

Adult Impact Study Sheet

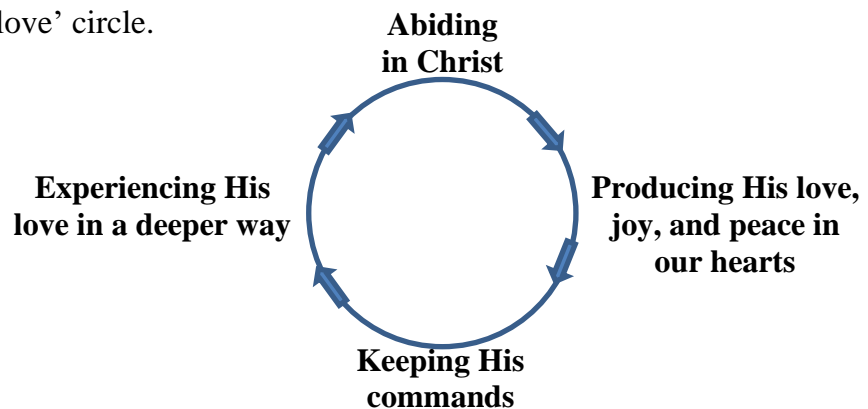
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If possible, read **John 15:9-17** from several translations.
For additional insight go to www.studylight.org and www.gotquestions.org.

1. *Read verse 9* – Jesus’ unconditional love is patterned after the Father’s love in its quality and extent. Discuss what that means.
2. *Read verse 11* - The Word of God, living and growing within the believer, produces lasting and increasing joy. What can keep the Word from living and growing?

To what else can a lack of joy in a believer’s life be traced?

3. Discuss this ‘abiding in love’ circle.



4. *Read verses 9 and 12* – “I have loved you just as the Father has loved Me;...love and unselfishly seek the best for one another, just as I have loved you” (AMP). What impact should that have in the life of a believer?
5. Share Scripture verses that speak of God’s amazing love for us.
6. What is the proof of our love, to God and to others?
7. Discuss the two terms, having a ‘relationship’ and having a ‘friendship’ with God.
8. Discuss the idea that God ‘chose’ us and that He ‘appointed’ us.
9. In verse 16 we read, “...that whatever you ask the Father in My name He may give you.” Here the word ‘that’ is like the word ‘therefore.’ What is the context of that promise from Jesus?

Next week: John 18:35-43