

When Love Grows Cold

Revelation 2:1-6

Grace to all who love our Lord Jesus Christ with an undying love.
 —Ephesians 6:24

REPORT CARD		Name: Church of Ephesus	
Externals:		Internals:	
Good deeds: _____		Love _____	Rev. 2:4
Diligence: _____			
Endurance: _____			
Doctrine: _____		Matthew 22:37-38	
Holiness: _____		Matthew 10:37	
	Rev. 2:2-3, 6	1 Corinthians 16:22	
		Jeremiah 2:2	

How to put the spark back into your spiritual life: (Rev. 2:5)

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Acts 2:42

Transformed by the Truth

Questions for Reflection & Discussion

1. How do you feel about using words like “intimacy” and “passion” to describe your relationship with God? How is relating to God in this way different than a close relationship with another person?

2. Draw a graph of your spiritual life. What have been the most significant milestones in your relationship with God?



3. Think deeply about Jeremiah 2:2. When in your life was your passion for God at its peak? What do you remember about your relationship with Jesus during that time? (If your love for God has never been more intense than it is right now, why do you think that is true?)

4. Read Matthew 10:37, Matthew 22:37-38, 1 Corinthians 16:22, and Revelation 2:4. Are you satisfied with the intensity of your love for Christ right now? If not, what must you repent of in order to rekindle your passion for Him?

5. What, specifically, did you do to cultivate intimacy with Jesus when you felt closest to Him? What must you re-do to regain the feelings you had then? (Hint: Acts 2:42.)