

The Gift of Love

1 John 4:7-11

The Idea

- God's love flows _____ to us, then _____ to others
- Agape Love is active _____ - _____

The Question

- Why does love feel _____ ?

The Outline

1. God's _____ to love others v7-8

- Love is _____ God
- We _____ God

2. God's _____ to love others v9-10

- God loved us with _____
- God loved us with _____

3. The _____ to love others v11

- The analogical argument
- "Ought" = _____ and _____

The Application

1. _____ God's love story

- "Your life will move in the direction of your strongest thoughts"
- Good systems

2. _____ the gift of God's love to others

- Who comes to your mind at BBC _____ ?

John 13:35 "By this all people will know that you are my disciples, if you have love for one another."