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BIG IDEA | When God moves *IN YOU*, love moves *THROUGH YOU*.

WHAT LOVE IS NOT: LOVE IS *NOT* A FEELING.
WHAT LOVE IS: LOVE IS A *CHOICE* FOLLOWED BY AN *ACTION*.

Romans 12:1-2a (NIV)

¹<u>Therefore</u>, I urge you, brothers and sisters, in view of God's mercy, to offer your bodies as a living sacrifice, holy and pleasing to God—this is your true and proper worship. ² Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind.

LOVE SHOULD BE WITHOUT HYPOCRISY.

Romans 12:9 (NLT)

⁹ Don't just pretend to love others. Really love them. Hate what is wrong. Hold tightly to what is good.

FOUR GREEK WORDS FOR LOVE

- 1. STORGE EMPATHY BOND
- 2. PHILIA FRIEND BOND
- 3. EROS ROMANTIC LOVE
- 4. AGAPE UNCONDITIONAL "GOD" LOVE

Romans 12:10-11 (NLT)

¹⁰ Love each other with genuine affection, and take delight in honoring each other. ¹¹ Never be lazy, but work hard and serve the Lord enthusiastically.

THESE ARE NOT RULES TO *LEGISLATE* THESE ARE *PROMISES TO EMBRACE*.

Romans 12:12-16 (NLT)

¹² Rejoice in our confident hope. Be patient in trouble, and keep on praying. ¹³ When God's people are in need, be ready to help them. Always be eager to practice hospitality.

¹⁴ Bless those who persecute you. Don't curse them; pray that God will bless them. ¹⁵ Be happy with those who are happy, and weep with those who weep. ¹⁶ Live in harmony with each other. Don't be too proud to enjoy the company of ordinary people. And don't think you know it all!

WE ARE CALLED TO LIVE *DIFFERENTLY*, NOT *SEPARATELY*.

Luke 17:10 (NIV)

¹⁰ So you also, when you have done everything you were told to do, should say, 'We are unworthy servants; we have only done our duty.'"

Romans 12:17-21 (NLT)

¹⁷ Never pay back evil with more evil. Do things in such a way that everyone can see you are honorable. ¹⁸ Do all that you can to live in peace with everyone.

¹⁹ Dear friends, never take revenge. Leave that to the righteous anger of God. For the Scriptures say,

"I will take revenge; I will pay them back," says the Lord.

²⁰ Instead,

"If your enemies are hungry, feed them.

If they are thirsty, give them something to drink.

In doing this, you will heap

burning coals of shame on their heads."

²¹ Don't let evil conquer you, but conquer evil by doing good.