

In the near future . . .

LifeGroups

At LifePoint we believe a LifeGroup is anything from making Scrapbooks, to going through the book of James verse by verse. We want you to lead something you are passionate about. If there is something you would like to lead contact Andy Rainey at arainey@lifepointvineyard.com

Women's [Re]Act Group Saturday mornings from 8:30-9:30am

Ladies, do you want to continue the conversation from the "Staying in Love" series? Perhaps you would like to delve deeper into the conversations you heard at the "It's All about Love" panel discussion. In either case, please join us at Coffee Beans & Brew on Yankee Rd (Feb. 13th - Mar. 6th). For more information, please contact Lin Cottell cottelplg@muohio.edu

Men's Re[Act] Group Friday mornings 6:00am

Men! Want to continue the conversation from Sunday's message? Join us on Friday mornings at Coffee Beans & Brew on Yankee Road at 6:00 am. Don't worry we will end in plenty of time for you to get to work. For more information please contact Dan Young at dyoung@lifepointvineyard.com

Come volunteer with us, we need you!

We have several roles that are just waiting to be filled and you could be a perfect fit for one of them. Here are just a few ways you can make a difference and get to know a few folks at the same time: helping folks feel welcome, making coffee, waving at people in the parking lot, setting up chairs, stacking up bibles, answering questions, hanging out with kids, and more. Give Carolyn Stephens call and she'll tell you all about these roles, Carolyn Stephens, 513-206-6399 or cstephens@lifepointvineyard.com

Student Ministry Meeting 2nd & 4th Sundays

Student Ministries meets the 2nd & 4th Sundays of the month at Coffee Beans & Brew on Yankee Rd from 4:00 - 5:30 p.m. Bring a friend and join us as we discuss important topics like, which is better facebook, myspace or twitter? Even if you've never attended a LifePoint Student meeting before, come check us out... Who knows? You might actually like us! For more information email Kim Young kyoung@lifepointvineyard.com

Spring Fling Wednesdays starting March 3rd (8 weeks)

No not that's not what we mean. We mean creating the magic you experienced when you were first in love. During this Eight week study expect lots of laughter and maybe even a tear or two, but best of all you'll learn about God's heart for Marriage, particularly yours! It's an investment into your Marriage that is well worth the commitment. Email Phil & Lin Cottell to sign up or for more information at cottelplg@muohio.edu

Student Ministry's Fun Event Dave & Busters - February 21st

You don't want to miss out on our first *Fun Event* of 2010 at Dave & Busters. I hear Andy Rainey and Kim Young are going to pair off on Dance Revolution and if you have ever seen Andy dance then that is reason enough to come. So join us on Sunday February 21st from 4 p.m - 7 p.m for food and games. The cost is \$15 per Student, unless you have never attended a LifePoint event then it's only \$10, which covers dinner and a \$10 game card. For more information contact Andy Rainey at arainey@lifepointvineyard.com and trust me, you won't want to miss seeing Andy trying to dance!

Hope House

LifePoint Vineyard is teaming up with the Hope House Rescue Mission in Middletown. Join us as we serve those who are less fortunate with simple and tangible acts of kindness. 1st & 3rd Wednesdays and the 2nd & 4th Friday's every month. Contact Dan West at dwest5@cinci.rr.com

WhiZkids

WhiZkids needs substitute tutors in the tutoring/mentoring program for students at Wyandot on Tuesdays from 3:45 until 5:00p. Subs would be available to fill in for our regular tutors on as needed basis. If you can help please contact Krista Peterson at 513-594-5513 or newlifektl@cinci.rr.com

Baby Dedications February 21

This is a special time for parents who want to make a public commitment before the Lord to raise their child according to God's Word. Pick up a registration in KidZPoint. You must register your child no later than Sunday, February 14. For additional information or to register your child, contact Kristi Tatro at 513.539.0018 or ktatro@lifepointvineyard.com

Financial Peace University Sundays starting March 7 (13 weeks)

Financial Peace University (FPU) is Dave Ramey's life-changing program that teaches you to achieve your financial goals by eliminating debt, saving for the future, and giving like never before. You will be challenged and motivated to make a plan for your money and change your family tree forever. The cost is \$110, which includes all the material you will need. Childcare will be available for \$3 per child or \$5 max per family. Contact Jodi Stevens at jodi.stevens@sigstevens.com or sign up online.

Other stuff . . .

Pray for LifePoint this week:

- Pray for our missions team traveling to Monterrey, Mexico this week
- Pray for an increase in volunteers in First Impressions and KidZPoint

Let us pray for you prayer@lifepointvineyard.com

Share your story with us stories@lifepointvineyard.com

Ask a question/make a suggestion info@lifepointvineyard.com



The Five Love Languages

The 30 second quiz

The Quiz

For each pair of statements choose the one that fits you best within your marriage or relationship. Answer every pair. If you are not currently married or in a relationship, imagine how you would like to be treated if you were...or even think about how you like to be treated by family members and/or close friends. When you finish the quiz, follow the directions at the end.

