



INTERMEDIATE CONVERSATION
SEMESTER 3

WHAT'S LOVE?

LESSON 023



TABLE TOPIC



What exactly is “love”? There are possibly many ways to define it. What do you think?

Now, create one table topic of your own. Think of something creative, fun, and thought-provoking.



VOCABULARY



grieve: to feel grief; to feel sad because something's gone or dead

My sister grieved for her pet goldfish. He died after only 2 days!

devastating: highly destructive or damaging; causing severe shock

My family was so saddened when my Grandmother passed. It was devastating for us all.

understatement: the presentation of something as being smaller, worse, or less important than it actually is.

To say that losing \$100,000 is no big deal is quite an understatement.

magnanimous: very generous or forgiving, especially toward a rival or someone less powerful than oneself.

My boss is incredibly magnanimous. He always forgives me for being late or struggling with work.

petty: of little importance; trivial.

He only owes you \$1. You shouldn't be so petty.



IDIOMS



red flag: a red flag as a warning of danger or a problem.

I should've never invested in my brother's company. There were so many red flags, like when he didn't show me his business plan.

My sister's husband divorced her! I knew he was no good! There were so many red flags earlier in their relationship.



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS



What would you do if your husband/wife left you for a mutual friend?

Do you think love is eternal? Or does it fade over time?

If a married couple isn't happy in their relationship, should they stay married?

What would you do if your husband/wife cheated on you?

Would you remain in an unhappy marriage just for your children?

