



40 Days of Love

It All Begins with God

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1 John 4.7-12

Today we begin a journey called **40 Days of Love**. We hope in these days that we will all learn to love *God's way* more effectively.

Where do we start? Today, we want to review our model for growth as disciples and see where **40 Days of Love** fits in. But to answer the question another way, it all begins with God...



A Model for Growth

- **HEAD:** A Disciple _____
- **HEART:** A Disciple _____
- **HANDS:** A Disciple _____
- **FEET:** A Disciple _____

*There are also stages of development: infant, growing, and maturity.
Let's not stop until we reach maturity!*



God Loved Us and Sent His Son

- That we might _____ him

- That he might _____ us

Sin is your greatest problem. Only Jesus can remove it. He demonstrated his love for you by his sacrificial death. Will you receive Jesus and receive his love? That's the first step in learning how to truly love God's way.