1. I like to receive encouraging or affirming notes A
I like to be hugged E
2. I like to spend one-to-one time with close friends B
I feel loved when someone gives me practical help D
3. I like it when people give me gifts C
I like leisurely visits with friends and loved ones B
4. I feel loved when people do things to help me D
I feel loved when people give me a reassuring hand shake or hug E
5. I feel loved when someone I love or admire puts their arm around me E
I feel loved when I receive a gift from someone I admire or love C
6. I like to go places with friends or loved ones B
I like to high-five or slap around with friends who are special to me E
7. Visible symbols of love (such as gifts) are important to me C
I feel loved when people affirm me A
8. I like to sit close to people I enjoy being around E
I like it when people tell me I'm attractive/handsome A
9. I like to spend time with friends and loved ones B
I like to receive little gifts from friends and loved ones C

10. Words of acceptance are important to me A
I know someone loves me when he or she helps me D
11. I like being together and doing things with friends & loved ones B
I like it when kind words are spoken to me A
12. What someone does affects me far more than what they say D
Hugs make me feel connected and valued E
13. I value praise and try to avoid criticism A
Several small gifts mean more to me than one large gift C
14. I feel close to someone when we are talking or doing something together B
I feel closer to friends & loved ones when we wrestle, hug or shake hands E
15. I like for people to complement my achievements A
I know people love me when they do things for me they don't enjoy doing D
16. I like for people to cross the street to shake hands or hug when they see me E
I like when people listen to me & show genuine interest in what I'm saying B
17. I feel loved when friends and loved ones help me with jobs or projects D
I really enjoy receiving gifts from friends and loved ones C
18. I like for people to complement my appearance A
I feel loved when people take time to understand my feelings B
19. I feel secure when a special person is physically close to me E
Acts of service make me feel loved D
20. I appreciate the many things that special people do for me D
I like to receive gifts that special people make for me C
21. I really enjoy the feeling I get when someone gives me undivided attention B
I really enjoy the feeling I get when someone does some act to serve me D
22. I feel loved when a person celebrates my birthday with a gift C
I feel loved when a person celebrates my birthday with meaningful words A
23. I know a person is thinking of me when they give me a gift C
I feel loved when a person helps me with my chores or tasks D
24. I appreciate it when someone listens patiently and doesn't interrupt me B
I appreciate it when someone remembers special days with a gift C
25. I like knowing loved ones are concern enough to help with my daily tasks D
I enjoy extended trips with someone who is special to me B
26. I don't mind the "kiss-hello" with friends I am close to E
Receiving a gift given for no special reason excites me C
27. I like to be told that I am appreciated A
I like for a person to look at me when they are talking B
28. Gifts from a friend or loved one are always special to me C
I feel good when a friend or loved one hugs or touches me E
29. I feel loved when a person enthusiastically does some task I have requested D

I feel loved when I am told how much I am appreciated A
30. I need physical contact with people everyday E
I need words of encouragement and affirmation everyday A

Now go through your quiz again and count up how many A's you circled and place the number below. Next count the Bs, then the Cs and so on. The highest possible score for any one letter is 12.

TOTALS: A: _____ B: _____ C: _____ D: _____ E: _____

What's your highest score? Each letter corresponds with a "love language":

A = Words of Affirmation B = Quality Time C = Receiving Gifts
D = Acts of Service E = Physical Touch

My Primary Love Language is _____

My Secondary Language is _____

- If you have two equal high scores: you may be "bilingual."
- If you have one high score and a second close to it, then you value both languages as important to you (a secondary language).

The Five Love Languages

Words of Affirmation means exactly that - spoken words used to encourage and compliment your loved ones.

Quality time means spending quiet, undistracted moments with your loved ones. This means turning off the television, computer, radio, or "kids" to just sit on the couch and look at your mate while he or she shares his or her life with you.

Receiving gifts means giving things to your loved ones. These gifts do not have to be expensive items. Ask any mom to show you her most precious gift from a small child—more than likely she will pull out a drawing, piece of art, or a letter written to her by her child.

Acts of service means doing things for your loved ones such as washing the car, painting the living room, picking up clothes, washing the dishes, and doing laundry before the perceived "nagging" starts. In other words, you, as the mate, initiate the acts of service.

Physical touch includes any physical touch, such as hugging, kissing, squeezes on the shoulder, a pat on the back, a touch of the face, and an arm around the waist.

Does it matter how you say, "I love you?"

Your emotional love language and the language of those around you may be as different as Chinese from English. No matter how hard you try to express love in English, if your spouse only understands Chinese, you will never understand how to love each other.

Gary Chapman concludes after twenty years of marriage counseling in that there are basically five emotional love languages - five ways that people speak and understand emotional love. In the field of linguistics a language may have numerous dialects or variations. Similarly, within the five basic emotional love languages, there are many dialects. Within these dialects, the number of ways to express love within a love language is limited only by one's imagination. The important thing is to speak the love language of your spouse and family members.

Read the book: "The 5 Love Languages: The Secret to Love That Lasts" by Gary Chapman

