

## Part 2: All For Love

The Spiritual Gifts are such a necessary blessing for the Church. As we prioritize our dependence on these gifts, we need to come face to face with the greatest threat to stealing the power that God wants to give His people.

## **Discussion Questions**

- 1. Have you ever received a gift (physical or otherwise) that felt ruined—maybe because of the giver's attitude, or because it came with strings attached? How does that experience help you understand Paul's warning that "a gift without love is nothing"?
- 2. Read 1 Corinthians 13 together. What are stands out to you from this passage? What questions arise for you?
  - In 1 Corinthians 13:1-3, Paul says even the most spectacular gifts—tongues, prophecy, generosity, sacrifice—amount to nothing without love. Why do you think Paul uses such extreme examples? What point is he making about the place of love in the Christian life?
- 3. The sermon highlighted that "a gift without love is just noise, insignificant, and a loss." Which of those contrasts hits home for you the most, and why?
- 4. Paul originally wrote 1 Corinthians 13 to a divided, competitive church. In what ways do you think today's churches can be vulnerable to the same pitfalls of pride, competition, or comparison?

Paul describes love as patient, kind, not jealous or boastful, not rude or self-seeking, not easily angered, and enduring. Which of these qualities do you feel God is calling you to grow in most right now?

## **Moving Forward**

The sermon ended with the question: "Who or what are you burdened for?" How might that burden be connected to a spiritual gift God is stirring in you? What would it look like for you to pursue that gift with love as your highest goal?