



#1 Love One Another!

John 13:35 *By this all men will know that you are my disciples, if you love one another.*

John 13:34 *A new command I give you: Love one another. As I have loved you, so you must love one another.*

LOVING LIKE JESUS LOVES

John 13:2 *The evening meal was being served, and the devil had already prompted Judas Iscariot, son of Simon, to betray Jesus. ³ Jesus knew that the Father had put all things under his power, and that he had come from God and was returning to God; ⁴ so he got up from the meal, took off his outer clothing, and wrapped a towel around his waist. ⁵ After that, he poured water into a basin and began to wash his disciples' feet, drying them with the towel that was wrapped around him.*

1. Begins With Having A SECURE IDENTITY

2. Means Focusing On OTHERS Instead Of SELF

3. Might Take UNCONVENTIONAL Forms

4. Requires ACTION!

1 John 3:18 *Dear children, let us not love with words or tongue but with actions and in truth.*

5. Involves SERVING Even Those Who Are Against You

John 13:6 *He came to Simon Peter, who said to him, "Lord, are you going to wash my feet?" ⁷ Jesus replied, "You do not realize now what I am doing, but later you will understand." ⁸ "No," said Peter, "you shall never wash my feet." Jesus answered, "Unless I wash you, you have no part with me."*

6. Might Not Be WELL-RECEIVED

7. Includes FORGIVING

John 13:9 *"Then, Lord," Simon Peter replied, "not just my feet but my hands and my head as well!" ¹⁰ Jesus answered, "A person who has had a bath needs only to wash his feet; his whole body is clean. And you are clean, though not every one of you." ¹¹ For he knew who was going to betray him, and that was why he said not every one was clean.*

John 13:12 *When he had finished washing their feet, he put on his clothes and returned to his place. "Do you understand what I have done for you?" he asked them. ¹³ "You call me 'Teacher' and 'Lord,' and rightly so, for that is what I am. ¹⁴ Now that I, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also should wash one another's feet. ¹⁵ I have set you an example that you should do as I have done for you.*

8. Was Intended To Be CONTAGIOUS

**WHAT IS JESUS LEADING YOU TO DO
TO LOVE PEOPLE LIKE HE DID?**