

## A Christian Love Quiz

### Overview

Are you a “Loving Christian”? When we use this term “love” do not confuse it with the love between a man and woman. Perhaps a better translation would be “respect” and we should listen to what Jesus said when he told us to “love” our neighbor.



### The Christian Love Quiz

Check your progress in Christian love from Paul's guidelines in 1 Corinthians 13:4-8.

Score: See how close you get to 87 points.

- **3** - Points on the line if you rate yourself well
- **2** – Points, if you are average
- **1** – Points, if you are trying to grow in that area,
- **0** – Points, if you're at the starting block.

- 1 - Am I patient? \_\_\_\_
- 2 - Can I wait for others without complaining?  
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- 3 - Do I avoid telling others their faults? \_\_\_\_
- 4 - Can I turn frustration into prayer and understanding? \_\_\_\_
- 5 - Do I avoid gossip? \_\_\_\_
- 6 - Do I care about other people's feelings?  
\_\_\_\_
- 7 - Am I thoughtful of others' needs before they ask? \_\_\_\_
- 8 - Do I share my time generously? \_\_\_\_
- 9 - Do I keep from jealousy or possessiveness? \_\_\_\_
- 10 - Do I avoid trying to control others for my gain? \_\_\_\_
- 11 - Do I keep from being snobbish? \_\_\_\_

- 12 - Am I nice to people I do not know? \_\_\_\_
  - 13 - Do I treat others as Christ would, and see the good in them? \_\_\_\_
  - 14 - Do I keep from rudeness, always displaying good manners (even to those closest to me who irritate me the most)? \_\_\_\_
  - 15 - Do I keep from carrying a gloomy cloud around me? \_\_\_\_
  - 16 - Do I avoid teasing or annoying others?  
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  - 17 - Do I keep from selfishness and demanding my own way? \_\_\_\_
  - 18 - Do I avoid being too touchy and sensitive?  
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  - 19 - Do I control my anger? \_\_\_\_
  - 20 - Do I pray for others when tempted to be angry? \_\_\_\_
  - 21 - Do I keep from holding grudges? \_\_\_\_
  - 22 - Am I quick to forgive? \_\_\_\_
  - 23 - Do I keep from rejoicing when someone does wrong? \_\_\_\_
  - 24 - Do I avoid saying, "I told you so"? \_\_\_\_
  - 25 - Do I always think the best of others? \_\_\_\_
  - 26 - Do I help others along when they are struggling? \_\_\_\_
  - 27 - Am I positive and hopeful? \_\_\_\_
  - 28 - Am I dependable? \_\_\_\_
  - 29 - Am I quick to show sorrow after offending others? \_\_\_\_
- Total Score \_\_\_\_ (87 is tops)**

### How did you do?

Look over the areas where you love well, and those where you could improve. If you need some accountability, ask your confessor, spouse, parent, a close friend, or God himself to help you grow. Thank God for giving you his grace to see yourself in light of his love. Work a step at a time to develop new love habits to improve a little each day from now until the end of your life.