

Making the Change:

This week, how else can you apply 'Love' in your life?

At Home:

At Church:

At Work:

In the Community.

Your Signature:



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Week 6

Love



Challenges For the Week: (Log your thoughts on each)

Challenge 1: Gary Chapman, *'The Way of Love'*
Man2Man Express Interview Sept. 2008

Challenge 2: Tom Brockaw Special

Challenge 3: Fatherhood.org / Dance

Follow-up:

How did we do on last weeks "Making The Change?"
(Positives / Negatives)

- Integrity
- Wisdom
- Self-Control
- Endurance
- Godliness
- LOVE**
- Actions

READ: 2 Peter 1:3-9
LOVE is the 6th characteristic of a
Christian who is growing in Christ.

Love is...

We've all heard 1 Corinthians 13 if we've ever been to any wedding. Yes, love is patient, love is kind...you know how it goes. It seems we all agree to it as the perfect description of love; but how do we grow in love as a man of faith. How do we share love as men. Are we allowed to even say love to one another? Let's take a look at God's word and see how we can apply the qualities of love to our own lives.

Who is the most loving person you know? Why?

As Iron Sharpens Iron, So One Man Sharpens Another.

**PROVERBS
27:17**

Group Discussion:

READ: Mark 12:28-31

How should we love God? What does that look like?

Christ said you should love your neighbors as yourself. Who is our neighbor, and why would Jesus specifically say, "as yourself?"

READ: Eph 5:25-31

How should we love our wives?

READ: Eph 6:1-4

How should we love our Children? Our Parents?

Using some of the attributes listed in 1 Cor 13:4-7 describe how we can be practical and apply love within these areas of our lives. *(Example: We can love our wives with patience and kindness by listening intently.)*

God:

Wives:

Children:

Parents:

Neighbors:

LOVE