Big Idea: Successfully loving one another in a new way requires that we use the supernatural power of God's presence to reflect His gospel into the world.

1) **Foundational reasons for this new "one another".**
    (Romans 13:8-9 / 1 Peter 1:22 / 1 John 3:10 / 1 John 3:23 / 1 John 4:7-12).

This new *"one another"* sums up the **10 commandments**.
This new *"one another"* is a supernatural **fruit** of salvation.
This new *"one another"* is a spiritual family **trait**.
This new *"one another"* is a **command**.
This new *"one another"* is a reasonable **response** to God's love.
This new *"one another"* demonstrates God's **existence**.

2) **Foundational examples of this new "one another".**
How did Jesus model this "love one another"?
    (Matthew 8:13 / Matthew 14 / / Matthew 19:22 / Mark 10 / Luke 19).

Jesus modeled a "**Leprosy** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Left-overs** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Truthful** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Blind** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Little-Guy** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Look-in-the-Mirror** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Stinky-feet** Love".
Jesus modeled a "**Cross-my-Heart** Love".

3) **Foundational results of this new "one another".**

Place one another lovingly "**on your sleeves**" ...and then persevere.

Study/Application Questions and Actions:

1) What is the biggest reason you might struggle with loving other believers unconditionally? Think of a time when it was difficult.
2) Which of the Biblical "foundational reasons" for loving others do you personally find most motivating? Least motivating? Why?
3) Jesus perfectly practiced this new commandment. Which of his examples strikes a chord with you?
4) What personal spiritual disciplines might help you build "endurance" in loving others?
5) Name some other believers whom God may be motivating you to show love right now – and what specific action could you take to be loving?