

Christ-Like Men

“Till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, ***unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ.***”
Ephesians 4:13

“For even hereunto were ye called: because Christ also suffered for us, ***leaving us an example, that ye should follow his steps.***”
I Peter 2:21

“For ***I have given you an example,*** that ***ye should do as I have done to you.***”
John 13:15

“Be ye followers of me, ***even as I also am of Christ.***”
I Corinthians 11:1

“***Let this mind be in you,*** which was also in Christ Jesus.”
Philippians 2:5

“He that saith he abideth in him ***ought himself also so to walk, even as he walked.***”
I John 2:6

“Forasmuch then as Christ hath suffered for us in the flesh, ***arm yourselves likewise with the same mind:*** for he that hath suffered in the flesh hath ceased from sin.”
I Peter 4:1

“Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and ***glorify your Father which is in heaven.***”
Matthew 5:16

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Honoring Parents	He went down with them, and came to Nazareth, and was <i>subject unto them</i> (Luke 2:51). When Jesus therefore saw his mother, he saith, <i>Woman, behold thy son!</i> (John 19:26).
Compassionate	When the Lord saw her, <i>he had compassion on her</i> , and said, Weep not (Luke 7:13). Jesus saw a multitude, was <i>moved with compassion</i> , and he healed their sick (Matt 14:14). Jesus said, <i>I have compassion on the multitude</i> , they have nothing to eat (Matt 15:32). Shouldest not thou also have had <i>compassion, even as I had pity on thee</i> (Matt 18:33)?
Friendly	Greater love hath no man than this, that <i>a man lay down his life for his friends</i> (Jn 15:13). <i>I have called you friends;</i> for all things I have made known unto you (John 15:15).
Loving	<i>Jesus wept.</i> Then said the Jews, <i>Behold how he loved him</i> (John 11:35-36)! Having loved his own which were in the world, <i>he loved them unto the end</i> (John 13:1).
Loyal	Jesus answered, I have told you that I am he: <i>let these go their way</i> (John 18:8).
Forgiveness	She said, No man, Lord. And Jesus said unto her, <i>Neither do I condemn thee</i> (John 8:11). Then said Jesus, <i>Father, forgive them;</i> for they know not what they do (Luke 23:34). And when he had spoken this, <i>he saith unto him, Follow me</i> (John 21:19).
Prayer	He went out into a mountain to pray, and <i>continued all night in prayer to God</i> (Luke 6:12). <i>He prayed more earnestly:</i> and his sweat was as it were great drops of blood (Luke 22:44).
Submission	He prayed, let this cup pass: <i>nevertheless not as I will, but as thou wilt</i> (Matt 26:39). Though he were a Son, <i>yet learned he obedience by the things which he suffered</i> (He 5:8).
No place to devil	The prince of this world cometh, and <i>hath nothing in me</i> (John 14:30). Jesus answered and said unto him, <i>Get thee behind me, Satan</i> (Luke 4:8).

