

SERMON OUTLINE FOR JULY 14, 2013

"A Walk Down Jericho Road"

Luke 10:25-37

INTRODUCTION: "I'd probably throw up!"

I. SELF-JUSTIFICATION ATTEMPTED

- A. The expert in the Law tried to justify himself (vv. 25-29)
- B. You and I try to do the same thing

II. SELF-JUSTIFICATION DESTROYED

- A. A Priest, a Levite, and again: you and I (vv. 30-32)
- B. The Samaritan's deeds on the infamous Jericho Road (vv. 33-35)
- C. Who really is "the wounded"? (vv. 36-37)

III. JESUS THE JUSTIFIER

- A. He walked our *Jericho Road* (Romans 4:25; 2 Corinthians 5:19-21; 1 John 2:2)
- B. Shall we do any less?
- C. We need not look too far for people on *Jericho Roads* today . . .

CONCLUSION:

Massachusetts' Law 1928: I am not my brother's keeper