



The Next Generation
Matthew 19:13-15
August 10, 2025
Questions for Study and Group Discussion

***Before you begin, please read Matthew 19:13-15 as a group.*

1. What are some common views of children in our culture today?
2. What was the view of children in Jesus' time and culture?
3. Read Matthew 19:13-15. What perspective of children did Jesus teach to His disciples in Matthew 19:13-15?
4. Why do you think He taught His disciples this different perspective?
5. How does this perspective align with the overall biblical theme "all people matter to God"?
6. As a people, where are we at in seeing children as Jesus disciples - do we see children as He sees them? In what ways do we? In what ways is there a gap?
7. Who in our group has been personally impacted by Jesus' heart for children, directly as a child yourself, or indirectly through being part of sharing Jesus' love with children? Talk about your experiences.
8. What are ways you can grow into sharing Jesus' vision of children? Is there an action step you have taken since Sunday's message, or will take now after considering Jesus' teaching on children more deeply?