	<i>God is a Father; he created all humankind in his image; "God is love"; he is the chief "forgiver"; he pursues people even while they reject him</i>	<i>Jesus prayed for Jerusalem, and asked God to forgive those who were killing him. He died for the sins of all people—even those who opposed him; his sacrificial death was the greatest act of love in history</i>	<i>obeying: reconciliation, forgiveness, unity, blessing (like Jesus with Peter; Joseph with his brothers), salvation!; disobeying: division, strife, bitterness, and division ("hardened hearts"); we're only forgiven as we forgive</i>