





## Adding to the confusion:

- Love is the honey: "Life is the flower for which love is the honey."
- Love is a desire: "Love is the irresistible desire to be desired irresistibly."
- Love is a feeling: "You call it madness, but I call it love."
- Love is a feeling of connection: "Love is composed of a single soul inhabiting two bodies."





Characteristic #1

## Love is PATIENT

1 Corinthians 13:4

long-wrathed; long-tempered



Characteristic #2

## Love is KIND

1 Corinthians 13:4



## Five Love Languages

- 1. Encouraging words
- 2. Acts of service
- 3. Gift-giving
- 4. Quality time
- 5. Physical touch & closeness

Kindness
Love in action





"For we ourselves were once foolish, disobedient, led astray, slaves to various passions and pleasures, passing our days in malice and envy, hated by others and hating one another. But when the goodness and loving kindness of God our Savior appeared, he saved us, not because of works done by us in righteousness, but according to his own mercy, by the washing of regeneration and renewal of the Holy Spirit, whom he poured out on us richly through Jesus Christ our Savior,"

Titus 3:3-6