

# Corinthians 13:4-7

## THE TEMPLATE OF LOVE - I

These love action words tell us how to show up in love.

**Patient:** Enduring, tolerant, unwearied, uncomplaining, long suffering.

**Kind:** Caring, sympathetic, nice, gentle, thoughtful, compassionate.

**Does not envy:** Jealous, greedy, desire, resentment, spite, covet.

**Does not boast:** Brag, showoff, sing your own praises, pride in yourself.

**Is not proud:** Arrogant, conceited, self important, self righteous, overconfident.

**Is not rude:** Impolite, foul, discourteous, bad mannered, offensive, vulgar.

**Is not self-seeking:** Self centered, self regarding, egotistical, self absorbed.

**Is not easily angered:** Infuriated, annoyed, enrage, exasperated, irritated, frustrated.

**It keeps no record:** Evidence, proof, documentation, confirmation, testimony.

**Love does not delight in evil:** But rejoices with the truth.

It always protects, always trusts, always hopes, always perseveres.

Never fails, stops working, breaks down, neglected, disappoints, falls short, be unsuccessful, goes out of business.

Take one love action word a week and live it out in your life. If the word is a particularly hard action to live out; consider adding on an extra week.

Love in Action

Week of Living Love in Action

Patient

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Kind

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Do not envy

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Do not boast

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Do not be proud

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Do not dishonor

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Do not be self-seeking

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Do not be easily angered

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Do not keep a record of wrongs

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Do not delight in evil

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Rejoice in the truth

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Always protects

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Always trusts

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Always hopes

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Always perseveres

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Love never fails

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