The Walk in Love Coloring Book

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These coloring pages correspond to each of love's qualities as described in 1 Corinthians 13. Learn more about each of these qualities with The "Love Is" Chart and "Walk in Love" Bible study, also from Doorposts.

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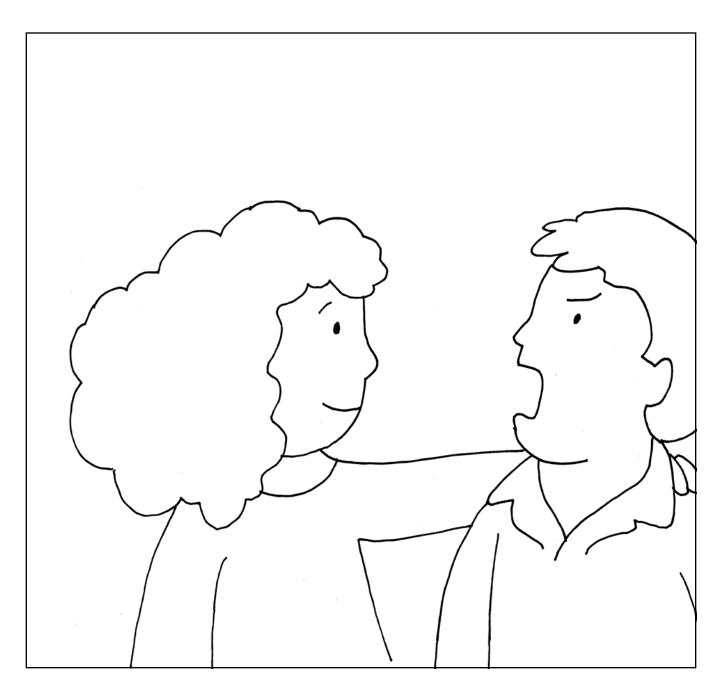
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Love is patient.

Are you being patient – or are you upset?

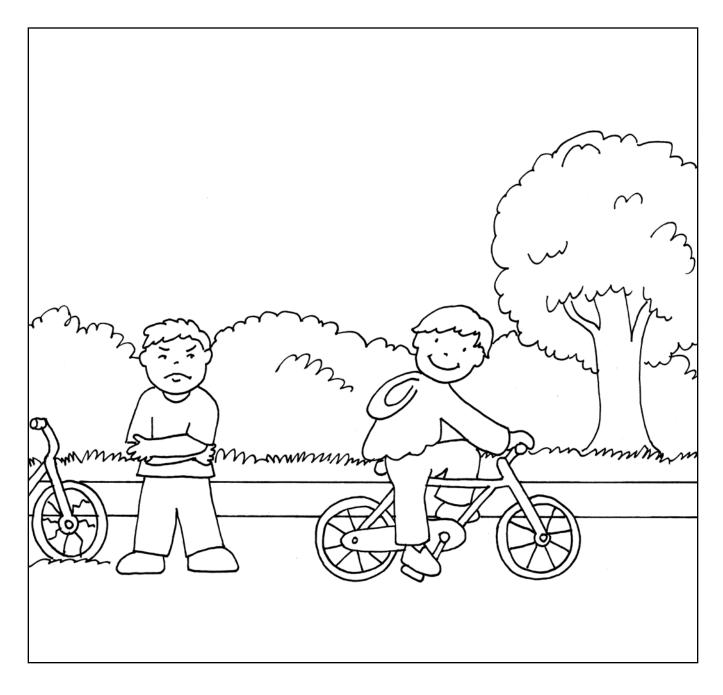
"Above all, keep loving one another earnestly, since love covers a multitude of sins" (1 Peter 4:8).



Love is kind.

Are you being helpful – or uncaring?

"If I then, your Lord and Teacher, have washed your feet, you also ought to wash one another's feet" (John 13:14).



Love does not envy.

Are you happy for others – or do you envy them?

"...though he was rich, yet for your sake he became poor, so that you by his poverty might become rich" (2 Corinthians 8:9b).



Love does not boast.

Are you being modest – or are you looking for glory?

"Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men" (Philippians 2:5-7).



Love is not arrogant.

Are you being humble – or do you think you're better than others?

"But I am among you as the one who serves" (Luke 22:27b).



Love is not rude.

Are you being courteous – or rude?

