

HOPE CHAPEL
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GROUPS

'OHANA GROUP STUDY QUESTIONS

WEEK 8: "WALKING IN TRUTH AND LOVE" - 1 JOHN 4:7-21

1. What from the message this weekend encouraged you, challenged you or spoke to you most and why? What applications for your life did you learn?
2. From this week's Scripture, what encouraged you, challenged you or spoke to you most and why?

A DEEPER LOOK

3. Read 1 John 4:9-11. In these verses, John reminds us of God's love in action. Can you recall times in the Bible where love is demonstrated by actions. Share about how you have seen this in your own life?
4. What obstacles have you encountered that make it difficult to be a conduit for God's love, rather than just a consumer?
5. In Jan's message he repeated the phrase shown throughout 1 John, "If we say, but..." (read 1 John 1:6, 1 John 1:8, 1 John 2:3). What "if I say" statement do you tell yourself but don't live out? How can you grow in following your words with actions? Walking in *Truth AND Love*?
6. How have you grown in your understanding of God through the love that others have shown you?

TAKING IT HOME

7. Think about one person you could love this week that you might not normally express love and kindness to. What one thing could you do to go out of your way to share God's love with them?
8. Have you felt the Holy Spirit prompting your heart to serve? How will you go about these promptings?
9. Take time this week to reflect on those instances where God's love was made apparent to you through other believers. Let those serve as reminders of God's love for you, but also as a reminder to build your testimony that God alone is the source of love.

PRAYER REQUESTS & PRAISES
