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# Practical Ways to Show Infectious Love

## **IBC Vision: INFECTIOUS LOVE**

\* It is our desire to be a church that truly reflects our community and its diversity of people. To be a place that is truly multi-cultural, where diversity is appreciated and embraced, while racism and segregation is discouraged (*Gal. 3:28*).

\* We also will be a place where sinners are embraced, accepted, and lovingly shown God's desire to forgive and transform (Luke 15:1). We will be a church that holds firm our core beliefs, shows Christian liberty in others, and love in all *things* (*Titus 1:9; Rom. 14:13*).

*"Peacemakers who sow in peace raise a harvest of righteousness." (James 3:18)*

Wisdom – a lifestyle (*James 3:13, 14-16*)

### **How can I know if I am wise in how I relate toward people?**

*"But the wisdom that comes from heaven is first of all pure; then peace-loving, considerate, submissive, full of mercy and good fruit, impartial and sincere." (James 3:17)*

1. **I WON'T** \_\_\_\_\_ (*Proverbs 10:9*)
2. **I WON'T** \_\_\_\_\_ (*Prov. 20:3, 2 Cor. 10:12*)
3. **I WON'T** \_\_\_\_\_ (*Proverbs 15:4*)
4. **I WON'T** \_\_\_\_\_
5. **I WON'T** \_\_\_\_\_ (*Proverbs 17:9*)
6. **I WON'T** \_\_\_\_\_ (*Proverbs 28:13*)

*"If any of you lacks wisdom, let him ask of God." (James 1:5)*