

<p>Theme: In 'lurve' – or the real thing?</p>	<p>Date: 28 October 2011</p>
	<p>Comment This week I discovered our son who is at uni has fallen in love. Love at first sight, she's one in a million, he longs to be with her forever, unlike any other relationship (there have been several!) and he can't stop thinking about her. I am cautiously pleased, hoping it won't end in heartbreak. Is she the, so far, anonymous person we have been praying for all these years, brought into his life at just the right time by our God of kindness and grace? When I fell in love with my husband I too couldn't eat, sleep or think straight. And although love matures and deepens into something stronger and greater, I hope we will always share something of that passionate fascination we started with. Feelings come and go for every couple, through dry patches and other difficulties but if this student romance does grow into marriage I pray they won't forget how they began.</p>
<p>Prayer (as a couple): Heavenly Father, thank You for the richness of our love relationship which consists of commitment, shared experience, friendship, passion, romance and many other ingredients. Help us to hold on to the good times and find pleasure in each other at every stage of our lives. Amen</p>	<p>Prayer (for others): Lord, we think of ___ and _____ just starting out in their love relationship. We long for that to grow and for their understanding, acceptance and respect for one another to increase through the years. Please protect them from harm and grant wisdom and generosity of spirit one to the other. For Christ's sake. Amen.</p>
<p>Final quote:</p>	

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