

Making it Personal



1. Why is it easier to take our cues on love from culture rather than God's Word?
2. Have you ever had an "I love you, but..." experience? What prompted it and how did it affect your understanding of love?
3. What changes do you believe you need to make in response to this study, both personally and in your relationship with others?

Coming Next Week – I Love You, But...Part 2

Is love purely a human response to biological impulses or is there something more? Join us next week as we continue looking at the topic of love.



Message entitled: Love In-Tension
Passages: 2 John 1:3-6;
John 1:17

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Life Group Study Notes

This Week's Message – April 8, 2018

Biblical love is built upon some foundational pillars. Understanding them is vital for understanding not only ourselves, but God as well.

Study - Discovering What the Bible Says



1. If you were stopped on the street by an interviewer and asked to define love, what would you say?

2. Where did your definition of love come from? In other words, who, or what in your life helped to shape your present view of love?

3. What 4 reasons were given for studying the topic of love?
 - a.

 - b.

 - c.

 - d.

Read 1 Corinthians 13

4. When you read this passage in the framework of the first 3 verses, how much does it illuminate the remainder of the chapter? What difference should this chapter make in our church?

5. What are the 3 Pillars that demonstrate how God has wired us for love?
 - a.

 - b.

 - c.

6. What question relates to Pillar #1? Discuss the implications of this truth. (See Gen 4:26; 2 Chr 7:14-15; Dan 10:12)

7. What questions relates to Pillar #2? Discuss the implications of this truth. (See Gen 1:27; Heb 2:16-18)

8. Is there any other comments or lessons from the message you would like to discuss?