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CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE



Order of Worship May 25, 2025 Sixth Sunday of Easter

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome
Worship in Song
Call to Worship
Worship in Song
Prayer

We Listen to the Word

Sermon Series: Tough Love Sermon: "Guardrails"

We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration
The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song
Prayer

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

Words to music, responsive readings and The Lord's Prayer will be on the screen







For a complete list of ongoing ministries and upcoming events, please visit tablelifechurch.org.

Doggy Bag-

Some questions to chew on:



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- 1. What stood out to you most from this message? What was an a-ha moment?
- 2. Why are guardrails/boundaries important in relationships? Why do Christians often falsely believe that to love someone means giving ourselves away at any cost? How is that a distortion of what Jesus teaches?
- 3. Of your regrets or broken relationships, which would have benefitted or perhaps ended differently had you established guardrails/boundaries?
- 4. Have you ever ignored a guardrail that God had given? Why? What happened as a result? What did you learn?
- 5. Of the four relational guardrails demonstrated by Jesus, which is most difficult for you? Which is currently needed in your life to protect and direct you in a relationship?
- 6. How do guardrails actually help us to remain in relationship with difficult people?
- 7. Do you have a relationship that could benefit from guardrails? What can you do to begin to establish guardrails? What obstacles will you have to overcome?



If you'd like to talk personally and confidentially w/Pastor Kris about your relationship with Christ, please email pastorkris@tablelifechurch.org or call 717-774-6444

Tough Love "Part IV. Guardrails" Pastor Kris Beckert

Have you ever met someone that later you wish you'd never met?

. The Importance of:			
Definition: a protective designed to keep vehicles from straying into dangerous or off limit areas.			
 Function: direct us and protect us. 			
Placement: in thezone			
Designed to minimize			
We also need them in our			
God gives us			
Unconditional love doesn't mean not having			
Old Testament: God gave Ten Commandments to Israel, practices to follow			

directions on how to talk to him

	New Testament: Jesus gave directions for how	#4: Setting and honoring our
III.	disciples should live, had boundaries himself Four Relational demonstrated by Jesus:	Matthew 6:33 But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.
	#1: Saying	
	Matthew 5:37 Let your word be 'Yes, Yes' or 'No, No'; anything more than this comes from the evil one.	
	#2: Recognizing and communicating	
	Luke 5:15-16 But now more than ever the word about Jesus spread abroad; many crowds were gathering to hear him and to be cured of their diseases. ¹⁶ Meanwhile, he would slip away to deserted places and pray.	
	#3: Directly naming our	
	Mark 10:51 "What do you want me to do for you?" Jesus asked him. The blind man said, "Rabbi, I want to see."	Big Idea: