

FAIR-FIELDER

Catch what was said in the sermon?



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The man by the window would **chatter** in great detail to his **mate** about things in the **park**.

In fact, it deepened into a **brooding**, dark **obsession**.

The window faced a **brick wall** (2).

And consider the **grace** and **compassion** of the man by the window.

Yet Peter's **vision** was authorizing a **disregard** of the whole **dietary** law of Judaism.

As Peter recounts this, the **Jewish** brothers in the Jesus **sect** are understandably **upset**.

Yet isn't God's **routine** tactic to use **others** to grow us further and **empower** us more fully?

This love like **Jesus** is able to **transcend** our doubts, fears, and anxieties.

He would do this by **hugging** and kissing the **lepers**.

To **love like** (2) Jesus is to **love** like no other.

Where love is, the **promise** of the Lord and the Kingdom of God is **wide open** (2) to let the Spirit enter.

The same opening to the **Gentiles** to enter into the power and **blessing** of the Lord becomes the opening for **us**.