## Wednesday Devotional

May 21, 2025

Scripture Reading: Ephesians 5: 21-33

What does real love look like?

## Love Is Forever

I watched him look into the window and check his reflection. He carefully combed his hair and straightened his tie. He had to be seventy years old, yet he acted as eager as a schoolboy. He was a regular visitor to the nursing home. He was meeting his wife, a victim of Alzheimer's. His wife never spoke much. But it didn't seem to matter to him that he got no response from his wife. He made cheery conversation, read letters from family, sang to her, fed her or just held her hand.

Love, a rare commitment to care for another regardless of the response. Christ took human form to give us that love – at the cross. Mr. Lacy is pitied but a privileged man, who loves his wife in such a way that the world may look on with a deep sense of longing. He paints a beautiful picture for the rest of us to see and enjoy what Christ's love for us looks like.

Authors: Teresa & David Ferguson / Holly & Chris Thurman