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Concerning my takeaway points about this course. As I reflect upon the teachings, I recall in the lecture that in this day and age, pastors should be taking burdens off of people, not placing burdens on the people, especially those who use a "Jim Bakker" style of persuasion for asking congregations for money. Dr. Zadai said that God requires us to help take burdens off the people because God takes burdens off people, so we (the body of Christ) should be doing likewise, according to our ability spoken about in Galatians chapter six.

The instructor also said that we are supposed to walk in love. I believe this statement to be true. The late "John Paul Jackson" once said, (if I may paraphrase) that the prophets in ministry have a tendency to be a little edgy and different, but although prophets have strange personalities, they are supposed to walk in love. Basically, prophets should lead in love, not allow their gifts to drive them to abuse others in the body of Christ.

Dr. Kevin Zadai also said that God wants to use us as a trophy to display His glory, therefore we can't get jealous and judge other people, because God is going to take care of us too, just as much as he takes care of others. Because it's our responsibility to come together and build one another up. Therefore we need not inflate our own importance, and we should not shame others, and tear other people down in an effort to build ourselves up. This will take maturity and will not take place overnight.

These are all good points, I just hate how ministers make it sound so easy when it really isn't, and although these topics make great theological sermons. The reality is, that I used to live and work around crazy people that should have been locked up in mental institutions for the rest of their lives. People who were looking for opportunities to set stumbling blocks of offense before me, hoping that I would fall. Waring against me with their sick twisted attrition, and if Jesus didn't save me from their snares and uproot them out of my life, I'd be either dead or in prison for murder. To Jesus be the glory!