

LOVE LETS IT GO

40 Days of Love - Part 4

"Love is not rude. Love does not demand its own way. Love is not irritable, and loves keeps no record of when it has been wronged."
1 Corinthians 13:5 (NLT)

4 MARKS OF REAL LOVE

LOVE IS NOT RUDE. So...

1. _____

Answering before listening is both stupid and rude." Proverbs 18:13 (Mes)

Stop being bitter and angry and mad at others. Don't yell at one another or curse each other or ever be rude. Instead, be kind and merciful, and forgive others, just as God forgave you because of Christ.
Ephesians 4:31-32 (CEV)

A wise, mature person is known for his understanding. The more pleasant his words, the more persuasive he is. Proverbs 16:21 (TEV)

LOVE DOES NOT DEMAND ITS OWN WAY. So...

2. _____

Your attitude should be the same that Christ Jesus had. Though he was God, he did not demand and cling to his rights as God. He made himself nothing; he took the humble position of a slave and appeared in human form.
Philippians 2:5-7 (NLT)

Believers shouldn't curse anyone or be quarrelsome, but they should be gentle and show courtesy to everyone. Titus 3:2 (GW)

LOVE IS NOT IRRITABLE. So...

3. _____

Brothers and sisters, if someone in your group does something wrong, you who are spiritual should go to that person and gently help make him right again. But be careful, because you might be tempted to sin, too.
Galatians 6:1 (NCV)

Bear with each other and forgive whatever grievances you may have against one another. Forgive as the Lord forgave you. Col 3:13 (NIV)

Each of us will give an account of himself to God. Therefore, let us stop passing judgment on each other. Romans 14:12-13 (NIV)

Gentle words bring life and health; a deceitful tongue crushes the spirit.
Proverbs 15:4 (NLT)

LOVE KEEPS NO RECORD OF WRONGS. So ...

4. _____

Do not bear a grudge against others, but settle your differences with them, so that you will not commit a sin because of them. Leviticus 19:17 (TEV)

Love forgets mistakes; nagging about them parts the best of friends.
Proverbs 17:9 (LB)

Gossip is spread by wicked people; they stir up trouble and break up friendships. Proverbs 16:28 (TEV)

Hate stirs up trouble, but love forgives all offenses. Proverbs 10:12 (TEV)

You are only hurting yourself with your anger. Job 18:4 (TEV)

Announcements

Financial Peace University (FPU) is coming at the end of June. If you have absolutely NO debt, no car payment, no mortgage, no credit card debt, then WOO-HOO!! However, if you DO have debt then this is the class for you!! Look for more info to come.

Baby & Child Dedications will be on Father's Day. This is a chance for you to announce your commitment to raising your child(ren) in a way that will glorify Christ. Contact Kelly for info or to sign up.

SPLASH Zone needs your help. We have as many children as we have adults and not even teachers to teach them. We have gone from 3 classes to 2 due to lack of teachers when we really need to go to 4!! Contact Nubia at NubiaJ@hotmail.com

What have you bought lately that will have an eternal impact? Jeannine is going to Cambodia on a mission trip to see how The Waters Church can make a difference in the eternities of so many children there. The total cost for her to make this trip is over \$2500 & as her family, we want to help. We will be collecting support for her over the next 4 weeks (May 31, June 7, 14, and 21). We are asking that whatever you may give be above and beyond your tithes and offerings to *The Waters* as that is needed to keep us operational.

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"Come, all you who are thirsty, come to the waters; and you who have no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without cost." Isaiah 55:1

