KING OF KINGS MESSAGE DISCUSSION GUIDE

ALL IN - LOVE

Week 1

Icebreaker

What was your nickname growing up and where did it come from?

Key Passage

1 John 4:16

"And so we know and rely on the love God has for us. God is love. Whoever lives in love lives in God, and God in them."

Discussion Questions

- 1. Read 1 John 4:16 above. Do you think love is a creation, or is it the nature of God?
- **2.** On a scale of 1-10, how loving of a person do you consider yourself? What makes you give yourself that rating?
- **3.** How would your life look different if love was truly all-consuming in your life, if you thought about it at all times?
- **4.** Why is it difficult to live a life consumed by love?
- 5. Why do you think John commonly refers to himself in his book as "the one Jesus loved"?
- **6.** Pastor Greg makes the case that John wasn't boasting about his status, but he thought his primary identity, even more important than his name, was his status as one loved by Jesus. What do you think of that theory?
- 7. How does your view of yourself change when you consider that your identity is one loved by Jesus?
- **8.** Read Nehemiah 9:17 and spend time thinking about each of the listed characteristics. As you meditate on the verse, what sticks out to you?
- **9.** What's one way, subtle or extravagant, in which you can display love to someone who needs it this week?

Close with Prayer

