RIDICULOUS #6 "the ridiculous love of Jesus" John 15:12-17 / October 26, 2014

JESUS...

- ...CALLS US FRIENDS (vs. 14&15)
- ...CHOOSES US (v. 16, Colossians 3:12, I Thessalonians 1:4, I Peter 2:9)
- ...LAY DOWN HIS LIFE FOR US (v. 13, I John 5:11&12, John 10:10&11)

WE...

- ...LOVE HIM AS SAVIOR (I John 4:19)
- ...LOVE HIM AS LORD (v. 12, I John 5:3)
- ...LOVE ONE ANOTHER AS WE HAVE BEEN LOVED (v. 12&17, I John 3:16)

Decision Box

Today I learned...

As a result, I will...

Prayer for Eastview Christian Church

- Pray that Jesus' love will so capture us that we will lovingly share the good news of the living Jesus.
- Pray that our church would continue, after our Ridiculous study, to embrace the love of God so that we can more effectively extend it out as dangerous witnesses.
- Pray that God will continue to use this Ridiculous study to op up conversations for families to come together around the lc of Jesus in their homes and in their lives.

Baptism Testimonies

Matt Klotzbach (9:45)

I was baptized as a child and grew up in an evangelical Christian family, but I have only just begun truly wanting to pursue my relationship with God. He has called me to serve Him and I am blessed to answer His call. I am thankful to the community of strong believers at Eastview who have inspired me to make this decision, and look forward to serving alongside others as part of the Haiti mission trip this coming January.

Bethany Ann Vandegraft (5:00)

I have been through what seems a lifetime of craziness; I have been to many dark places. I have been expelled from schools, in jail and also struggled with depression. I used to ask myself "who me" all the time! I have 2 beautiful babies, Leighton and Librity. I want to become a better person and role model for them and properly serve my savior... I still have a lot to learn, but I am react for it. I put my hand on my chest at night and feel my heart beating... THAT is my purpose and I am ready to serve God!