

Loving God

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Love God with _____ we have.

God wants our _____, not our _____.

Romans 12:1-2

Sacrifice means to give up _____.

Living means it isn't a _____.

Living means it is a _____.

_____ **first**, _____ **second**, _____ **last**.

What right does God have to ask us to love Him like this?

John 3:16-18a

1 John 4:19

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Discussion Questions

Name It

1. What's something (a hobby, team, show, or goal) you've gone "all in" on before?
What made you care about it so much?
2. What is one thing that stuck out to you from the sermon?

Know It

1. Do you have anything in the sermon that felt unclear to you?
2. Read Matthew 22:35-40 and Deuteronomy 6:4-9. What word or phrase stands out to you the most?
3. Read 1 John 4:19 says, "We love because He first loved us." What are some ways you've experienced God's love recently?
4. Read Romans 12:1-2 What does being "a living sacrifice" mean to you personally?
In what areas of your life do you find it hardest to "give up control"?

Think It

1. The sermon mentioned surrendering the "throne of our hearts" to Jesus. What does that metaphor mean to you? Who or what tends to take that throne besides God?
2. The sermon said, "God wants our ALL, not our MOST." What's the difference between giving God most of your life versus all of it? Where do you tend to hold something back?

Change It

1. What are some practical ways you can "renew your mind" and resist the "pattern of this world"? What does that renewal look like in real, everyday habits (media, work, relationships, etc.)?
2. Which area of your life would look different if you truly loved God with everything—your family, your work, your politics, or your free time?