



Take It Home Questions

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Sunday's message was entitled *Beloved, Walk in Love* from Ephesians 5:1-2 and 1 Corinthians 13:4-7. Since we are loved by God, this should have a bearing on how we love one another. Walking in love is not optional for the Christian, but essential for our life together in Christ.

Questions for Discussion:

1. Aron said, "Anything we are called to do is rooted in what God has done." When it comes to loving others, is God's love for you compelling to this end? Why or why not?
2. 1 Corinthians 13:4-7 mentions fourteen characteristics of love. From Sunday's message, which one(s) is the Lord bringing to your attention?
3. Related to love not being resentful, Aron used an illustration of receiving a courtesy notice. Sometimes we 'love' like this; we are kind and we seemingly forgive one another all the while we are keeping a record on file of their wrongs against us. Do you have courtesy notices towards other people on file? What would the Lord have you to do with them?

A post entitled "Love and Courtesy Notices" was posted by Aron Osborne on the church blog, *Life At Metro*. You may find this a helpful follow-up to Sunday's message.