

Agape qualities

(How agape is my love, really?)

Agape love is the unconditional, unbreakable, caring, sacrificial love modeled by Jesus. We can abide with Him when we have a close proximity to Him, a humble posture before Him, and a secure place with Him. Thus, we can know Him and abide in Him because He agape loved us first (1 John 4:19).

Below are sixteen agape qualities from the “love chapter” of 1 Corinthians 13. In this exercise, please pick three of the sixteen that are your best agape qualities and three that are your weakest. Don’t rank or score them. Just place a checkmark by your Top 3 and your Bottom 3.

<u>Agape Qualities</u>	<u>Top 3</u>	<u>Bottom 3</u>
1. I am patient.	___	___
2. I am kind.	___	___
3. I am not jealous.	___	___
4. I do not brag or boast.	___	___
5. I am not arrogant or proud.	___	___
6. I am not rude or dishonoring.	___	___
7. I am not self-seeking or selfish.	___	___
8. I am not easily angered or provoked.	___	___
9. I do not act resentful or consider wrongs.	___	___
10. I am not glad about sin or injustice.	___	___
11. I rejoice with the truth.	___	___
12. I bear and protect all things (like a roof).	___	___
13. I believe and trust all things.	___	___
14. I hope and am confident in all things.	___	___
15. I endure and persevere in all things.	___	___
16. My love does not fail or fall away.	___	___

What are your Top 3? ____, ____, ____ What are your Bottom 3? ____, ____, ____

What can you do to strengthen your weakest agape qualities?

And how could you bless others with your strongest agape qualities