Full Send Love of Jesus - High and Deep

Welcome: (15 minutes)

(Make sure to print out the last page of this curriculum for each participant. They will take this home and use it throughout the week. People can also receive these daily tools through the Full Send App, go to the Full Send website or by contacting us at www.fullsendmin@gmail.com)

Welcome to the series on the Love of Christ! (Take 5-7 minutes to listen as people share where they saw God this week!) There is nothing better than hearing what God is doing in the life of your group. Make sure to end the time of testimony with a praise to God. This week we are going to do hard work. Living a high and deep love of Jesus means we love from a different perspective and a larger cost than the word loves. This looks like extending forgiveness to those who hurt us and be willing to sacrifice for others. With that in mind I am wondering if you can picture a person who has hurt you or you would consider an enemy? What would it look like to show them love this week? Could you write an authentic and vulnerable letter of extending grace or asking for grace? Could you send them a gift of something you know they really enjoy? How can we love deeply and highly like Jesus this week?

Worship: (10 minutes)

The love of Christ is something that many of us have experienced. Today as we go into a time of worship I want you to answer a few questions as we listen to these songs.

- What do these songs say about the love of Jesus?
- What impact does the love of Jesus have on us?

O the Deep Deep Love of Jesus by Reawaken Hymns - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=y6PpX64YAGg

How Deep the Father's Love for Us by Selah - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SKDujmtyAVk

Word: (15)

Today Jeremy Van Genderen share with us about the high and deep love of Jesus Christ that is talked about in Ephesians 3. https://youtu.be/40SFJIRf9j0

- How is the love of God above the love of the world?
- What costs have you experienced in extending love to others?
- Where are there places that you could use this love this week?

This week we have a verse that helps us understand the impacts that the love of God should have on our relationship with others. Since we are talking about high and deep I suggest writing the verse out in lines of 3 words and start at the top of your whiteboard and go to the bottom. This will take about 13 lines to finish the verse in Luke 6:35 But love your enemies,

and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil.

Witness: (15 minutes)

Love is an action and true love is clearly seen when others are willing to extend grace and sacrifice for you. Let's take a moment to answer the following questions and remember times when people extended that love towards us. How do you know someone loves you? Who loves you the most? Who do you love the most? How do you experience that love? Do you think God loves you? Why or why not?

Take a moment to share Ephesians 2:4-5 with the group and ask them to share what they see the love of Christ doing and extending towards us.

It is because of the deep love of Jesus that we have been set free from our sins. He gave the ultimate sacrifice and He extended love to us while we were still His enemies. With this example in mind let us live out that love to everyone around us this week.

Closing Prayer: (5 minutes)

Today we have another challenging prayer. We are going to pray through Romans 12:14-21. In this scripture we are going to pray about our interaction with those who have hurt us. May this prayer stay deep in our heart and remind us of how we are to love others no matter what.

Scripture:

Topic: Love of Jesus - High and Deep

Memorize Monday:

But love your enemies, and do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return, and your reward will be great, and you will be sons of the Most High, for he is kind to the ungrateful and the evil. Luke 6:35

Table Talk Tuesday:

Talk: How do you know that someone loves you? Who has the deepest and strongest love for you? Who do you love the deepest and strongest? Do you think God loves you? Why or why not?

Text: But God, being rich in mercy, because of the great love with which he loved us, even when we were dead in our trespasses, made us alive together with Christ—by grace you have been saved. Ephesians 2:4-5

Truth: God loves you so deeply that he made a way for you to be set free from a death sentence. Are you saved?

Watch it Wednesday:

Full Send High and Deep Love of Christ - https://youtu.be/4OSFJIRf9j0

Tune in Thursday:

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Fun Friday:

This one might cost you. Today I want to challenge you to do something hard. First, pray for an enemy or someone who has hurt you. Second, ask God to show you a way to show them love. Third, do what God lays on your heart. Maybe you will write a nice note, maybe you can give them a gift card to their favorite business, maybe you can call them up and say I'm sorry or I forgive you. Let's have fun showing a high love for others that goes beyond the worldly standards.

Seek Him Saturday:

Pray Romans 12:14-21 over your enemies today. Pray it from your heart over and over and ask God to give you eyes to see them like He does!

Send It Sunday:

This is our last Send It Sunday. We are transitioning to Scripture Sunday, so as you go out this week Full Send your love to those around you. Make sure everyone knows that you love them as Christ loves you. This love is not a worldly love, but a heavenly love that doesn't look to get even, but to extend grace.