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In this down-to-earth, practical new book, #1 *New York Times* bestselling author Dr. Les Parrott provides a simple plan to improve all of your relationships--with family, friends, coworkers, and even strangers. Dr. Parrott takes the latest findings from psychology and sociology and blends them with biblical teaching to reveal five transformative ways of relating to people demonstrated by Jesus himself:

be mindful
be approachable
be grace-filled
be bold
be self-giving

Each chapter contains a self assessment, and the results will aid your growth and help you revolutionize your relationships.

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Jenna Buenger says

I was fortunate to read the advanced reader's copy of this book. This was the first book of Dr. Parrott's I read that was not specific to married life. I have gained tons of wisdom and insight from all of his other books and I was excited to read this one. The biggest difference between this book and maybe something similar, is Dr. Parrott's success in using self-assessment quizzes to help people better identify with what they are reading and how it effects them uniquely. Each chapter ends with a quiz that allows the reader to rate how they feel they live out Jesus' "relationship secrets" and questions to consider how they might do it better. Honestly, they are simple and obvious questions. That doesn't mean they're bad, it makes it better because all we need sometimes is just a good reminder of what we may already know. This book doesn't make you feel less than or incapable of being everything God has called you to be. It encourages you that loving like Jesus is very doable.

Brian Bussard says

It is common to find books that tell you that you should love others like Jesus loved. What makes Dr. Les Parrott's book Love Like That uncommon is that he actually tells us how to do it.

Dr. Parrott creates a refreshing blend of science and Biblical truth, and compels healthy introspection by asking relevant follow-up questions after each section.

Now that I have finished my Advance Reader Copy, Love Like That is going to be one of my most gifted books this coming holiday season!

Aaron Bauer says

WOW, just when you think you've got yourself figured out a book like this comes along. It seems simple enough to love like Jesus (simple not easy), and many Christians think they are doing just that. Les blends practical insight with biblical principles and gets to the root of the issue in easy to follow chapters. I especially like that he includes a self assessment in each chapter. The genius is the assessment is in the middle of the chapter, so when you score yourself low, you have the awareness to pay attention to the solutions. Well Done! I received an Advance Reader Copy of the book from the publisher.

Heather says

I enjoyed reading Love Like That. The five areas that are examined are mindfulness, approachable, grace-filled, bold, and self-giving. I liked the quizzes in each section to see where you were in those areas because they sometimes revealed things I was unaware of. I also loved the direct examples of these five areas in Jesus' own life. My favorite quote is, "We need to be able to abandon our own agenda to be able to love like Jesus." Take the time to read the appendix at the end as it is helpful for application. I would definitely recommend this book.

Robin Denton says

I just completed reading Love Like That. The book has an easy reading style that is spiritually inspiring and personally challenging. I will likely read this book again, and I will recommend it to friends. I was given an advanced reader's copy from the publisher.

Lori Jorgensen says

Ever want to love people the way Jesus does? Ever wonder if it was obtainable?? This book explains how in quite a simple but very enjoyable way. There are 5 counter - intuitive ways: being mindful, being approachable, being a grace - giver, being vulnerable and being empathetic. He then shows how to practice them in every day life.

Amber says

Love Like That by Les Parrott is the most motivating book I have read in a long time! Each page is thought provoking and heart-stirring. I couldn't stop reading about the amazing ways in which Jesus' love is radical, scandalous, and above reason. Jesus' love is so unlike anything else, yet Les has made it tangible. I'm thankful for Les' raw honesty and vulnerability, as well as his informed understanding of social science and Scripture.

To be transformed is to love like Jesus, and to love like Jesus is to be transformed. You can't help but want transformation and more of Jesus' love in and through you when you read this book.

"Jesus' love was for anyone, regardless of what laws they'd broken or sins they'd committed. Jesus was scandalously approachable because it was the very essence of his love." (Les Parrott, 2018, p. 49)

I received an advanced electronic copy of this book from the author and the review is my own opinion.

Sylvia Davis says

I received an advanced readers copy of this book. If you are looking for practical ways to love like Jesus, this is what you're looking for. The author leaves practical advice for the readers, space for reflection, and then guidance for moving forward to love like Jesus did (and does).

