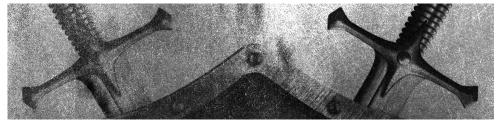


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Courageous Love, Part 1

Bevan Unrau September 17, 2017

1 Corinthians 13:13 Three things will last forever—faith, hope, love—and the greatest of these is love.

 1. Courageous Love is more ______ than _____.

 John 21:15-17

2. Courageous Love is more _____ than _____ Matthew 26:40-41



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MESSAGE NOTES:

Today's Music

Holding Nothing Back The Lion and the Lamb Our God O Come to the Altar Because of Your Love

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Martin Smith, Tim Hughes
 Brenton Brown, Brian Johnson, Leeland Mooring
 Chris Tomlin, Jesse Reeves, Jonas Myrin, Matt Redman
 Chris Brown, Mack Brown, Steven Furtick, Wade Joye
 Phil Wickham

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Growth Group Homework – September 17, 2017 Courageous Love, Part 1

A reality of life is we are surrounded by people who are difficult, people that are seemingly impossible to love. The problem isn't just them. If we are honest there is a good deal of jerkiness in us. We're not that easy to love. As we begin this study we need to start with a definition. We will see that love demands courage.

Warm-Up

1. What image comes to mind when you hear the word "love"? What about "courage"?

• What are some situations in your life where it is difficult to show love? What makes it difficult?

6. Read Romans 5:1-8. What does this passage say about love?

2. What is something you had to do that required courage?

• As you have understood and experienced God's love, how has this impacted your love toward others? Are there any specific changes?

Talk it Over

3. What part of the message stood out to you and why?

4. Bevan explained how courageous love is more action than emotion, and more practice than promise. What do you think of these two points? How do these differ from our normal understanding of love?

Take it Home

7. Real love doesn't occur in the big moments when you get to do something huge; it occurs in the little moments when you get to practice love again and again. What are some little practices of love you can do this week?

5. Read John 13:1-11. If you were in Jesus' situation, what emotions do you think you would have been experiencing? What circumstances would have made it tough to love?