



We should never have to tell anyone that we are a Christian because they should already know by our actions showing love for others.

We then decided that if we are to be showing our love then we should probably understand exactly what this love that Jesus was talking about actually is.

For an answer, we looked to Paul's letter in **1 Corinthians 13:4-7** where he outlines a list of attributes for a Christ-centered love.

**1Corinthians 13:4-7:** 4 Love is patient, love is kind. It does not envy, it does not boast, it is not proud.5 It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.6 Love does not delight in evil but rejoices with the truth.7 It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

We then took a closer look at each attribute individually and replaced "love/it" with "I" to help us see what a real Godly love can actually look like in our life. We discussed what each attribute means and how we can practically practice each of them in our daily lives.

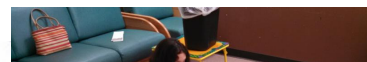
We talked about which attributes were easier and which were more difficult for each of us to practice.

We ended the lesson with a **challenge** to each identify the most difficult attribute for us personally and come up with practical ways we can better practice this attribute in our every day lives. We said that if we can achieve the most difficult then the rest can only be easier.

We noted that as with most everything that Jesus teaches us, it can be difficult if not impossible for us to do it all on our own which is why God sent us the Holy Spirit to help guide us and give us strength to live the Christian lives that Jesus called for us to live so that we can be known as Christ followers and lead others to God's saving grace through Jesus.

Join us next time as we conclude our series with a summary of all four weeks of what Jesus had to say about loving others.

## Upcoming Events



**NEXT SATURDAY,  
July 18:**

Our monthly community service at Tempe CPS will be on Saturday (July 18th) We meet at LWA at 9:30am and return after lunch.



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**Bible verses referenced in this lesson:** John 13:31-35, John15:12-13, 1 Corinthians 13:4-7

Let us know if you have any questions.

Have a blessed Week,

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