

# God is Love

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## *Scriptures*

1 John 4: 7-10, John 3: 16-17, 1 John 2: 15-17, Mark 12: 31

## *The Message*

This year's theme is \_\_\_\_\_ should be our  
\_\_\_\_\_ because \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ us!

What is love? Love is a \_\_\_\_\_ to the  
\_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_ of love. But  
we don't know how to love unless \_\_\_\_\_ loved us  
\_\_\_\_\_.! He showed us his love through  
\_\_\_\_\_.

Do not love \_\_\_\_\_ or  
\_\_\_\_\_ in the world because this world  
will only \_\_\_\_\_ you.

How can you love God? Loving God means we have to love  
our \_\_\_\_\_, and that means  
\_\_\_\_\_.! But you can't love others if you can't  
love \_\_\_\_\_. If you truly love yourself, you can  
only \_\_\_\_\_.

But our love is \_\_\_\_\_ compared to God's love!  
How can we love Him? The best we can do is  
\_\_\_\_\_ His love in \_\_\_\_\_.

## *Discussion*

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This year's theme is **Christ** should be our **first love** because  
**he first loved** us!

What is love? Love is a **commitment** to the **well-being** of the  
**object** of love. But we don't know how to love unless **God**  
loved us **first!** He showed us his love through **Jesus Christ**.

Do not love **this world** or **anything** in the world because this  
world will only **disappoint** you.

How can you love God? Loving God means we have to love  
our **neighbors**, and that means **everybody!** But you can't love  
others if you can't love **yourself**. If you truly love yourself,  
you can only **love God!**

But our love is **nothing** compared to God's love! How can we  
love Him? The best we can do is **receive** His love in **gratitude**.

## *Questions for Thought*

- (1) But we can't only receive God's love—we have to pass  
it forward! How have you passed on God's love  
forward?