

# Kingdom Impact Memorization System

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## WEEK 13 PLAN

**Topic:** Learning Jesus **Subtopic:** Love God, Neighbours, Enemies

**Verses:** Mark 12:30-31 and Matthew 5:43-46

## Your Plan This Week

- Use Monday to read **Mark 12:30-31** and **Matthew 5:43-46** in their context. Reflect on their meaning and how to live them out in your life, church, and community. Notice that both of these passages are directed towards groups and their collective actions, not just individuals.
- Use Tuesday and Wednesday to memorize **Mark 12:30-31** and use Thursday and Friday to memorize **Matthew 5:43-46**. Use the weekend to practice both passages and reflect on them.
- Take 15 to 20 minutes each day to review the verses you've already memorized.
- Talk with someone else who is working through the KIMS about these verses and their meaning for our life together.

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## **Mark 12:30-31 NRSV**

**30 you shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and with all your strength.’ 31 The second is this, ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’ There is no other commandment greater than these.”**

## **Matthew 5:43-46 NRSV**

**43 “You have heard that it was said, ‘You shall love your neighbor and hate your enemy.’ 44 But I say to you, Love your enemies and pray for those who persecute you, 45 so that you may be children of your Father in heaven; for he makes his sun rise on the evil and on the good, and sends rain on the righteous and on the unrighteous. 46 For if you love those who love you, what reward do you have? Do not even the tax collectors do the same?”**

## **Suggested Prayer for Week 13**

Lord Jesus, help us love God with all our heart and soul and mind and strength. Help us love our neighbour as ourselves. We let go of unforgiveness, envy, animosity, prejudice, racism, and pride. Enable us to show your embrace and love and welcome. Move us to include and embrace those who are different from us; those of a different faith, ethnicity, gender, political persuasion, race, and more. May your Spirit enable us to love our enemies and pray for those who persecute us, that we may truly live as children of our Father in heaven. You call us to love and bless and pray for our enemies; give us the strength and wisdom to do just that. Amen.