HAT DOES IT MEAN TO ME?
You may remember the stories we read about Paul's life. He traveled to visit the new churches and to make disciples. When he could not visit, he wrote letters. What do you think the purpose was of these letters? A) To let people know how he was feeling. B) To encourage the new churches. C) To teach the new believers how to follow Jesus. D) To keep the new believers from being lonely. In the first column, write all the things that Paul says love is, according to 1 Corinthians 13:1-7. In the second column, write all the things Paul says that love is not. 1 Peter 4:8. Read 1 Peter 1:1. Who wrote this letter, and to whom was it written? List them here: How does Paul's definition of love differ from the world's definition of love? A) The world's love is all about how someone makes us feel. B) The world's love is all about what someone can do for us. C) The world's love is temporary. HAT DOES IT MEAN? D) The world's love is limited. How did Jesus model the kind of love Paul describes? How is the love Paul describes different from the way someone is able to love a brother or a sister? According to 1 John 4:11, why is it important for us to love each other? What or who could help you to love others the way Paul describes? According to 1 Peter 4:8, why and how should we love each other? KEEP THIS PAGE IN YOUR BIBLE OR IN A NOTEBOOK

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