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THE FATHER'S LOVE

John 15:7-17

The Father's Gift

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SERMON QUESTIONS

- What does it mean to "abide" in Jesus?
- How does the imagery of v. 1-6 challenge how we think about the nature of obedience?
- How does Jesus qualify the statement in v. 7, "ask whatever you wish, and it will be done for you"? What comes before and after?
- How does love get transferred in this passage and what does it include?
- Jesus commands us to love one another just as He has loved us. How has Jesus loved us and how is His love a template for us?
- Jesus calls His disciples His friends (v. 14-17). How is this friendship described in v. 14-17?
- Consider how abiding in Jesus, obeying Jesus and loving others intersect in your own life. Spend time praying for those intersections.

Memory Verse:
JOHN 15:12-13

*This is My
commandment,
that you love
one another,
just as I have
loved you.
Greater love
has no one than
this, that one
lay down his life
for his friends.*