

Robservations for Wednesday October 15

“Love” was the answer to how in recent discussions of how to change the world.

Now, “love” is the answer to why we should act certain ways and why certain people treat us certain ways.

This week we turn to Matthew 7:11 that says, “If you, then, though you are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will your Father in heaven give good gifts to those who ask him.”

What a beautiful illustration of our parents when looking to how much God loves us. To us, our parents are either our best friends or our worst enemies, and often both at the same time. What did we do to deserve the love our parents gave us as babies as we could do nothing for ourselves? What did we do to deserve the support they gave us as we tried to figure out how to do things for ourselves? And what did we do to deserve the guidance they give us now as we have learned to do things for ourselves? The answer is nothing.

But WHY?!! Why do they do it?

They do it because of love.

And why do they love?

“Because God first loved us” 1 John 4:19

How do you change others? Through Love

Why do you do it? Because of Love