



John 13:34-35  
"40 days of Love"  
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*Loving like Jesus Loves Me*

*"I'm giving you a new commandment, love each other in the same way that I have loved you." John 13:34 GW*

**Four Ways Jesus loves you that you can do for others too...**

**1. I must accept others the way Jesus accepts me.**

Some of life's deepest wounds are the wounds of rejection.

John 6:37    Psalms 27:10    Titus 3:7

Romans 15:7    Romans 15:2

*Personal Action Step*

**This week I will show acceptance to** \_\_\_\_\_

*Someone who irritates you or is hard to love*

**2. I must forgive others like Jesus forgives me.**

Isaiah 43:25    Romans 8:1

Colossians 3:13

*Personal Action Step*

**This week I will begin the process of forgiving** \_\_\_\_\_

*Someone who has hurt you or is carrying a load of guilt or shame*

**3. I must value others the way Jesus values me.**

What makes something valuable?

The *first* is who made it. Ephesians 2:10

The *second* – Value depends on what someone will pay.  
1 Peter 1:19

Isaiah 49:15-16

1 Peter 2:17

*Personal Action Step*

**This week I will affirm the value of** \_\_\_\_\_

*Someone who has low self-worth*

**4. I must believe in others like Jesus believes in me.**

1 Corinthians 13

Matthew 17:20

Mark 9:23

John 14:12

Romans 1:12

Hebrews 10:24

*Personal Action Step*

**This week I will demonstrate trust in** \_\_\_\_\_

*Someone you see has potential for growth: "I believe in you!"*

Ephesians 3:18

**Next Week: 40 Days of Love #4**

Read Chapters 8-14

**"Loving With Your Words"** – James 3:2; Matt. 12:34; Mark 7:15;