Obedient to God	My meat is to do the will of him that sent me, and <i>to finish his work</i> (John 4:34). The Father hath not left me alone; for <i>I do always those things that please him</i> (John 8:29).
Glorify God	<i>Father, glorify thy name.</i> I have both glorified it, and will glorify it again (John 12:28). Father, the hour is come; glorify thy Son, <i>that thy Son also may glorify thee</i> (John 17:1).
Baptism	Jesus said unto him, for thus <i>it becometh us to fulfil all righteousness</i> (Mat 3:15).
God's word	But he answered and said, <i>It is written</i> (Matt 4:4). Jesus said unto him, <i>It is written again</i> (Matt 4:7). Jesus unto him, Get thee hence, Satan: for <i>it is written</i> (Matt 4:10).
God's words	Jesus answered, Man shall not live by bread alone, but by <i>every word of God</i> (Luke 4:4). The word of God came, and <i>the scripture cannot be broken</i> (John 10:35). I <i>am</i> the God of Abraham, and the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob (Matt 22:32)? If David then call him <i>Lord</i> , how is he his son (Matt 22:45)? Whosoever therefore shall break <i>one of these least commandments</i> (Matt 5:19).
Gracious	And all bare him witness, and <i>wondered at the gracious words</i> (Luke 4:22).
Civil Authority	<i>Render therefore unto Caesar</i> the things which are Caesar's (Matt 22:21).
Offence	Notwithstanding, <i>lest we should offend them</i> , go thou to the sea (Matt 17:27).
Children	He was much displeased, and said, <i>Suffer the little children to come unto me</i> (Mk 10:14).
Truth	God is a Spirit: they that worship him <i>must worship him in spirit and in truth</i> (Jn 4:24). And ye shall know the truth, and <i>the truth shall make you free</i> (John 8:32).
Priorities	How is it ye sought me? wist ye not that I must be about <i>my Father's business</i> (Lu 2:49)? But <i>seek ye first the kingdom of God</i> , and his righteousness (Matt 6:33).
Zeal	For it was written, <i>The zeal of thine house</i> hath eaten me up (John 2:17).
Courage	When the time was come to die, <i>he stedfastly set his face</i> to go to Jerusalem (Luke 9:51).
House of God	Take these things hence; make not my Father's house <i>an house of merchandise</i> (Jn 2:16).
Humility	After that he poureth water into a bason, and began to <i>wash the disciples' feet</i> (John 13:5). <i>We are unprofitable servants:</i> we have done that which was our duty to do (Luke 17:10).
Service	Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, <i>but to minister</i> (Matt 20:28).
No threats	Who, when he suffered, <i>he threatened not</i> (I Pet 2:23).
No reviling	Who, when he was reviled, <i>reviled not again</i> (I Pet 2:23).
Trust in God	Who <i>committed himself to him</i> that judgeth righteously (I Pet 2:23).
Emotional	<i>Jesus wept</i> (John 11:35).
Prudent	Behold, <i>my servant shall deal prudently</i> (Isaiah 52:13).
Time conscious	<i>I must work while it is day:</i> the night cometh, when no man can work (John 9:4).
Sense of scripture	<i>Ye have heard</i> that it was said by them of old time, <i>But I say unto you</i> (Matt 5:21-22). <i>But if ye had known what this meaneth,</i> I will have mercy, and not sacrifice (Matt 12:7).
Loved sinners	I say unto thee, <i>Her sins, which are many, are forgiven;</i> for she loved much (Luke 7:47). <i>Then drew near unto him all the publicans and sinners</i> for to hear him (Luke 15:1). Zacchaeus, make haste, and come down; for <i>to day I must abide at thy house</i> (Luke 19:5). For the Son of man is come to seek and to save <i>that which was lost</i> (Luke 19:10).
Hated the Self-Righteous	<i>I came not to call the righteous,</i> but sinners to repentance (Luke 5:32). He spake this parable <i>to those trusting they were righteous, and despised others</i> (Lu 18:9). <i>Ye are they which justify yourselves before men;</i> but are abominable to God (Luke 16:15).
Scorned scorners	<i>Give not that which is holy unto the dogs,</i> neither cast pearls before swine (Matt 7:6). <i>Let them alone: they be blind leaders of the blind;</i> both shall fall into the ditch (Mt 15:14).
Godly friends Blood brothers	Yea rather, <i>blessed are they that hear the word of God, and keep it</i> (Luke 11:28). My mother and my brethren are these <i>which hear the word of God, and do it</i> (Luke 8:21). <i>He that hath my commandments, and keepeth them,</i> he it is that loveth me: and he that loveth me shall be loved of my Father, and I will love him (John 14:21).
Conditional love	But <i>Jesus did not commit himself unto them</i> , because he knew all men (John 2:24). <i>Having loved his own</i> which were in the world, he loved them unto the end (John 13:1). Ye are my friends, <i>if ye do whatsoever I command you</i> (John 15:14).

Conclusion:

- 1. Most who have WWJD bracelets or other trinkets do not even know what He would do.
 2. Rather than be Pharisees with phylacteries, let us actually do what He did (Matt 23:5)!
 3. See <http://www.letgodbetru.com/bible/heresies/wwjd.pdf>.
 4. Let us help one another by reminding and exhorting one another to Christ-like conduct.