

Who is YOUR King?!?  
*The Beauty of Compassionate Kindness*  
Matthew 23:4

**Two contrasting portraits:**

[vv. 4, 37; cf. 11:30; 27:29; Ac. 15:10; 20:29; Gal. 6:1]

1. Negative

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*bind heavy burdens hard to bear  
lay them on men's shoulders*

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*unwilling to move*

2. Positive

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*O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, the one who kills . . .*

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*How often I wanted to gather your children . . .*

**Developing the organs of compassionate kindness:**

[cf. 14:14; 20:32ff.; Ex. 23:5; Ph. 2:4; 1 Jn. 3:17]

1. Eyes . . .
2. Ears . . .
3. Hearts . . .
4. Hands . . .

**Our Response:**