

Discipleship Discussion Series—Strangers (2)

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This is a compilation of some of the Scriptures about strangers, with a brief summary.

Please check the Scriptures to be sure of accuracy.

B is the number of the Book as it is listed in the Bible.

L stands for Layer; L 1 is the summary; L 2 is commentary.

#	B	Book	C	V	V	L	Topic	Concept, Command or Perspective
1	2	Exodus	12	49		1	Equal	The same law is to apply to the native as to the stranger who resides among us.
2	2	Exodus	12	49		2	Equal	COMMENT: According to this passage, everyone is to be held to the same standard or law; this means that anyone coming into our country is to obey the same laws regarding immigration. Of note, the law in our country does grant rights to citizens that are not granted to immigrants.
3	2	Exodus	22	21		1	Torment	We are not to oppress or torment a stranger.
4	2	Exodus	23	9		1	Oppress	We are not to oppress a stranger.
5	3	Leviticus	19	33		1	Treatment	We are to do no wrong to a stranger.
6	3	Leviticus	19	34		1	Equal	A stranger is to be as a native among us.
7	3	Leviticus	19	34		1	Love	We are to love the stranger as ourselves.
8	3	Leviticus	24	22		1	Equal	The Lord told Moses that there is to be only one standard for the stranger as well as the native.
9	3	Leviticus	24	22		2	Equal	COMMENT: According to this passage, everyone is to be held to the same standard or law; this means that anyone coming into our country is to obey the same laws regarding immigration. Of note, the law in our country does grant rights to citizens that are not granted to immigrants.
10	5	Deuteronomy				1	Love	We are to love strangers.
11	24	Jeremiah	22	3		1	Treatment	We are not to mistreat or do violence to the stranger.
12	24	Jeremiah	22	3		1	Violence	We are not to mistreat or do violence to the stranger.
13	39	Malachi	3	5		1	Justice	God will be swift in His judgment against those who turn away the stranger from justice.
14	39	Malachi	3	5		2	Justice	COMMENT: It seems that we must give the same justice to the immigrants, including those who are coming into our country legally; it is not just to expect some immigrants to go through the legal process while we allow others to bypass these laws.
15	40	Matthew	25	34	40	1	Christ	Jesus said we are to treat strangers as if they are Him.
16	58	Hebrews	13	2		1	Hospitality	We are to show hospitality to strangers.
17	58	Hebrews	13	2		1	Angels	At times strangers may be angels.

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1 8	59	James	2	1	13	1	Equal	We are to treat all, rich and poor, equally.