



"A Better Way of Loving"
Fireproof Relationships Part 6
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Luke 5:1-21
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THREE TYPES OF LOVE:

- 1) _____ - "What can I get out of this?"
(loves when...)
- 2) _____ - "What can we get out of this?"
(loves because...)
- 3) _____ - "What can you get out of this?"
(loves in spite of...)

I. Better Love thinks about _____ more than
_____.

II. Better love makes the _____

III. Better love takes _____.

IV. Better love goes _____.

LOVE DARE CHALLENGE #6

COUPLES:

Remember that better love thinks about others more than self? This week your Challenge is to love your mate in a way that is not self-seeking. For the next week, focus on this point and put your spouse first. Each time you make a decision that affects your mate, set aside your needs and make the choice that is best for him or her. Pray for God to give you guidance and encouragement in this area. You might even want to find a good way to remind yourself of your challenge to not be self-seeking. You could wear a colorful wristband that will remind you during the day, or you could put a sticky note in an area where you will see it frequently.

Couples, will you take this challenge to love better and to love selflessly?

SINGLES:

Pick one or two people who are close to you and with whom you interact on a regular basis. Then, your challenge is the same—for this week, make every decision in a way that sets aside your needs and puts the other person's needs first.

Singles, will you take this challenge to love better and love to selflessly?