

Love Is Humble

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SERIES: ALL ABOUT LOVE
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Key Verse

1 Corinthians 13:3-8 (NCV)

"I gain nothing if I do not have love. Love is patient and kind. Love is not jealous, it does not brag, and it is not proud. Love is not rude, is not selfish, and does not get upset with others. Love does not count up wrongs that have been done. Love is not happy with evil but is happy with the truth. Love patiently accepts all things. It always trusts, always hopes, and always remains strong. Love never ends."

1 Corinthians 13:4 (GN)

"Love is not conceited or proud."

Humility:

Not thinking less of yourself. It's thinking of others instead and acting in their best interest, instead of your own.

1 John 3:18 (Mes)

"Let's not just talk about love, lets PRACTICE real love."

4 "Practices" Of Christ-Like Humility

1. Practice _____ to others.

Romans 12:10 (NAS)

"Give preference to one another in honor."

"Practice playing second fiddle." (Mes)

Philippians 2:3-8 (Mes)

"Don't push your way to the front...Put yourself aside, and help others get ahead. Don't be obsessed with getting your own advantage. Forget yourselves long enough to lend a helping hand. Think of yourselves the way Jesus thought of himself. He was God...but He took on the status of a slave...an incredibly humbling process. He didn't claim special privileges. Instead, He lived a selfless, obedient life..."

James 1:19 (NIV)

"Be quick to listen, slow to speak and slow to become angry."

2. Practice _____ from others.

Proverbs 15:12 (GN)

"Conceited people do not like to be corrected and they never ask for advice."

Proverbs 15:32 (NLT)

"If you reject criticism, you only harm yourself, but if you listen to correction, you grow in understanding."

Proverbs 13:10 (NCV)

"Pride only leads to arguments."

Matthew 18:4 (NIV)

"Whoever humbles himself like this child is the greatest in the kingdom of heaven."

3. Practice _____ .

Proverbs 28:13 (LB)

"A man who refuses to admit his mistakes can never be successful. But if he confesses and forsakes them, he gets another chance."

James 5:16 (Mes)

"Make this your common practice: Confess your sins to each other and pray for each other so that you can live together whole and healed."

4. Practice _____ to God.

James 4:6-7 (CEV)

"God opposes everyone who is proud, but He gives grace to everyone who is humble. So surrender to God!"

Romans 6:13 (GN)

"Give yourselves to God...and surrender your whole being to Him to be used for His righteous purposes."

Matthew 11:29 (NIV)

"Take my yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am gentle and humble in heart, and you will find rest for your souls."

Micah 6:8 (GW)

"This is what the Lord requires from you: to do what is right, to love mercy, and to live humbly with your God."

Psalms 119:37 (LB)

"Pray: 'Turn me away from wanting any other plan than Yours.'"

Psalms 37:11 (LB)

"All who humble themselves before the Lord shall be given every blessing and shall have wonderful peace."

ANSWER

Giving Preference; Learning; Admitting When I'm Wrong; Surrendering My Plans.

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