

“Like Father, Like Son”

Text - John 8:37-44

Topic – “Who’s Your Daddy?”

Series – Reflections on Compassion and Grace

I. The Jews were Abraham’s physical “_____”; however, they were not his spiritual _____ . (John 8:37-40)

A. Jesus’ _____ (John 8:37)

1. The _____ of His enemies (8:37b)

2. The _____ of His enemies (8:38a)

B. The Jews’ _____ - “Abraham is our father” (8:39)

C. Jesus’ _____ (8:39b)

1. Their failure to “_____ the works of Abraham” proved they were not his _____ children. (8:39b)

2. The Jews were _____ to Abraham in two critical areas. (8:40)

II. Jesus asserted, “Like Father, Like Son” (John 8:41-43)

A. The “_____” of the Jews revealed their _____ likeness. (8:41-43)

B. The twofold objection of the Jews (8:41b)

1. “...We be not born of _____.” (8:41b)

2. “...we have one _____, *even* God.” (8:41b)

C. The Jews were spiritually _____ children because they did not love the LORD. (8:42)

III. Jesus identified the _____ character and likeness of all sinners. (John 8:44-45)

A. Sinners reflect the _____ DNA of the devil. (8:44)

B. Sinners reflect the devil’s _____ and _____. (8:44b)

C. Aspects in which the Jews were children of the devil. (8:44c)

1. _____ in spirit (8:44c)

2. Enemies of _____ (8:44d)

3. _____ and _____

Who’s your father?

Whose spirit and deeds do you reflect in your life and character?