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**“Happiness Full Stop!”**  
**(John 15:9-17)**

Jesus’ \_\_\_\_\_ are the model for us all.

Because God \_\_\_\_\_ us, we \_\_\_\_\_ one another. Because God  
\_\_\_\_\_ us, we \_\_\_\_\_ one another.

Word List

forgive	forgives	love
loves	words	

**1.- Notice the \_\_\_\_\_ between love and \_\_\_\_\_.**

Notice that love is essential to \_\_\_\_\_.

No one can truly be happy who is not in a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship  
with God and with \_\_\_\_\_ people.

It’s hard to be really \_\_\_\_\_ when you live only for  
\_\_\_\_\_!

Even when Jesus knew we would misunderstand him and \_\_\_\_\_  
him and \_\_\_\_\_ him, he still \_\_\_\_\_ to love us to the cross  
and beyond!

Word List

chose	fail	Happiness
happy	joy	Link
other	proper	reject
yourself		

**2.- Love requires \_\_\_\_\_.**

Loving people like God loves, we’ve got to lay down our  
\_\_\_\_\_ and our prejudices and our \_\_\_\_\_ and,  
sometimes, even our so-called \_\_\_\_\_!

Jesus had one priority in life: to \_\_\_\_\_ our relationship with  
God!

Jesus’ cross provided \_\_\_\_\_ passage between sinful humans and a  
\_\_\_\_\_, holy God!

We can’t continue to \_\_\_\_\_ love superficially once we’ve seen  
Jesus’ example of loving sacrificially.

Where there is no \_\_\_\_\_, there is no \_\_\_\_\_!

That is true within the \_\_\_\_\_, it’s true between \_\_\_, and it’s  
true within \_\_\_\_\_!

Word List

define	family	friends
giving	grudges	holy
love	restore	rights
Sacrifice	sate	selfishness
society		

### **3.- Love is the very \_\_\_\_\_ of our faith.**

If we cannot love others, our faith is a \_\_\_\_\_!

There is no way to move \_\_\_\_\_ God without drawing  
\_\_\_\_\_ to other people, and no way to \_\_\_\_\_ other  
people without coming \_\_\_\_\_ to God!

If we are not able to love, then there is something very  
\_\_\_\_\_ about our faith!

Sometimes the most difficult people to forgive are those  
\_\_\_\_\_ to us.

Love and happiness are \_\_\_\_\_.

We must \_\_\_\_\_ in order to be happy!

Love is the central commandment that Christ gives those  
who would be his disciples.

It is what God made us for, and how God planned for us to  
operate in this world.

**Ask Jesus to be Lord of your life today and discover the  
love that makes life worth living!**

#### Word List

approach	closer	closest
Essence	inseparable	near
sacrifice	sham	superficial
toward		