

God's Love is not for Keeping
John 17.24, 1 John 4.7-19
November 16, 2014
Growth Group Questions



1. What is the best thing about your father, or someone who is a father figure to you?

2. Think on some of these truths about:

a. the Father's Love for His Son:

John 3.35

Mark 1.9-12

John 5.20a

b. the Son's love for His Father

John 14.31

John 4.34

c. how God's love for us and our love for Him transforms us

1 John 4.10-11

John 15.9-14

3. Gazing on God the Father, God the Son, and God the Spirit is good for us. But it's not the end. Meditating on God changes us! How is God transforming your love for someone in your life? How can you *practically respond this week* to God loving you?

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Message Notes



1. Who is He before all else?

Genesis 1

John 17.24

2. Before all else, our God is Father, and all His ways are lovingly fatherly.

1 John 4.7-10

3. You cannot be around Him without being transformed into a lover.

1 John 4.11-19

4. The shape of the Trinity's relationship changes our marriages.

1 Corinthians 11.3

God's love is not for keeping but for spreading.