

Title: Living in the Overflow of Love

Text: Philippians 1:7-11

1. A Unifying Love (7-8)

2. A Growing Love (9-11)

Life Application Questions:

1. What does it mean to "share in God's grace" with others (v. 7)? How have you personally experienced or extended this kind of partnership in your Christian walk?
2. Paul says he longs for the Philippians "with the affection of Christ Jesus" (v. 8). How does this standard of love challenge or shape the way we love fellow believers?
3. Paul prays for love to abound "in knowledge and depth of insight" (v. 9). Why is it important for Christian love to be guided by truth and discernment rather than just emotion?
4. What is the "fruit of righteousness" Paul refers to in verse 11, and how do we cultivate it? Can you think of specific ways this fruit has grown in your life or the life of someone you know?