

**Not Just Any Kind of Love  
Change Agent  
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**Notes:**

# LIFE GROUP QUESTIONS:

**Icebreaker:** When you hear the word “love,” what person comes to mind?

Have everyone spend time reading 1 Corinthians 13:1-8a quietly to themselves. After a few minutes, either have one person read the passage for the group or have each person take turns reading a portion until the entire passage has been read.

## **Sermon Observation Questions**

1. Was there anything from this past week’s sermon that stood out to you? Explain. Was there anything from the sermon that confused you? Explain. Was there anything from the sermon that invoked an emotion? If so, what was it?
2. Observations about this passage: Who was the audience or the characters? What does this passage tell us about sinful man? What do we learn about God or Jesus from reading this passage, and how does that impact the way we love people and love God?
3. What questions arise from reading this passage? Is there anything from this passage that sticks out to you personally? If so, what?

## **Life Application Questions**

1. How is the world’s love different from God’s love? How have you seen the world’s love come up short in your life? Who in your life has been a model of God’s love? What did they do to show that type of love?
2. What attributes of God’s love as seen in 1 Corinthians 13 have been hardest to display in your own life?
3. Why can we be so quick to embrace God’s unconditional love, and yet withhold it from others? What is the benefit of loving others as God loves us?
4. **Next Steps:** How can you practically show God’s love to someone this week?