Rebekah says

I did enjoy this book, but there were things about it that made me feel uncomfortable... It was probably the fact that it was full of psychology and I would have preferred more Scripture.

Ruth says

A good metaphor for this book is it is the mirror Jesus' brother talks about in James 1:22-24 "be doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving yourselves. For if anyone is a hearer of the word and not a doer, he is like a man who looks intently at his natural face in a mirror. For he looks at himself and goes away and at once forgets what he was like."

If committed Christians read this book intently, they will get pretty clear images of how well they are fulfilling Christ's command to love. I found this quite humbling. We all think we are doing a better than average job, but we all have weak spots, and Dr. Parrott points them out AND give very useful ideas on how to work on those spots. If you seriously want to follow Jesus, you will appreciate this book.

I would have rated this book 5 stars, but it has, in my opinion, the serious flaw of using "The Message" to quote scripture. This is like fingernails on a blackboard to serious Bible teachers; putting words and modern idioms into quotes from Jesus and Paul is not being faithful to the word of God. I would very much recommend using this for a small group, but, as a leader you will have the awkward situation of having to reread all the Bible texts in a valid translation.

I received an advance reader copy from the publisher.

Mitchell Ryan says

Thank you to the publisher for giving me the opportunity to read the advanced reader's copy. I recommend this book to everyone, Christian and non-Christian. I think most people would agree that learning to love like Jesus would influence their relationships for the better. Dr. Parrott helps the reader connect the words of Jesus, straight from scripture, to practical, relevant ways to love like Jesus did. I was humbled as I read the book because while Jesus' teachings seem so simple, they are not often the easiest to carry out in my life. The quizzes at the end of each chapter helped me to realize how I truly relate to each of the 5 characteristics Dr. Parrott discusses. This reflection gave me the insight I needed to make the book more practical in my own life. I was also encouraged when I later read the passages of scripture used in each chapter and found them to have a new and fresh meaning. This book will be a great resource to churches and small groups but equally as powerful to anyone who picks it up.

KamBree Prather says

WOW!

I have been reading a lot of books about Love and Jesus these past few months and this by far was the best!

Not only hearing a different perspective and a how to approach of loving like Jesus but using this material and these '5 Relationship Secrets' to teach and lead my four children to love like Jesus.

I was blessed and was able to receive an prerelease readers copy of this book. Thank you so much Dr. Les Parrott for share your heart and following Gods will for you life, sharing His word.

Joanne Petty says

Dr. Parrott's book, "Love Like That," was an amazing, up-front look at how Jesus lived his life. This book will teach everyone who reads it the unmatched qualities that Jesus demonstrated to others. We are blessed to have Dr. Parrott sum it up so simply to help us all strive to put others first and be more like Jesus!

Zizi says

This book was not what I expected. It was better. It is a relatively easy read with easy to understand concepts. The author simplified the idea of loving like Jesus into 5 qualities, and then spent a chapter explaining each one.

One thing I really enjoyed were the "snapshot" quizzes in each of the 5 chapters. They helped me see how inclined (or disinclined) I was towards that particular quality of the love of Jesus.

I would recommend this book to anyone looking to understand better how to truly love others. (It would also make a great small group study book.)

*Thank you to the publisher for letting me read this advanced copy.

Melissa says

I have read many books recently talking about learning to love like Jesus. This seems to be a common goal that we are all striving to reach. This book Love Like That written by Les Parrott not only shows us how Jesus loves, but gives us a line by line plan to work towards loving like Jesus. I love how this book starts with the fundamentals of how Jesus loved. Jesus was a great blueprint whose life taught us to love others with a pure and genuine love.

The five areas are addressed in the five chapters of the book, but wait Les even throws in a bonus in the appendix to give us the answer to how we can work on those five areas. I know this book stopped me dead in my tracks a few times. I can definitely use the themes taught in this book throughout the remainder of my life to continue to grow in love.

Thank you for the opportunity to read and review this book. I received an advanced electronic copy of this book from the author and the review is my own opinion.
