



Love In Action:

September 2025:

Hello again! Welcome to the September installment of our Love in Action Challenge. If you have any specific needs or prayer requests, please don't hesitate to reach out and/or post in the group for assistance.

To begin, be a good berean. Check what I say against the inspired word of God, pray about it, and seek His guidance. Invite Holy Spirit to provide direction. If you recognize error, please let me know, as well :-).

Let's pray before going much further - Father, in the name of Jesus Christ, I ask that You open my eyes, ears, and soften my heart in order to receive what You have for me. You're my Helper Holy Spirit, so please help me as I walk out the life that You intend me to. Thank You and amen!

Let's start with 2 different scriptures which will set the stage for the rest:

Hebrews 10:23-25 - Let us hold resolutely to the hope we profess, for He who promised is faithful. And let us consider how to spur one another on to love and good deeds. Let us not neglect meeting together, as some have made a habit, but let us encourage one another, and all the more as you see the Day approaching.

1 Corinthians 16:14 - Let everything you do be done in love [motivated and inspired by God's love for us].

This is ultimately a call to persevering, remaining rooted and strong, and to continue in walking in love and good deeds. Many of you are already living this way, as we should, but these monthly messages with text will be an additional reminder and encouragement to continue. My hope is that this will lead you to stepping out more in your day-to-day life and encourage you to observe and ask the Lord more about situations you can step in to and provide additional opportunities to be the light and salt as you reflect Jesus daily.

Love In Action (look to do one, or better yet all of these this next month):

1. Write a letter of encouragement for someone (consider what you might want to hear if you had a time of trouble) and put money in it and give it to someone the Lord highlights to you.
2. Pray and ask the Lord for direction and guidance and then walk up to 1-5 people this week and try to get their names or birth month through word of knowledge. Explain that you are practicing listening from God (this may open more doors than you can imagine).
3. Before you pray for someone's healing this week ask Holy Spirit how you should do it (we want to always be in a posture of seeking direction and listening from the Lord when engaging with and for others).
4. Share a testimony with a stranger of what the Lord has done in your life or how you came to Him.

Questions for Individual/Group Contemplation:

Where can I practice greater humility in my daily interactions and decisions?

How can I become a better listener to truly understand and support those around me?

What are three things I am grateful for today, and why?

What personal habits or behaviors do I need to change to grow closer to Christ?

Quote to consider:

Do all the good you can, by all the means you can, in all the ways you can, in all the places you can, at all the times you can, to all the people you can, as long as ever you can.

-John Wesley

Closing:

If you have other ideas for Love in Action, send em my way and I'll consider adding them to the monthly list. There is a larger list on the website which I will often pull from and modify at times, so if you would like other ideas, look there.