

RESET: Home – June 21st 2002
Hope Community Church

Discussion Starter:

When you think about habits that bring life to your home what do you think of and how do you practise those?

Digging Deeper:

1. Read Ephesians 4:1-2, 4:32 & 5:1-2 which of the qualities/virtues commanded by Paul do you find particularly compelling. Why?
2. In these same verses Paul connects the virtues of love and forgiveness to the saving work of God. How does this connection transform love and forgiveness for you?
3. The first thing Paul does in Eph 4:2, as he unpackages what living a life worthy of the Lord means, is to urge humility and gentleness. Why would these characteristics be particularly important?
4. Hospitality in 1 Peter 4:9 has the potential to cause grumbling. Why might that be true then or true to day?

Changing our Hearts/Living it out:

1. What challenges do you find in living out your faith in your home setting? What makes home a tricky place?
2. The old saying “Those you love the most you treat the worst” just shouldn’t be true. How could you work to ensure that people in your home know they are loved?
3. What would modelling love and forgiveness in your home look like?
4. How can you imagine yourself sharing hospitality? Share the challenges and joys of it.
5. What’s a rhythm or rock you’d like to be putting into your life?