



**You Know You've Been Wondering
Week 1: God is Love**

Group Discussion Notes

Leading Off:

What are your memories of Easter Sunday growing up?

Scripture:

*For God so loved the world that He gave His One and only Son, that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send His Son into the world to condemn the world, but to save the world through Him. **John 3:16-17***

Discussion Questions:

1. What did you want to be when you were growing up?
2. Who or what were the influences in your life that made you want to be that thing?

*"At the heart of every one of us is the desire to know from where we've come and to **live** a life of purpose and significance." – Pastor Chad*

3. Today, how are you living a life of purpose and significance?

*Love isn't just something God **does**; Love is **who** God is.*

4. What first comes to mind when you hear that God is love?
5. Why do you think we so often consider ourselves and others unlovable by God?
6. In what ways do you think God's love makes you significant and gives you purpose?

One To Grow On (This weeks Growth Challenge):

Pastor Chad challenged us to insert our names into the Scripture below. Try it. Read the Scripture out loud a few times with your name inserted. See how it makes you feel.

Then, swap out your name and insert the name of a person you've found it hard to love. Maybe it's even a group of people, or "type" of person. Try reading the Scripture out loud again with your new insert and see how it makes you feel? Do you feel your heart changing? Do you feel His Presence? His love?

Take a few moments to pray for those in your LifeGroup.

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