

10. What does love NOT desire?
11. Love is focused where?
12. What does love NOT promote?
13. What would you say is the opposite of love?
14. What is a second word that could be the opposite of love?
15. Marriages fail because of a lack of what?
16. Love is not arrogant or proud because love is not what?
17. Rudeness is a lack of consideration of another person with the result that you are what?
18. What would be behind being rude?
19. Love “does not seek its own” means that love never does what?
20. The phrase, love “is not provoked” is best translated what way (ESV translation)?
21. Who do you get irritable with the easiest?
22. If you really love someone as you are supposed to love that person, you don’t keep what?
23. When you get in a disagreement with a loved one, do you get either hysterical or historical?
24. What does Paul mean with the phrase, (love) “does not rejoice in iniquity”?
25. Another way to rejoice in iniquity is to be glad about other people’s sins because it makes you what?
26. Another way we are guilty of rejoicing in iniquity is by what sin?
27. If we really love someone, instead of looking for and rejoicing in iniquity, we will look for what?
28. The word “bears” in “love bears all things” means what?
29. According to I Peter 4:8 and Proverbs 10:12, what does love cover?
30. To say that love “believes all things” means that love believes what?
31. When a person we love isn’t living in such a way to give us reason to believe a lot of good, we do what?
32. Love refuses to take failure as what?
33. What are a couple of things that love endures?
34. We can and should love the way described in Scriptures because we have been what?
35. God’s Word isn’t merely print on a page. It is what?
36. Where does Peter quote from to reinforce his point about the power of the word of God to transform us?
37. What reference helps us understand that God’s word is alive and it is amazingly powerful?
38. The Greek word that Peter used in Verse 25 for preaching means to what?
39. The Word of God gives us what?

40. Have you embraced the gospel by faith? Have you been born again through the living and enduring word of God?

Remember: Your responsibility, by God's enabling, is to consistently apply the divine principles and truths you have heard (Philippians 2:12-13; I Timothy 4:7-9; James 1:22-27). As you meditate on this message, ask yourself these questions:

- »»How does God want my beliefs/actions to change?
- »»How can I accomplish this change?
- »»What is the first step toward bringing about this change?

For Next Week:

- 1) Read I Peter through one time this week.**
- 2) Read I Peter 2:1-3 each day this week.**
- 3) What are some things that keep people from desiring**

God's Word?

- 4) If someone asked you, "What are the basics of Christianity?" what would you say?**

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**"STRETCH YOUR LOVE TO THE LIMIT"
I Peter 1:22-25**

The following are questions designed to facilitate greater learning and deeper understanding of spiritual truths presented in the sermon "**Stretch Your Love To the Limit.**" All of the questions are answered as the sermon is presented. We hope that it will be a catalyst to spiritual growth in your life.

1. If one doesn't repeat an important matter properly, it is easy to give the impression that it is what?
2. If one repeats something too often, it is easy for people to do what?
3. Peter's letter was a mixture of encouraging reminders and what?
4. The first thing Peter says is that these readers had, in obedience to the truth, done what?
5. Peter says that this change in our souls is for or unto a sincere what?
6. The word "fervently" means to what?
7. Does the word "fervently" describe your love for other believers?
8. When someone is loving, it takes him/her a long time before getting what?
9. Would you say that you are a kind person? Would those who know you best say the same thing?

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