"And Jesus increased in wisdom and in stature and in favor with God and man" (Luke 2:52).



Love does not insist on its own way.

Are you thinking of others – or only about yourself?

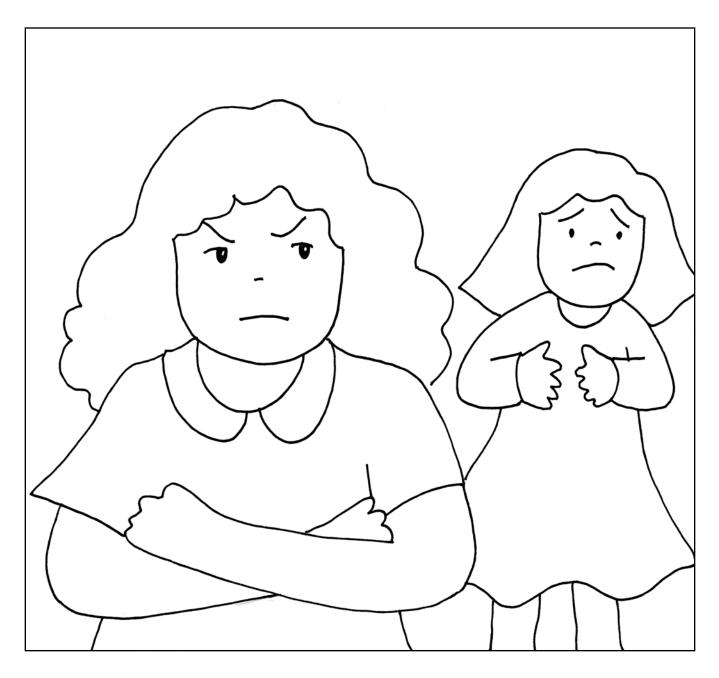
"By this we know love, that he laid down his life for us, and we ought to lay down our lives for the brothers" (1 John 3:16).



Love is not irritable.

Are you being cheerful – or grumpy?

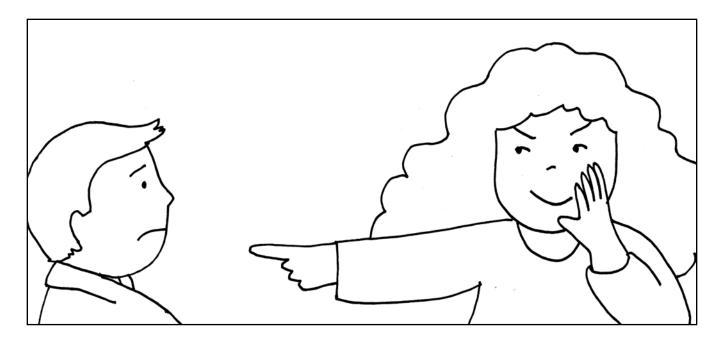
"Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls" (Matthew 11:29).



Love does not keep a record of wrongs.

Are you forgiving – or are you holding a grudge?

"... bearing with one another and, if one has a complaint against another, forgiving each other; as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive" (Colossians 3:13).





Love does not rejoice in iniquity. Love does rejoice with the truth.

Are you taking pleasure in the sins of others – or are you delighting in seeing them do well?

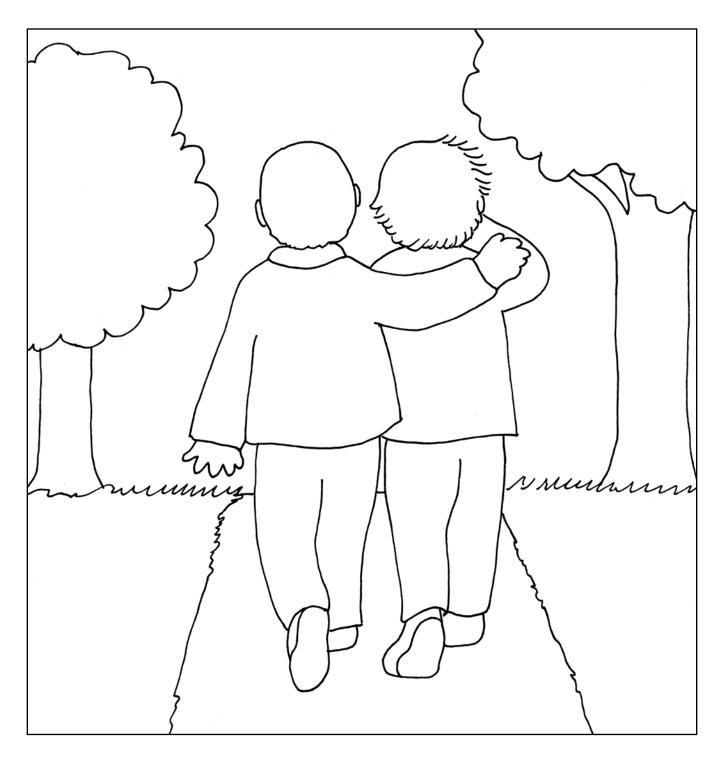
"...but God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8).



