

Love Genuinely*Romans 12:9-10 / p. 976*

4 ways to love genuinely...

1. Don't _____ love – v. 9a

2. Detest evil; _____ what is good v. 9b

3. Value all _____ – v. 10a

4. Practice _____ second fiddle – v. 10b

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At Home Study Guide

For the week of July 28, 2019

Romans 12:9-10

Romans 12 is Paul's challenge to live out the theology he writes about in Romans 1-11. As we tackle this chapter over eight weeks, remember that the ability to live out the Christian life comes from what God has done in us, as Paul explains in chapters 1-11.

1. In these two verses, Paul challenges us to have a sincere love for one another. Read 1 Timothy 1:5. How do we grow this sincere love for others in our hearts?

2. Love and hate don't seem to go together, especially if you listen to the politically correct culture of our day. Why does Paul put them together in verse 9?

3. Paul describes love in the church as family affection that honors others above yourself (v. 10). How have you seen that shown in the church? In what ways could you intentionally show that kind of affection?

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