

**Crazy Love: Uncommon Love**  
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**Matthew 22:34-40 NLT**

*But when the Pharisees heard that he had silenced the Sadducees with his reply, they met together to question him again. One of them, **an expert in religious law**, tried to trap him with this question: "Teacher, which is the most important commandment in the law of Moses?" Jesus replied, "'You must love the Lord your God with all your heart, all your soul, and all your mind.' This is the first and greatest commandment. A second is equally important: 'Love your neighbor as yourself.' The entire law and all the demands of the prophets are based on these two commandments."*

LIFE is just one GIANT lesson in learning to LOVE!

The BEST use of my LIFE is to LOVE!

**Uncommon Love:**

1. Uncommon love is the MARK of a true believer.

**1 John 4:20 GNT**

*If we say we love God, but hate others, we are liars. For we cannot love God, whom we have not seen, if we do not love others, whom we have seen.*

**Galatians 5:6 NIV**

*... The only thing that counts is faith expressing itself through love.*

2. Uncommon love COMPENSATES for SIN.

**1 Peter 4:8 NKJV**

*"And above all things have fervent love for one another, for "love will cover a multitude of sins."*

**John 8:7 NKJV**

*So when they continued asking Him, He raised Himself up and said to them, "He who is without sin among you, let him throw a stone at her first."*

**John 8:10 NKJV**

*When Jesus had raised Himself up and saw no one but the woman, He said to her, "Woman, where are those accusers of yours? Has no one condemned you?"*

**James 5:20 NKJV**

*...let him know that he who turns a sinner from the error of his way will save a soul from death and cover a multitude of sins.*

3. Uncommon love takes ACTION.

**1 Corinthians 13:4-8 NKJV**

*Love suffers long and is kind; love does not envy; love does not parade itself, is not puffed up; does not behave rudely, does not seek its own, is not provoked, thinks no evil; does not rejoice in iniquity, but rejoices in the truth; bears all things, believes all things, hopes all things, endures all things. Love never fails. But whether there are prophecies, they will fail; whether there are tongues, they will cease; whether there is knowledge, it will vanish away.*

**1 John 4:8 NKJV**

*He who does not love does not know God, for God is love.*

**1 Corinthians 14:1 AMPC**

*Eagerly pursue and seek to acquire [this] love [make it your aim, your great quest] ...*

4. Uncommon love PURSUES.

**Luke 15:20 NKJV**

*“And he arose and came to his father. But when he was still a great way off, his father saw him and had compassion, and ran and fell on his neck and kissed him.”*

**Romans 8:35 NKJV**

*Who shall separate us from the love of Christ? Shall tribulation, or distress, or persecution, or famine, or nakedness, or peril, or sword?*