

LOVE & LAUGHTER
Week 1: Love Is . . .
DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



RECAP

In this first sermon looking at how to bring more love and laughter into our marriages today, Josh looked at the famous love chapter of 1 Corinthians 13. What if the love passage in 1 Corinthians 13 was more than just an inspirational quote to be read at weddings?

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. Josh started by sharing how he met his wife, Robin. With the group, share how you met your spouse and how you two decided to get married.
2. Josh talked about some false narratives and ideals about love that culture champions. What have been some false definitions and ideas about love that you've seen or believed in the past?
3. The BIG Idea for the week is that love is a choice. How is that different than how you've heard love defined in the past? How should that change your relationships with others, including your spouse?
4. Read 1 Corinthians 13:4-8 and look at the fifteen actions Paul shares. Pick one and share with your group how you're thankful that you see that picture of love in your spouse's actions towards you.
5. Look again at the fifteen actions that Paul lists in 1 Corinthians 15:3-8. What is one love-action that you personally want to be intentional to improve in the way you show love to others, including your spouse?

NEXT STEP

- If you're a married couple looking to apply biblical principles to improve your marriage, take the Love 31 Challenge! This 31-day challenge is based off of putting the actions of the famous love chapter, 1 Corinthians 13, into practice in your marriage. Go to www.love31challenge.com to sign up and start today!

For more information (training and support) on how to start a small group, contact steve.lizzio@cbcva.org



CENTREVILLE BAPTIST CHURCH
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1 CORINTHIANS 13:4-8

Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud. It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs. Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth. It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres. Love never fails. 1 Corinthians 13:4-8

BIG Idea: Love is a _____.

Sign up to take the Love 31 Challenge at www.love31challenge.com

Bonus Content

Sunday (This Handout) - Discussion Questions for this message

Monday (Blog) - How You Can Super Charge Your Marriage Through the Love 31 Challenge

Wednesday (Blog) - The Explosive Redefinition of Love in 1 Corinthians 13

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