Love bears all things.

Are you quietly persevering – or are you complaining?

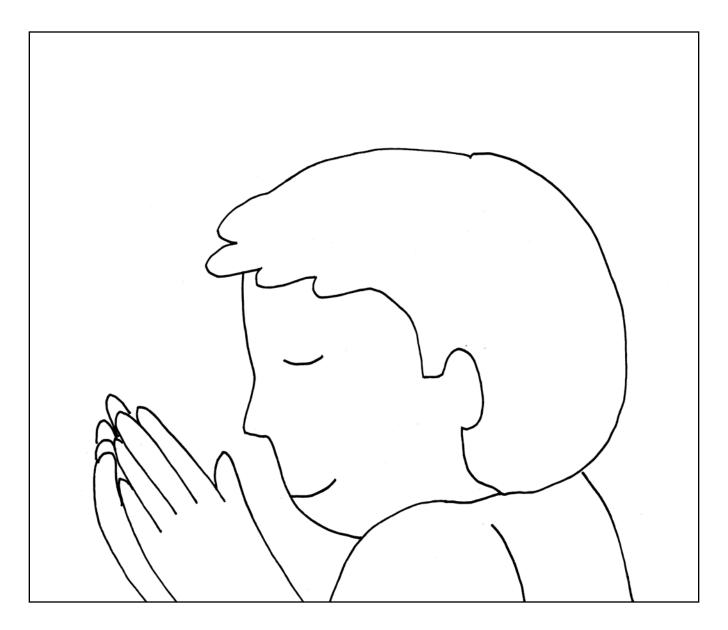
"He was oppressed, and he was afflicted, yet he opened not his mouth" (Isaiah 53:7a).



Love believes all things.

Are you trusting people – and God – or are you doubting their word?

"...when he suffered, he did not threaten, but continued entrusting himself to him who judges justly" (1 Peter 2:23b).



Love hopes all things.

Are you believing – or forgetting – God's promises?

"...looking to Jesus, the founder and perfecter of our faith, who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is seated at the right hand of the throne of God" (Hebrews 12:2).



Love endures all things.

Are you standing fast – or are you giving up?

"And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross" (Philippians 2:8).

Encounter the perfect love of Jesus Learn how to truly love others

The Love Is Chart

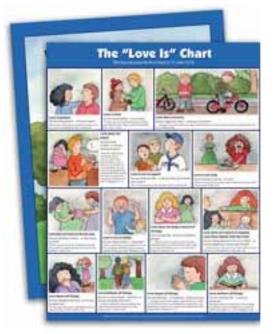
Use this chart as a daily reminder of what real love is, with questions to help your children examine themselves and Bible verses that point them to Jesus as our example.

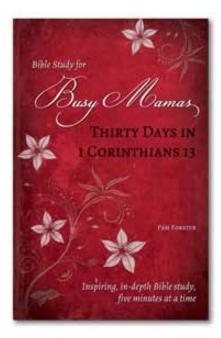
The included "Walk in Love" Bible study book will guide you through an in-depth study of love during your family worship or homeschool time.

Here's what you'll find inside:

- An explanation of each of love's qualities from 1 Corinthians 13
- Bible verses showing how God loves us in each of these ways
- Examples of how Jesus lived out this kind of love
- Other passages from Scripture that illustrate each quality
- Recommended activities and object lessons
- Practical application points for children
- And lots more!

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Thirty Days in 1 Corinthians 13

This study won't just tell you to *try harder* at loving. As you spend time studying God's Word, you'll encounter *love personified* -- the perfect love Jesus embodies -- and knowing His love for you will motivate you to love others like He does.

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