



GROW. PRAY. SERVE.

Series: **CRAZY LOVE**
Message: "What Matters Most"



PRAYER: Loving God, fill us now with your grace and power that like you, we might learn to love you, love one another and love ourselves. We open our hearts to you. In the name of Jesus, we pray. Amen.

ICEBREAKER: Finish this statement: my #1 goal in life is...

GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS:

1. Read Galatians 5:6. What should be our #1 priority according to the writer of that text? How easy or difficult have you found it to live that value as a priority in your own life? Share your thoughts with your group.
2. In the message, Pastor Watson pointed out that little else matters if we fail to live a life of love. As you examine your own life, have you ever been tempted to substitute achievement, religion, work or something else for being a loving person? What is the hardest challenge you have ever faced trying to be a loving person?
3. After hearing the message, what do you think now of "falling in love?" Describe for your group your understanding of "loving someone" versus "falling in love."
4. How do you/would you define love? Share your definition with your group. Use these scriptures to help you define love. (2 John 1:6 (NLT), 1 Corinthians 14:1a (Message), 1 John 3:18 (Living Bible) and 1 John 4:16 (CEV).

CHALLENGE: Ask God to show you one thing you should DO this week to become a more loving person. **Make a commitment to worship during Transformation 2010.**

SERVE: As a group, one of the ways you can demonstrate love is through serving. Take this time to begin to plan how your group will serve in the first six months of 2010. Write the plan down and get started.

CHAMPION TIP: As a champion, your leadership is significant. Ask the group to pray for you and then you pray for yourself that God would make you into a more loving person. Do it now!