

# How Do We Love Others?

Love your neighbor  
as yourself.

(Matthew 22:39 NIV)





It is easy to show love to someone who is nice to us or whom we like, but it can be difficult to be kind to those whom we don't like or who have done something wrong that hurt us or made us sad.







God is a God of love.  
He loves everyone,  
and He wants to  
teach us how to love  
others too, even  
when it is difficult.

The Bible says we  
should love others  
as ourselves. That  
means we show the  
same kindness and  
love to others as we  
would want them to  
show to us.



For example, if you want to ride your friend's bike, would you take it without asking your friend? You wouldn't want someone to ride off with your bike without asking you, would you? You would probably want him to ask you politely if he could use it first. Showing love would be doing the same to your friend.

When we show love to people, we are being like Jesus.







# Action



Think about how you would like someone to show you kindness, and then draw a picture of you doing that kind deed for someone else.



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