

Life Group Homework
Learning to Love
October 3, 2021

Getting to Know You

1. What is your favorite Love Song?

Going Deeper

1. Read Mark 7:9-13 & John 13:34-35. What was the sin of the Pharisees? How could we sin in the same way with the command to love one another?

2. Read 1 Corinthians 13. List out what love is and what love is not. Write them out as they might look in the situation of marriage or intimate friendship.

What must we be willing to lose or die to in order to love this way?

3. Read Galatians 5:13-26. What is the gift of the Spirit? How does flesh living look like in marriage versus Spirit living?

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Matthew 22:34-40

God sees our love for Him and others as closely _____.

1 John 4:20-21

If someone says, "I love God," and hates his brother, he is a liar; for he who does not love his brother whom he has seen, how can he love God whom he has not seen? And this commandment we have from Him: that he who loves God must love his brother also.

Titus 2

Unconditional love seeks to _____ one another for their good.

Jude 24-25

Now to Him who is able to keep you from stumbling, and to present you faultless before the presence of His glory with exceeding joy,

Ephesians 5:25-27

Husbands, love your wives, just as Christ also loved the church and gave Himself for her, that He might sanctify and cleanse her with the washing of water by the word, that He might present her to Himself a glorious church, not having spot or wrinkle or any such thing, but that she should be holy and without blemish.

John 15:11-13

"These things I have spoken to you, that My joy may remain in you, and that your joy may be full. This is My commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends.

***“Biblical authority administered with biblical wisdom is _____,
ennobling, _____ and confident.”***

**Learning to _____ love our spouse pleases God for here we are
most like Him.**

John 13:1-4

Now before the Feast of the Passover, when Jesus knew that His hour had come that He should depart from this world to the Father, having loved His own who were in the world, He loved them to the end. And supper being ended, the devil having already put it into the heart of Judas Iscariot, Simon’s son, to betray Him, Jesus, knowing that the Father had given all things into His hands, and that He had come from God and was going to God, rose from supper and laid aside His garments, took a towel and girded Himself

Romans 5:8

But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

1 Corinthians 13:1-3

Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, but have not love, I have become sounding brass or a clanging cymbal. And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries and all knowledge, and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, but have not love, I am nothing. And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, but have not love, it profits me nothing.

***“When we seek to dominate or manipulate our spouse there are no
_____ lessons learned or character traits developed.”***

Hebrews 12:1-2

Therefore we also, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which so easily ensnares us, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus, the author and finisher of our faith, who for the joy that was set before Him endured the cross, despising the shame, and has sat down at the right hand of the throne of God.