



## What Really Matters Most

Hosea 6:4-11

### How God Responds to Our Stubbornness

1. Nothing \_\_\_\_\_ God's \_\_\_\_\_.
2. God is the most \_\_\_\_\_ Parent in the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_.
3. At some point, God \_\_\_\_\_ himself, "What shall \_\_\_\_\_?"
4. God will \_\_\_\_\_ be \_\_\_\_\_ to his Word.

### An Invitation to Look in the Mirror

1. It's always \_\_\_\_\_ to see someone else's \_\_\_\_\_.
2. If we look in the mirror, we'll become \_\_\_\_\_ of our own \_\_\_\_\_.
3. We're at a good place if we can \_\_\_\_\_ that our love for God \_\_\_\_\_ by 9 am.
4. We're at an even better place when we remember God's love \_\_\_\_\_ burns off.

**REMEMBER** → Looking in the mirror doesn't mean try \_\_\_\_\_; it means rediscovering a \_\_\_\_\_ in our Savior and his steadfast \_\_\_\_\_.



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#### How God Responds to Our Stubbornness

1. Nothing **ESCAPES** God's **SIGHT**.
2. God is the most **PATIENT** Parent in the **HISTORY** of **EVER**.
3. At some point, God **ASKS** himself, "What shall **I DO**?"
4. God will **ALWAYS** be **TRUE** to his Word.

#### An Invitation to Look in the Mirror

1. It's always **EASIER** to see someone else's **FAULTS**.
2. If we look in the mirror, we'll become **AWARE** of our own **BLEMISHES**.
3. We're at a good place if we can **RECOGNIZE** that our love for God **BURNS OFF** by 9 am.
4. We're at an even better place when we remember God's love **NEVER, EVER** burns off.

**REMEMBER** → Looking in the mirror doesn't mean try **HARDER**; it means rediscovering a **DELIGHT** in our Savior and his steadfast **LOVE**.

## For Further Study

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### Getting Started

1. After looking at Sunday's text, what impacts your heart the most and why?

### Digging Deeper

2. Based on Hosea 6:4, how does God view our love?
3. In contrast, how can we describe God's love? (See Psalm 136)
4. What does it mean that God desires our steadfast love, not our sacrifice? (See Hosea 6:6)

### Driving It Home

5. On Sunday, Marttell mentioned the result of "looking in the mirror". Why is the next step not trying harder, but rather rediscovering a delight in God?
6. What would it look like for you to rediscover a delight in God and his steadfast love?