

THE 5/20 PROJECT

For God so Loved He Gave...



Kingdom Principles 115

Understanding Responsibility

This quote from [Søren Kierkegaard](#) fits powerfully into The 5/20 Project because it exposes the very tension of that the teaching addresses:

We don't struggle with understanding.
We struggle with obedience.

Kierkegaard said:

"The Bible is very easy to understand. But we Christians are a bunch of scheming swindlers. We pretend to be unable to understand it because we know very well that the minute we understand, we are obliged to act accordingly."

The Bible Is Clear

- Love your neighbor.
- Give to the poor.
- Forgive.
- Bless.
- Do not judge.
- Freely you have received, freely give.

There is nothing confusing about:

"Give, and it will be given to you." (Luke 6:38)

The challenge is not interpretation.
The challenge is participation.

The \$20 Removes the Escape Hatch

The 5/20 Project eliminates spiritual vagueness.

When you place the \$20 in your pocket and pray:

"Lord, highlight the soul."

You are no longer asking if you should love.
You are asking who to love.

Now understanding becomes accountability.

You already know:

- Jesus sees them.
- Jesus loves them.
- Compassion must move.

And the moment the Spirit highlights someone, the decision becomes immediate.

From Knowledge to Incarnation

Kierkegaard confronted intellectual Christianity.

The 5/20 Project confronts passive Christianity.

We do not need:

- Another sermon
- Another interpretation
- Another Greek word study

We need activation.

The 5/20 Project is obedience made simple:

- Prepared heart
- Prepared bill
- Spirit-led moment
- Simple message

“Jesus sees you. Jesus loves you.”

No theology debate.

No pressure.

No guilt.

No shame.

Just embodied scripture.

The Beautiful Tension

Here's the redemptive reframing:

Kierkegaard's statement sounds harsh —
but it's actually an invitation.

Understanding is not condemnation.

Understanding is empowerment.

When we understand love,
we are invited to become love.

The 5/20 Project restores obedience
without fear, guilt, or religious pressure.

Not:

“You better do this.”

But:

“You get to participate.”

Conclusion

The Bible is not hard to understand.

Love is not complicated.

Compassion is not mysterious.

What's rare is availability.

The 5/20 Project simply asks:

Will you make yourself available?

For more information on how you can be involved

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