



## Love is Kind

### 1 Corinthians 13:4-7

*"Love suffers long and is kind; love does not envy; love does not parade itself, is not puffed up; does not behave rudely, does not seek its own, is not provoked, thinks no evil; does not rejoice in iniquity, but rejoices in the truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things."*

KINDNESS = \_\_\_\_\_

### 3 ATTITUDES TOWARD OTHERS [based on Good Samaritan]

- **KEEP MY** \_\_\_\_\_

*"A certain man went down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell among thieves, who stripped him of his clothing, wounded him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a certain priest came down that road. And when he saw him, he passed by on the other side." Luke 10:30-31*

- **CURIOUS BUT** \_\_\_\_\_

*"Likewise a Levite, when he arrived at the place, came and looked, and passed by on the other side." Luke 10:32*

- **TREAT OTHERS AS** \_\_\_\_\_

*"But a certain Samaritan, as he journeyed, came where he was. And when he saw him, he had compassion" Luke 10:33*

### HOW CAN I BECOME A KINDER PERSON?

#### 1. \_\_\_\_\_ THE NEEDS OF PEOPLE AROUND ME.

*"And when he saw him, he had compassion" Luke 10:33*

*"Let no one seek his own, but each one the other's well-being." 1 Corinthians 10:24*

Sensitivity Rating: 1 – 2 – 3 – 4 – 5

2. \_\_\_\_\_ **WITH PEOPLE'S PAIN.**

*"And when he saw him, he had compassion" Luke 10:33*

*"Bear one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ." Galatians 6:2*

[God] *"comforts us in all our tribulation, that we may be able to comfort those who are in any trouble, with the comfort with which we ourselves are comforted by God" 2 Cor. 1:4*

Sympathy Rating: 1 – 2 – 3 – 4 – 5

3. \_\_\_\_\_ **THE MOMENT TO BE KIND.**

*"So he went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; and he set him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him" Luke 10:34*

*"Do not withhold good from those to whom it is due, when it is in the power of your hand to do so. Do not say to your neighbor, "Go, and come back and tomorrow I will give it," when you have it with you" Proverbs 3:27-28*

a) Must be willing to be \_\_\_\_\_

b) Must be willing to take \_\_\_\_\_

Spontaneous Kindness Rating: 1 – 2 – 3 – 4 – 5

4. \_\_\_\_\_ **WHATEVER IT TAKES.**

*"So he went to him and bandaged his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; and he set him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. On the next day, when he departed, he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said to him, "Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, when I come again, I will repay you.'" Luke 10:34-35*

*"If you extend your soul to the hungry and satisfy the afflicted soul, then your light shall dawn in the darkness...The LORD will guide you continually and satisfy your soul in drought...You shall be like a spring of water, whose waters do not fail." Isaiah 58:10-11*

*"A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another. By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another." John 13:34-35*