

staying in love – part 2: blueprint required sunday, february 14, 2021

Do you remember what it felt like to fall in love? How you would do anything for that person? What happens to those feelings? Falling in love comes naturally. But staying in love requires a plan. While many couples just endure their marriages, fortunately there is a blueprint for maintaining, and even growing, those feelings over time.

- Who is the most famous person you have ever met? How did you interact with that person?
- How do you treat things you determine are of great value?

read philippians 2:3-8

- What are some things you can do to value others above yourself? Is there a specific relationship that needs a shift in your approach and/or attention in this regard?
- Have you ever seen a person of significant position choose to serve rather than leverage privilege to his/her own advantage? What impact did that have on you?
- In what ways would it have been easier for Jesus to leverage his position and privilege to his own advantage?
- What do you think motivated Jesus to “empty himself” of his rights to serve others?
- What are some ways having the mindset of Jesus might change the trajectory of your relationships with others? Is there a specific relationship that needs a shift in your approach and/or attention in this regard?
- What next step will you take to follow the blueprint to love like Jesus loved?

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