## Life's Treacherous Road and God's Provision Luke 10:30-35

- 1. **Luke 10:30** "A certain man" ...a traveler: Who was he? A merchant, a visitor to see a loved one? Someone just passing thru?
  - A. "...from Jerusalem to Jericho". A distance of 20 miles and a drop in altitude of 4,000 ft.
  - B. "fell among thieves...stripped him...wounded him...leaving him half dead".
- 2. **Luke 10: 31** "there came ...a certain <u>Priest</u> that way" (surely the man of God will save him).
  - A. But... "He passed by on the other side" see Lev. 21:10-11
  - B. **Luke 10:32** "A Levite...came and looked on him...and passed by on the other side". He feared for his own life.
- 3. Luke 10:33 " A certain Samaritan... "came where he was".
  - A. The Samaritans... half Jew, half Gentile. see **Jn. 4:4, 6-9**. They were not esteemed among the Jews.
  - B. "When he (the Samaritan) saw him, he had compassion on him." See Matt. 20:29-34 Mk. 1:40-42 Lk. 7:12-15
    - 1. **Luke 10:34** "went to him"
    - 2. "bound up his wounds"
    - 3. "poured oil and wine" unto his wounds.
    - 4. "set him on his own beast"
    - 5. "brought him to an Inn."
    - 6. "...and took care of him."
  - C. Luke 10:35 The next day, when the Samaritan left
    - 1. He paid the bill.
    - 2. He gave instruction to the inn keeper to take care of him.
    - 3. Gave the inn keeper the money to take care of him.
    - 4. ...and said "Whatsoever you spend more, when I come again, I will repay you.
- 4. God will use us the church, to be good inn keepers, and wants us to take care of those He puts in our trust.